PITY POOR HARRY FOURNIER.

His Pitching Conceit was Pounded Out of Him Yesterday.

LINCOLN KEEPS ON WINNING ALSO.

Johnny Sowders Knocked Into an Unrecognizable Mass—Billy Hart and Bartson Win—Other Baseball Games.

Omaha, 10; Denver, 6.
Lincoln, 9; Kansas City, 4.
Sioux City, 10; St. Paul, 3.
Minneapolis, 3; Milwaukee, 2.

It was cold and dark and dreary Monday, and a miniature berring pond occupied the diamond, so Captain Donnelly wisely decided on no game.

Yesterday, however, everything was bright and entrancing at McCormick park. The mellow warmth of summer once more immersed field, grandstand and bleacher in a minglement of such soft and soothing hues as living painter could never be rash enough to imitate. Not a fleck of vapor marred the blue expanse above, and the winds from the south were as gentle and as sweet as a baby's breath. The air was full of pearl and topaz, and the peaks and angles of the gothic cottages loomed up over the north field fence like the turrets of an old baronial castle, while on the east Parmelee's maples swayed languidly, and the whole picture was much like that of a piece of theatrical scenery.

How could the Lambs lose on a day like this?

In appreciation of this lovely meterological condition, a handsome representative crowd was out, among whom were many ladies. In fact the reserved department was a veritable parterre of brightness, color and beauty, and it couldn't have been anything else but the presence of the fair ones that spurred the Lambs on to such a pattern exhibition of the great national pastime.

Among the ladies present might be mentioned the names of Mrs. Frank Colpetzer, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Arthur Remington, Mrs. Harry McCormick, Mrs. Ulysses McDaniels, Mrs. Tom Godfrey, Mrs. Hussey and Mrs. S. G. V. Griswold, and Misses Balch, McClelland, Bishop and Barlow.

With his characteristic punctiliousness King Gaffney tapped a new ball at precisely 4 o'clock, and Harry Fournier, a misguided youth from Oswego, N. Y., took his position in the little square in the center of the diamond.

He was full of hope and confidence, and prunes—you could see them all in his smiling countenance—and he swore that he would win the game or pitch his arm off.

He kept his word. He left his good south paw hanging on the fence to mould and wither and dessicate in the suns and winds of summer. You can see it there this afternoon, right on the second post to the left of the carriage gate.

Harry is rather a nice looking boy, with a sort of Colorado Maduro complexion and a moustache that looks like a wisp of hay. But he can't pitch quoits, that is, some times.

Taking a pony of oatmeal and water Captain Donnelly took his position at the bat. He never said a word but stood and looked at Harry in a way that made his heart beat thick and fast.

He made four failures to put her over and the captain took possession of first.

Then Jocko Halligan pressed his stick against a beautiful drop and a safe one was the result.

Then all the ladies clapped their hands, but whether it was because Halligan had made a hit or because "Old Cy" came out, I won't say.

Anyway he smiled as if it was meant for him and swinging his omnibus pole he threw into it a certain veiled cadence, of half distant, half familiar tenderness, no fan, whatever his age or condition, has ever been known to resist.

The ball fell amidst the gamopetalous blossoms at White Wings' feet, and before he could gather it up and hurl it in, the captain was across the rubber.

Then everybody shouted, save a gentleman and lady from Denver, who occupied front seats in the reserved circle, and they scowled and the lady said Sut was "nothing but a great long-legged, gangling gosling."

That was decidedly unpurty.

But one run was all there was in it. Billy O'Brien embraced the Commodore's fly, the Deacon forced Jocko at third and White Wings took care of Walsh's high one.

The Mountaineers' half was short lived. McClellan sent one to Clarke, and Donnelly slammed both Werrick and Tebeau out at first.

In the second, Dad Clarke, who wore his Crimean jacket all through the fray, coaxed a base of balls out of Harry, and Old Traf's sacrificial push sent him to second and an error by White to third. The Denver shortstop counterbalanced the blunder a moment later, however, by firing Dad out at the plate, the latter having attempted to score on a ball loosely returned to the pitcher.

