

ALL WESTERN CLUBS PLAY.

The Omaha Team Succeeds in Taking a Game From the Apostles.

DES MOINES NOW IN THE LEAD.

Only One Battle Billed for the Home Grounds on Decoration Day—A Shoot Postponed—Sporting News.

Table with columns: Played, Won, Lost, Per Cent. Lists scores for various teams like Des Moines, Sioux City, etc.

Omaha 6, St. Paul 5.

St. Paul, Minn., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—St. Paul held three of a kind in the first inning today, but Omaha bobbed up with pairs in the fifth, seventh and ninth and scooped in the victory. It was hard luck all around for the Apostles. They hit the ball much harder than their opponents and fielded superbly, but in spite of all they could not win. The visitors did not score until the fifth inning. In fact, up to this time they had made but one hit. In the fifth inning Canavan was given bases on balls and Walsh popped up a sack catch. Kearns went out on a high fly to first, but Phalen flung the ball out to center, both runners trotting home. In the seventh inning Meekin hit Kearns and again Phalen stepped into the rubber works and whaled the ball over the right field fence. In the ninth inning Fanning hit Meekin on the right arm and forced him to retire from the game, Main taking his place. The score was 5 to 3 in favor of the Apostles and Canavan was the first man to bat. He didn't touch the ball, however, and sat down. Walsh secured a base on balls and Kearns popped up a high foul to BroUGHTON. There were two out, and it looked like a sure victory for the local team. Phalen came to the rescue, however, for the third time and, tipped out a single. Main then hit Andrews on the back and the bases were full. Willis carefully selected a section of scented ash, walked up to the plate and slashed two awful punts in the air. The next ball sailed squarely over the plate and sailed back square over second base, Walsh and Canavan taking home with the winning runs. The spectators didn't say a word, but turned about and vent their several ways, remarking on the fact that St. Paul had lost the last three games of the season. Outside of the batting of Phalen, which could not have been more timely, the work of Walsh at short was the feature of the game. Canavan was hit by a throw in practice, sustaining an injury to the nose which prevented him from taking part in the game. Tomorrow is an open day, in which we will play off the game scheduled for Tuesday. Score:

Table with columns: ST. PAUL, OMAHA. Lists scores for various games.

THE SPEED RING.

LATONIA RACES. LATONIA, Ky., May 28.—Summary of today's races: Three-year-olds and upwards, mile and seventy yards—Happiness won, German second, Silver King third. Time—1:34.4.

Gravesend Races. GRAVESEND, May 28.—Summary of today's races: Five-eighths of a mile—Eclipse won, Nubia second, Phylis third. Time—1:34.4.

Gravesend Tips for Today. NEW YORK, May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The horses to be expected to first and for place in to-morrow's events at Gravesend are first race Tipstaff, Tanner second; second race Madstone may win, although Salvini may be first out. Third race Grayrock has the form, with Corrocion likely. Fourth race Sir Dixon should win, Exile second. Fifth race Claudine is backed heavily for first and Priscilla close. Sixth race may be taken by Reclaire and Lisimony second.

Manchester Whiteside Meeting. LONDON, May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The Manchester Whiteside meeting closed today. The race for the Hartington plate of 450 sovereigns, two-year-olds, winning penalties and maiden allowance, five furlongs, was won by S. T. Cass' filly Jessam, Lord Hartington's filly Henry Har was second and R. Jardine's colt Sarwak third. There were six starters.

An International Match. NEW YORK, May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Martin Dempsey of this city and William McGinness of Dublin were matched for a collar-and-elbow wrestling match today for \$250 a side and the championship of the world. Dempsey is the undoubted lightweight collar-and-elbow champion of America. McGinness is a contender for the title and has the record of 100 wins and 100 losses.

Budd Doble Buys Lady Bullion. TRER HAVEN, Ind., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Budd Doble closed the deal today for the purchase of Lady Bullion, six years old, for 2,184, and will be campaigned the balance of the season.