That was bad.

Eiteljorg fought bumble bees with his club and the side was out.

Denver deposited another egg in the market basket, and the Lambs returned.

Harry was laying for Jocko, and he curled them around his neck in such an exasperating way that he just wouldn't hit 'em. "Old Cy" followed, only to give White Wings another p. o.

Two men out, and everybody thought the jig was up. But baseball is uncertain.

The Commodore was presented with first, and the Deacon sallied forth. He handled his bat nervously and great globules of perspiration began to mottle his brow when he let two good ones whip past him without as much as saying "how dy do."

Then he braced himself! His club described a yellow circle in the air, there was a fulminating crash and the sphere went out against the right field fence like a thousand of brick.

"A regular rectangular parallelopipedon!" cried a lad from Creighton college, and as Larry came marching home the bleachers yelled as if they were paid by the day.

Walsh hadn't done anything very enthusiastic yet, and before the uproar had subsided he hit her a jolt himself. It was a single, but the Deacon came trotting in on it.

Clarke's out ended the inning.

It was the same old story for Denver.

The fourth was fruitless for both sides. Traffley flew out to Willie O'Brien, but Eiteljorg made a hit, yet it amounted to nothing, for the Chippy threw the Captain out at first, and Willie attended to Halligan alone and single-handed.

And so, you see, Willie made all three of the put-outs. Not bad for a boy, was it?

For his side White Wings led off with one of his aromatic right-field drives, a wild pitch gave him second and he stole third.

The gentleman and his wife from Denver began to work their mandibula mechanism. They knew Georgie would score.

But Georgie didn't.

Donnelly sat Curt's fly, and the Deacon fired White out at first. Then Chippy McGarr hit one in a new spring suit down to the Captain. It was so hot that it burnt up the chalk line as it sped along, and it looked as safe as a bet on Tenny.

But don't you ever make a mistake, that Donnelly lad is a cuckoo!

He made a backward dive, threw out that dexter fin of his, and snatched the ball right out from a stream of flame and smoke, and before you could think what your name was he shot it over to "Old Cy," cutting off the little bird by about the thickness of a piece of ham in a railroad sandwich.

Oh my! Oh me! what an uproar there was at that. A boiler factory wouldn't have been in it.

In the next inning Harry was convinced that he was only an ordinary twirler.

"Old Cy" took first because Harry curled them everywhere but over the plate. The Commodore drove one safely out into right, on which Sut went to third and Larry to second on the throw in.

"Hey! hey! hey!" shouted the jubilant throng.

And they kept up the music when Griffin did likeso, and increased its volume when Walsh did alwise. Of course Sut and the Commodore had ambled in.

A lull occurred when Clarke tapped a little one to Harry, and Harry switched him off at first, but when Old Traf sent the sphere far from the madding crowd, the din grew worse than ever, for on this hit the Deacon and Josie scored. Eiteljorg, who handled his stick something like an old woman sweeping cob-webs from the ceiling, made his second strike-out. He said he didn't want to hurt Harry's feeling. The captain, however, was not so commiserate, and he added another safe one to the long line, and the ex-Alliance catcher ran home.

Halligan's long one to White Wings came just in time to spare seven or eight hundred people a siege of bronchitis.

But wasn't it exhilarating!

I tell you that human nature demands a little excitement, and there is a tonic in just such a hitting streak as that. It is febrifugal, curminative, life-prolonging,

Isn't it?

This was too much for Denver, so she came in and took a couple of runs herself.

They were gifts, both of them, for they didn't make a hit in the inning.

Willie O'Brien hit a long one out to Dad, and Dad muffed it, and Willie swung clear round to third on the mistake. Then Eddie made another one and Lohbeck was allowed to breathe, and a little later on he ran in after Georgie on Fournier's sacrifice.