A Go Between Two Big 'Uns. CHICAGO, May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The fight to a finish with two-ounce gloves between Mike Queenan, the "Stock Yards Giant," and Bob Ferguson, both of Chicago, is booked to take place in some neighboring state Saturday evening next. Both of these prizefighters are in the prime of their careers and in training for the last six weeks, Ferguson under the mentorship of Billy Bradburn and Queenan under the watchful eye of Harry Grayson. Both men are exceedingly confident and when they come together it will be like a collision between two locomotives.

Fixing to Fight Slavin. NEW YORK, May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—A cablegram from London to Richard K. Fox says: Charlie Mitchell and Pony Moore called at the Sporting Life office today to reply to Slavin's challenge to fight Mitchell for \$500 a side. Mitchell agreed to match an unknown to fight Slavin for \$1,000 to \$5,000 a side, he is to put up a forfeit. The unknown is said to be Jake Kilrain, ex-champion of America.

The Winchester Excellent Work. The Winchester gun club, which is making rapid advances at the trap, held their weekly shoot yesterday afternoon, and despite the fact that a small hurricane was blowing, some extraordinary scores were made. The conditions were twenty-five blue rocks, five traps, eighteen yards rise. The following are the scores: F. Fuller, 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111—25; P. Paulsen, 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111—25; W. Paulsen, 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111—25; O. W. Peckard, 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111—25; J. Johnson, 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111—25; H. E. Wood, 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111—25; Fred Fuller, with a clean score, carried off the honors.

Calling Eve at the Wheel Club. This evening will be ladies' evening at the Wheel Club headquarters, corner of Chicago and Seventeenth streets, and the members will be pleased to greet all their fair friends.

FROM THE HAWKEYE STATE.

An Old Man at Ottumwa Celebrates Freedom by Killing His Wife.

HE ALSO CUTS HIS OWN THROAT.

Desperate Attempt at Murder in Des Moines—The Iowa Conference of the Epworth League Closes—Peculiar Horse Disease.

OTTUMWA, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Andrew Lundberg, sixty-five years old, finished a thirty days' jail sentence yesterday. He and his wife celebrated by getting drunk, when he inflicted mortal injury on her and then cut his throat from ear to ear. He was taken to the hospital and will probably live to stand trial for murder.

Attempted Murder and Burglary.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Prof. Lawrence A. Southwick, an artist, formerly art instructor at Callahan college, this city, was found in his room over 617 Walnut street about 10:30 this morning unconscious and vomiting in his blood. The discovery was made by a lady pupil, who came at that hour in pursuit of her studies. While engaged in a room adjoining that of the professors she found ground and on investigation found him as above stated. Everything indicated that it was a case of burglary and attempted murder. The professor regained consciousness after being cared for by the physicians and stated that he had for the past few days been engaged in managing a series of concerts with Blatchford Kavanagh, the Chicago boy singer, at Omaha, Kansas City, Topeka and Lincoln; that he had just returned home yesterday morning with a large sum of money in his trunk, not having yet been placed in the bank, where he always keeps his money. He went to bed about 9 o'clock last evening and was aroused some time later by some one in the room. He rose up in time to see a man at his trunk with a lighted match. The man was wearing a short struggle followed and the fellow struck Prof. Southwick with something on the head, knocking him senseless. The burglar then fled and the professor, who was in a state of shock, was unable to give a description of the man. He was taken to the hospital and is now recovering.

THE PARK COMMISSION.

A Mistake Made in Carrying Out Cleveland's Plans. When the members of the park commission convened yesterday afternoon they discovered that the lower lake in Hanscom park did not really secure a body of water containing an area of ten acres, as was intended. When Mr. Cleveland drew the plans for the construction of this sheet of water, he intended the water line on the east should extend as far as the street corner of the intersection of Twenty-third and Adams, who has had charge of the matter, did not understand the plans and built the wall some distance from the corner. The plan of the lake at least one-half an acre. Mr. Cleveland, who returned from Minneapolis with the plan, was surprised and dissatisfied with the parties who had tampered with his work and had no hesitancy in so expressing himself.