And maybe the gentleman and lady from Denver didn't make the earth and atmosphere vibrate then. You could a-heard 'em a mile!

McClelland and Werrick were easily disposed of.

Right here Harry and Lohbeck both stormed the bench, and Mr. Keefe, who used to spell his name with an O when he worked in the brickyard at Lowell, and School Teacher Reynolds took their places.

The change worked well, for the sixth was a desert for the Lambs, but in their half, the Mountaineers scored again. White Wings made another safe one, a wild pitch let him to second, and an error by "Old Cy," the first one he has made since 1863, allowed him to tally.

Clarke landed one out of reach in the next and on Traffley's sacrifice went to second. White's error gave Eiteljorg a show for his white ally, and on Donnelly's and Halligan's hits they scored.

In her half Denver took one more on a hit by Keefe and a three-bagger by Mr. Werrick, once the hero of Louisville.

The eighth and ninth were both blanks for the Lambs, but the Mountaineers got home three more, two in the eighth and one in the ninth, but as long as they didn't win the game, what's the use of telling how they did it.

I will add, however, that Traf assisted in as brilliant a double in the eighth as you ever saw, and the ex-Louisvillian knocked out another three-sacker in the ninth.

That's all. Once more this afternoon. The score:

OMAHA.

	AB.	R.	IB.	SH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Donnelly, 3b	5	1	3	1	1	1	5	0
Halligan, rf	6	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
Sutcliffe, 1b	5	1	1	0	0	13	1	0
Twitchell, lf	5	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
Griffin, 2b	5	2	3	0	1	3	4	0
Walsh, ss	5	1	2	0	0	0	3	2
Clarke, m	4	1	1	1	0	2	0	1
Traffley, c	5	1	1	2	0	4	2	0
Eiteljorg, p	5	1	1	0	0	1	5	1
Totals	42	10	15	4	2	27	20	4

DENVER.

	AB.	R.	IB.	SH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
McClellan, lf	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Werrick, 2b	5	1	2	0	0	0	3	0
Tebeau, m	5	1	2	1	1	4	0	0
Curtis, rf	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
White, ss	3	1	1	0	0	3	3	2
McGarr, 3b	4	1	2	0	0	2	2	0
O'Brien, 1b	4	1	0	0	0	11	1	0
Lohbeck, c	2	1	1	0	0	4	0	1
Fournier, p	2	0	0	1	0	0	5	0
Reynolds, c	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Keefe, p	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	39	7	10	2	1	27	16	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Omaha	1	0	2	0	5	0	2	0	0	—10
Denver	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	2	1	—7

SUMMARY.

Runs earned: Omaha, 6; Denver, 3; Base on balls: Off Eiteljorg, 1; off Fournier, 4; off Keefe, 2. Struck out: By Eiteljorg, 3; by Fournier, 3; by Keefe, 2. Wild pitches: By Eiteljorg, 3. Two-base hits: Griffin. Three-base hits: Werrick, 2. Double plays: Eiteljorg, Traffley, Sutcliffe, White, Werrick, O'Brien. Passed balls: By Traffley, 1. Time of game: One hour and thirty-five minutes. Umpire: Gaffney.

OTHER WESTERN GAMES.

Lincoln Takes Another Out of Last Year's Pennant Winners.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 26.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Everybody played ball today. It was one of those scientific games in which errors are few and hits clean, with a sprinkling of brilliant plays. And the Farmers pounded Johnny Sowders until it gave the fans an appetite for supper.

Collins, poor fellow! got into it all over today. He gave several rank decisions against the locals, and Dave Rowe roasted him until the crowd, out of pity for the umpire, begged him to stop. Carpenter made a remarkable one-handed catch, and Cline muffed a fly while turning a somersault.

The Cowboys opened the ball in the second inning, and Danny Stearns got in one of his old tricks. He made first safely, and on Pickett's hit started for third. Stafford made a great throw from center, heading off his man, but Stearns ran over Raymond, knocking the ball out of his hand. Collins declared it a go, and both runners scored on a passed ball. In the seventh Carpenter's two sacks, Cline's muff of Gunson's fly and Manning's hit scored two more.

Raymond began business for the Farmers in the third with a hit. Brother Jack got a life on Elmer Smith's muff of his fly and hits by Burkett and Dave Rowe brought in three runs. In the sixth singles by Stafford and Dambrough and a triple by Wilson carried the first of the trio around the diamond. In the seventh a base on balls and single by Jack and Dave Rowe scored Cline. Tomney's grounder was juggled by Pickett and on Stafford's hit brothers Jack and Dave sprinted home. The Farmers played a beautiful game at bat in the ninth. Burkett made one of his neatest bunts and beat the ball to first with time to loaf. Dave Rowe stuck in a single and both were advanced on one of the prettiest sacrifices by Tomney. Stafford, who has been putting up a phenomenal batting game for a pitcher, as usual found a hole in the infield and brought in the two runners.

LINCOLN.	R	IB	PO	A	E
Cline, rf	1	0	3	0	1
Raymond, 3b	1	1	3	2	0
J. Rowe, ss	2	1	0	4	1
Burkett, lf	2	2	2	0	1
D. Rowe, 1b	2	3	9	2	0
Tomney, 2b	0	1	2	3	0
Stafford, c & p	1	4	1	0	0
Dambrough, p	0	1	0	0	0
Wilson, c	0	1	7	2	0
Patton, cf	0	0	0	0	0
Total	9	14	27	13	3

KANSAS CITY.	R	IB	PO	A	E
Manning, 2b	0	1	1	2	0
Hoover, rf	0	0	1	1	0
Foster, cf	0	1	2	1	0
Smith, lf	0	0	1	0	1
Stearns, 1b	1	1	7	1	0
Pickett, ss	1	2	4	0	3
Carpenter 3b	1	1	5	1	0
Gunson, c	1	0	6	2	0
Sowders, p	0	1	0	4	0
Total	4	7	27	13	4

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Lincoln	0	0	3	0	0	1	3	0	2	—9
Kansas City	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—4

SUMMARY.

Earned runs: Lincoln, 7; Kansas City, 1. Two-base hits: Wilson, Carpenter, Manning. Stolen bases: J. Rowe, Tomney, Manning, 2; Smith. First base on balls: By Darnbrough, 2; by Sowders, 4. Struck out: By Darnbrough, 6; by Sowders, 6. Passed balls: Gunson, 4. Wild pitches: By Darnbrough, 1; by Stafford, 2. Time: Two hours and ten minutes. Umpire: Collins.

Sprague's Weakness.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 26.—Sprague was weak instead of wild today, and four singles, a double and a triple in the third inning sent him to the bench. McHale then went and was very puzzling to the Corn Huskers, they only making three hits off his delivery. Ely bunched his errors in the sixth, and the bunch resulted in a run. Hart was an enigma, as usual, to the Apostles, and the five hits were scattered though the same number of innings. Conley's second base play was the feature of the game. Score:

ST. PAUL.	R	IB	PO	A	E
O'Rourke, 3b	2	0	2	2	0
Sprague, p & rf	0	0	0	1	0
Baldwin, c	0	1	2	1	0
J. O'Brien, 1b	0	1	10	2	0
Ely, ss	0	1	1	2	3
Hamburg, lf	0	0	2	1	0
Conley, 2b	0	1	6	2	0
Gowdy, rf, cf	1	1	0	0	0
Abbey, rf	0	0	0	0	1
McHale, p	0	0	0	3	0
Total	3	5	24	14	4

SIOUX CITY.	R	IB	PO	A	E
Poorman, rf	1	2	0	0	0
Swartwood, 1b	2	1	7	1	1
Strauss, 3b	1	2	2	3	0
Nicholson, 2b	1	1	2	3	0
Schriebeck, ss	1	1	3	2	1
Earle, c	1	2	7	3	0
Gennins, cf	1	2	0	0	0
Van Dyke, lf	1	1	5	0	0
Hart, p	1	1	1	1	1
Total	10	12	27	12	3

SCORE BY INNINGS:

St. Paul	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	—3
Sioux City	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	*	—10

SUMMARY.