THE SUPREME COURT.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The following cases were decided in the supreme court this morning: Sarah Steele vs. R. M. Murray et al., appellants; Cass district, affirmed. N. B. Wilson vs. John F. Gunning, appellants; Cass district, affirmed. E. Chavannes, appellant, vs. J. L. Priestly; Polk district, Josiah Givon, judge, affirmed. The case of the State vs. Rigby, appellant; Cedar district, reversed. Richard Morrissey vs. the Chicago & Northwestern railway company, appellants; Keokuk district, affirmed. M. W. Stover vs. W. P. Elliott et al.; appellants; Iowa district, affirmed. W. M. Drake vs. John Feehan and Mary Feehan; appellants; Wapello district, affirmed.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS ENJOINED.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The Iowa railway commissioners were served with a notice from Judge Fairall's court at Iowa City this evening, temporarily enjoining them from enforcing the new rules for the operation of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern. The commission at once instructed Attorney General Stone to file a motion for dismissal, considering it dangerous to the public interest. The motion was granted and the law tested as soon as possible.

EPWORTH LEAGUE CONFERENCE CLOSES.

OTTUMWA, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The Iowa conference of the Epworth league closed its session tonight with an able address by Rev. Dr. Berry, editor of the Epworth Herald. The following officers were chosen: President, Dr. C. H. Stovall; Secretary, Mr. J. H. G. Murphy; Corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. G. Murphy; Controlling secretary, Mrs. L. G. Murphy; Treasurer, S. L. Vest, Ottumwa.

A BOOK AGENT SKIPS.

MASON CRY, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—W. H. Hathaway, who has been representing the Manual musical publishing company of Chicago in this section, has been arrested for trial yesterday afternoon. Officers think they have located him in Colorado. It is understood that he collected quite a sum of money from the sale of a number of copies of a book, which he had shipped without making any account of it.

A STRANGE HORSE DISEASE.

MASON CRY, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—A very odd disease has broken out among the horses in Worth county, a disease which baffles the skill of the best veterinarians. A dozen or fifteen horses have died within the past six days, and many more are diseased. Not very long ago there were several cases of this disease, but they were a score of horses died in a single day from no assignable cause.

RUN DOWN AND KILLED.

BOONE, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—James E. Kelley, aged sixty years, a deaf man resident in Boone, was struck by a train while crossing a trestle over the Iowa river. He was killed and his body was found on the trestle this afternoon, and died in a few hours.

THE DEATH RECORD.

HARLAN, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Sidney K. Pratt, a young and prominent business man of this place, died of apoplexy this morning. He had been connected with the Harlan bank for nearly eleven years. He was a member of Mount Zion commandery of this place, Odd-fellows encampment and the Iowa Legion of Honor. He leaves a young wife.

BURGERS MAKE A HAUL.

STANTON, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The store of C. W. Swanson was broken into last night and goods valued at several hundred dollars taken, just how much is not known, as the robbers piled the goods on the floor in promiscuous shape. A large number of articles and a quantity of jewelry was also taken. Teams have been sent out this morning in search of the parties.

DRY GOODS ASSIGNMENT.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—John F. Cochran, a dry goods man, made a general assignment this morning, with liabilities of about \$20,000 and assets of about \$10,000. He has been in business about three months, coming here from Cedar Rapids.

A MEXICAN OFFICIAL SICK.

CITY OF THE BEE, Ia., May 28.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The finance minister, Manuel Dublin, is sick and has been granted leave of absence by the president. The reason is to allow him to be a candidate for the senate at the approaching election. Several other cabinet officers and a number of states will follow his example, as they can not hold two offices at the same time, and will afterwards ask leave if he were to occupy their other posts while proxying for the senate. Minister Dublin will continue to direct the financial policy of the government during his leave.

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