Earned runs: Sioux City, 3. Two-base hits: Strauss, Swartwood, VanDyke. Three-base hits: Baldwin, Hart. Left on bases: St. Paul, 5; Sioux City, 7. Stolen bases: By Strauss. Double plays: O'Rourke, Conley and O'Brien; Conley (unassisted). First base on balls: Off Sprague, 1; McHale, 3; Hart, 2. Hit by pitched ball: Gennins. Struck out: By McHale, 3; Hart, 6. Passed balls: Baldwin, 2; Earle. Time: One hour and forty minutes. Umpire: Knight.

Bartson Beat the Brewers.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 26.—Bartson was too much for Milwaukee and allowed them only four hits. Minneapolis won in the ninth inning on timely hits by Ryn and McQuaid. Score:

MILWAUKEE.	R	IB	PO	A	E
Burke, cf	0	0	4	0	0
Pettit, 2b	1	0	1	4	1
Shoch, ss	0	1	3	2	0
Dairymple, lf	1	0	3	0	1
Dungan, rf	0	2	2	1	0
Schriver, c	0	0	6	1	0
Campion 1b	0	1	7	0	1
Alberts, 3b	0	0	0	1	0
Grim, 3b	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, p	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	4	26	9	3

MINNEAPOLIS.	R	IB	PO	A	E
McQuaid, lf	1	1	5	0	2
McGlone, 3b	2	1	2	3	0
Minnehan, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Shugart, ss	0	0	1	6	1
Ryn, 1b	0	2	11	0	1
Hengle, 2b	0	0	5	1	0
Treadway, cf	0	1	2	0	0
Dugdale, c	0	1	1	1	0
Barston, p	0	2	0	2	0
Total	5	10	27	13	4

*Winning run made with two men out.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Milwaukee	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—2
Minneapolis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	—3

SUMMARY.

Earned runs: Minneapolis. Two-base hits: Ryn, Barston. Stolen bases: Pettit, Dairymple, Dungan, Campion. First base on balls: By Smith, 4; by Barston, 2. Struck out: Smith, 5; Barston, 1. Passed ball: Shriver. Time: One hour and fifty minutes. Umpire: Emslie.

Western Association Standing.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Omaha	29	19	10	.655
Lincoln	31	19	12	.612
Milwaukee	33	18	15	.545
Minneapolis	32	17	15	.531
Denver	32	15	17	.469
Sioux City	32	14	18	.438
Kansas City	33	14	19	.424
St. Paul	31	11	20	.355

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago Strikes Omaha's 1890 Gait and Loses.

CHICAGO, May 26.—After having the game practically won the Chicagos went all to pieces in the eighth, and on three errors and stupid work allowed the New Yorks to make three runs when the side should have been out. Both pitchers were very effective, Chicago made their only two safe hits off Russie in the first inning. Score:

Chicago	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	—5

Hits: Chicago, 2; New York, 6. Errors: Chicago, 4; New York, 1. Batteries: Hutchinson and Kittridge, Russie and Buckley. Earned runs: Chicago, 1; New York, 2.

SPIDERS KILL THE BROOKLYN FLY.

CLEVELAND, O., May 26.—The bases on balls given by Hemming were costly. They were followed by hits on which Cleveland won the game. Hough was too much for the Brooklyns when men were on bases. Cold and clear. Attendance, 1,200. Score:

Cleveland	2	0	2	0	0	4	0	2	1	—11
Brooklyn	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	2	0	—8

Hits: Cleveland, 11; Brooklyn, 9. Errors: Cleveland, 5; Brooklyn, 4. Batteries: Cleveland, Young and Zimmer; Brooklyn, Hemming and Con Daly. Earned runs: Cleveland, 2; Brooklyn, 1.

BASES ON BALLS AGAIN.

CINCINNATI, O., May 26.—The Phillies had little trouble in defeating Cincinnati today in the presence of 820 shivering enthusiasts. Bases on balls, followed by a heavy hit, gave the visitors three runs in the third inning. The feature of the game was the fine playing of Meyers at second base. He accepted fourteen chances with only one error and participated in four brilliant double plays. Score:

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1
Philadelphia	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	*	—5

Hits: Cincinnati, 8; Philadelphia, 7. Errors: Cincinnati, 6; Philadelphia, 4. Batteries: Rhines and Harrington, Thornton and Brown. Earned runs: Cincinnati, 1; Philadelphia, 2.

PRETZELS COULDN'T SAVE IT.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 26.—Bryan started in to pitch and during the short period he occupied the box, he managed to lose the game to his club by giving men bases on balls. Getzein was then put in and the home players hit him hard. Baldwin pitched an elegant game and was afforded fine support.

Pittsburg	6	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	—10
Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1

Base hits: Pittsburg, 10; Boston, 4. Errors: Pittsburg, 1; Boston, 2. Batteries: Baldwin, Mack and Berger; Getzein and Ganzell. Earned runs: Pittsburg, 5.

National League Standing.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Chicago	27	18	9	.667
Pittsburg	27	15	12	.556
Cleveland	30	16	14	.533
Philadelphia	29	15	14	.517
Boston	29	14	15	.483
New York	28	13	15	.464
Brooklyn	28	11	17	.393
Cincinnati	29	11	18	.379

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

King Kel Charms Out a Game from the Beaneaters.

CINCINNATI, O., May 26.—Today's game was one of the most interesting and exciting of the season. It was a great victory for Kelly. After seven runs had been made in the second inning Kelly took Hurley's place behind the bat, and after that the Cincinnatis began to pull out. The bad condition of the grounds owing to its being torn up by the gymnasium people, accounted for much of the bad playing. Score:

Cincinnati	2	0	2	4	4	0	3	3	3	—21
Boston	0	7	0	0	3	1	0	2	3	—16

Hits: Cincinnati, 15; Boston 16. Errors: Cincinnati, 11; Boston, 9. Batteries not given.

COLONELS LOSING AT HOME.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 26.—The Athletics had no trouble in defeating the Louisvilles today. Daly started in to pitch for Louisville, but was taken out in the first inning, Ehret being substituted. Weyhing kept Louisville's hits well scattered, while the Athletics bunched their hits on Ehret. Score:

Louisville	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Athletics	3	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	2	—10

Hits: Louisville, 10; Athletics, 17. Errors: Louisville, 5; Athletics, 0. Batteries: Cross and Weyhing; Ehret, Daly and Cook. Earned runs: Louisville, 2; Athletics, 4.

MIGHTY TIGHT SQUEEZE.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 26.—St. Louis won a well played game this afternoon. The Browns won in the tenth on Fuller's base on balls, O'Neill's sacrifice and Lyons' clean hit to center field. Score:

St. Louis	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—3
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2

Hits: St. Louis, 9; Washington, 4. Errors: St. Louis, 3; Washington, 2. Batteries: McGill, Stivetts and Boyle; Carsey and Lehman. Earned runs: St. Louis, 1.

PHIL KNELL IN CONDITION.

COLUMBUS, O., May 26.—Baltimore could not touch Knell, and Columbus won as she pleased. Score:

Columbus	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	—4
Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Hits: Columbus, 7; Baltimore, 2. Errors: Columbus, 1; Baltimore, 0. Batteries: Knell and Dowse; Cunningham and Townsend. Earned runs: Columbus, 2.

American Association Standing.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Boston	37	26	11	.703
Baltimore	35	22	13	.629
St. Louis	39	22	17	.564
Athletics	35	17	18	.486
Louisville	40	18	22	.450
Cincinnati	40	18	22	.450
Columbus	39	17	22	.436
Washington	33	9	24	.274

Down at Bellevue.

The game at Bellevue Sunday between the Bellevue Browns and Fort Omahas resulted in a victory for the Bellevues after ten innings. The score:

Bellevues	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	4—11
Ft. Omahas	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	1	3—10

Batteries—Bellevues, Maddock and Cornell. Fort Omahas, Whistler and Shea.

Illinois-Iowa League Games.

At Rockford: Rockford, 9; Joliet, 3.
At Cedar Rapids: Cedar Rapids, 0; Quincy, 2.

SPARKS OF SPORT.

Choyniski Knocks Out Dooley.

MELBOURNE, May 26.—The prize fight yesterday between Choyniski and Dooley was one of the shortest contests ever recorded. The result showed that Dooley was no match for Choyniski, for the latter knocked him out in one minute and eleven seconds.

A match for £400 has been arranged between Choynski and Joe Goddard, the champion of the barriers. The fight will come off on July 20.

Fatal Knockout Blow.

LYNN, Mass., May 26.—James Burns of Lynn, who was knocked out in a battle with Harry Tracy of Cambridge Monday evening, died this morning. The knockout blow broke a blood vessel in his brain and he never recovered consciousness. Tracy has been arrested on a charge of manslaughter. The arrest of the referee, seconds and management of the Lynn Athletic club, before whom the fight took place, will follow.

Corbett Don't Want to Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 26.—The directors of the California athletic club last evening offered to give a purse for another contest between Jackson and Corbett. Jackson expressed a willingness to fight again, but Corbett refused the offer.

PRICE DOES NOT MAKE GAIT.

Proof That Fancy Figures Don't Win Purses Given at Gravesend.

FREDDY GEBHARDT'S LATE LESSONS.

His High Priced Canvass a Hot Favorite but a Poor Finisher—Other News from the Track.

GRAVESEND, L. I., May 26.—Upwards of 15,000 people dared the threatening weather to do its worst today and made the journey here to witness the running of the rich Great American stakes for the two-year-olds and the Brooklyn derby for three-year-olds.

All of the youngsters that have shown in the east started in the Great American stakes including Canvass, by Forester, out of Alice Bruce, for which Mr. Gebhardt recently paid $21,000. He was tipped and touted all over the country, and as a consequence went to the post a favorite, but at the end he was not in it, as St. Florain, a handsome son of St. Blaise and Few Follett, belonging to J. & A. Morris, won rather handily.

The Brooklyn derby also resulted in a triumph for the Morris stable, as it ran first and second with Russell and Ambulance, the $35,500 Bolero finishing third.

The other races furnished good contests, and speculators and bookmakers broke even on the day, three favorites winning and the other events going to horses that were at good odds. The track was dusty till after the third race, when enough rain fell to deaden it, but by tomorrow it will be fast again.

First race, a handicap sweepstakes, five furlongs: Patrimony Colt won, Zorling second, Natali S. third. Time: 1:29¼.

Second race, handicap sweepstakes, one mile and a furlong: Clarendon won, Eno second, Madstone third. Time: 1:54½.

Third race, the Great American stakes for two-year-olds, a sweepstakes of $50 each with $2,000 guaranteed added, five furlongs. Entries, weights and betting follow: St. Florian, 118, 5 to 1; Mars, 118, 4 to 1; Air Plant, 118, 20 to 1; Air Shaft, 118, 12 to 1; Canvass, 118, 3 to 1; Victory, 118, 12 to 1; Merry Monarch, 118, 15 to 1; His Highness, 118, 8 to 1; Hinda Dwyer, 115, 8 to 1; Adage Filly, 115, 6 to 1; Rex, 118, 6 to 1; Hell Gate, 118, 12 to 1; Lester, 120, 10 to 1; Coxswain, 118, 15 to 1.

After a little delay the flag dropped to a good start with Coxswain, Canvass, Victory, Air Plant, Hell Gate and Her Highness the first to show. Coxswain at once took the lead and showed the way to the turn where Air Plant took up the running, closely pressed by Coxswain, Canvass, Her Highness and St. Florian. They ran in this order to the stretch when there was a general closing up. In the first furlong St. Florain took the lead while Victory moved into second place and amid the greatest excitement they finished that way, St. Florain winning handily by three lengths, while Victory beat Lester two lengths for the place. Time: 1:08¾.

Fourth Race, the Brooklyn derby for three-year-olds of $100 each with $2,500 added, one mile and a quarter. The starters, weights and betting were as follows: Russell, 122, even; Ambulance, 117, 4 to 1; Bolero, 122, 6 to 1; Bermuda, 122, 15 to 1; Warpath, 122, 4 to 1; Foxford, 122, 30 to 1.

The Morris stable declared to win with Russell in preference to Ambulance. Russell showed in front at the start and for a mile the order was Russell, Bolero, Foxford, Warpath, Bermuda and Ambulance. As they struck the turn for home Ambulance moved up and passing Bolero at the furlong pole, contented herself with a secure place, while her stable companion, Russell, won by four lengths. Bolero finished third, two lengths behind Ambulance and twenty in front of Foxford. Time, 2:10.

Fifth race, one and one-sixteenth miles: Text won, Lizzie second, Kingsbridge third. Time: 1:52¾.

Sixth race, selling race for three-year-olds at a mile: Snowball won, Calcium second, Kittle T third. Time: 1:45¾.

Cool, Crisp and Rapid.

CINCINNATI, O., May 26.—Five thousand people witnessed the sport at Latonia race track today and enjoyed it to the fullest extent, though the weather was almost too cool for comfort. Betting was free, but stakes were not in large sums. Nothing better could be wished so far as the condition of the track was concerned. Incident and feature were lacking in the days sport, except the fact of remarkable even running in all six races and two or three surprising finishes. In fact all the contests were close and the horses were evenly matched throughout. The executive board investigated the case of Robespierre, whose jockey, Lilly, was ruled off the track yesterday, and they found no cause for action against the horse or his owner.

First race, selling, purse $500, for three-year-olds and upwards, one mile: Fred Fink won, Bob Forsythe second, Hopeful third. Time: 1:44.

Second race, sweepstake for four-year-olds and upwards, one mile and fifty yards: Marion C won, Dr. Nave second, Longshot third. Time: 1:45.

Third race, a free handicap, sweepstakes for three-year-olds and upwards, one and one-sixteenth miles: Brandolette won, Rosemont second, Gorgetown third. Time: 1:49¾.

Fourth race, Cilpsetta stakes, for two-year-old fillies, five furlongs: Ignite won, Greenwood second, Chaperone third. Time: 1:03.

Fifth race, purse $500, for two-year-old colts, four and one-half furlongs: Prince Darkness won, Content second, John Berkey third. Time: 56¾.

Sixth race, selling, purse $500, one mile: Harry Smith won, Mabelle second, Hamlet third. Time: 1:44.

On Ed Corrigan's Track.

CHICAGO, May 26.—There were six races on the card at the West Side park today and the beautiful weather and the excellence of the programme attracted over two thousand people to Hawthorne. The track was in splendid condition and the races well contested.

Corrigan's crack three-year-old, Huron, was announced to stand as a starter for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy stakes. He was scratched today, and Corrigan won the race with Phil Dwyer, a well bred youngster. It was about an even struggle between the bookies and the talent, the former having a little the best of it at the end. Following are the results:

First race, purse, $400, selling, three-year-olds and upwards, three-quarters of a mile: Bolster won, Phantom second, Friendless third. Time: 1:20.

Second race, purse $550, all ages, seven-eighths of a mile: Ethel won, Ernest Race second, Too-Sweet third. Time: 1:34½.

Third race, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy stakes, $1,000 added for two-year-olds, five-eighths of a mile: Phil Dwyer won, Jim Murphy second, Lew Weir third