

WESTERN LEAGUE NEXT YEAR

President Hickey Says St. Joseph Will Not Be Dropped Out.

INDIANAPOLIS AND LOUISVILLE COME IN

White Wings Tebeau Gets a Splendid Location for His Kansas City Grounds, While Manning is Away Out of Town.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—President Hickey of the Western Base Ball League returned from Kansas City this evening and says that the announcement by a Kansas City paper that St. Joseph would be dropped out of the Western league circuit was unauthorized and without foundation.

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Opposition League Plans

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—At a meeting held this afternoon and evening in the Great Northern hotel, the Western Association of Professional Base Ball Clubs was formed. No officers were elected, this action being deferred until next Wednesday, when an adjourned meeting will be held in this city.

The members of the association so far determined upon are: Kansas City, Minneapolis, Louisville and Louisville. Eight clubs in all will comprise the association, but those present at the meeting today declined to say what the three other cities would be, saying that they would be made from a list of half a dozen places which made application for membership.

The management of the association will be under the patronage of the American League, as several of the managers of that organization were present to lend their advice and support in the formation of the association. The presidents of the local organizations which are already in the organization will be as follows: Kansas City, N. B. Cuskaden; Louisville, Clarence Tauls; Detroit, Thomas Van Allen; Toledo, Charles Stroebel. No announcement was made as to the president of the Louisville club, and when his name was called for it was announced that it would be determined at a later date.

TO STOP FIGHTS IN ST. LOUIS

Chief of Police Announces He Will Not Permit Tonight's Mills at Coliseum.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 28.—Chief of Police Campbell announced today that he would not permit the boxing bouts or prize fights that were scheduled to take place at the West End coliseum tonight.

Easy Colds

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Would you feel relieved if you could raise something? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise more mucus in the morning?

Then you should always keep on hand a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

HOW TO KILL OFF THE HOPPERS

Nebraska Man Debates the Several Methods Used for Destroying the Insect Pests.

The introduction of alfalfa into the western portion of Nebraska has led to localities or somewhat the summer grasshopper and in some neighborhoods in the Platte and Republican valleys there has been quite a decided increase in their numbers.

On the 22nd of the month the grasshoppers were not now bred very abundantly on the table lands. In those localities the grasses dry out early in the season and there is a tendency of this family of grasshoppers to move to the cultivated areas.

SEVERAL CLOSE FINISHES

Racing at Tanforan Develops Racing of Heart-Breaking Variety.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28.—The racing at Tanforan today was marked by several close finishes. In the first race, Free Lance, vigorously ridden by Nash Turner, won by a narrow margin.

Second race, six furlongs, selling: Florio, 10 (Dominick), 2 to 1; won; Racetto, 10 (Gray), 12 to 1; second; Alamo, 10 (O'Connor), 2 to 1; third. Time: 1:00.50.

Third race, one mile, free handicap: Jim, 10 (Turner), 8 to 1; won; Sad Sam, 10 (Eaton), 10 to 1; second; Andrattus, 11 (Bue), 15 to 1; third. Time: 1:29.50.

Fourth race, six furlongs, selling: Albert, 10 (Cochran), 3 to 1; won; Avator, 10 (Walsh), 4 to 1; second; Time: 1:18.50.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, selling: W. B. Bates, 10 (Dance), 8 to 1; won; Handout, 10 (Mason), 10 to 1; second; Judge Mackee, 10 (Ward), 2 to 1; third. Time: 1:23.

UNCLE SAM SUES ABE JONES

Would Recover Loss Resulting from a Deal in Horses.

ALLEGES ABE FAILED TO FILL CONTRACT Was to Furnish Fifty-Three Cavalry Horses of Certain Grade, but Offered Only Those That Would Not Accept.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Dec. 28.—(Special.)—In accordance with instructions from the War department at Washington, the United States attorney's office in this city has just instituted a suit against Abe Jones of Whitewood, S. D., and his bondsmen, Charles Francis and John Monheim of Sturgis, for failure to comply with the terms of a contract to supply the quartermaster's department at Fort Meade with fifty-three cavalry horses.

The contract is dated May 19, 1900. A bond of \$8,000, with himself as principal and Francis and Monheim as sureties, was furnished the government. The specifications set forth in the advertisement of the government called for animals of certain sizes and weights.

The female grasshopper deposits from six to eight eggs in a little sac which is in an upright position in the ground, and deposits in ground firm enough that the sand may not run in and fill the hole while the eggs are being deposited.

More eggs hatch in alfalfa fields than in farm crop fields for the reason that land devoted to farm crops is almost invariably moved, cultivated, or plowed, the eggs displaced and destroyed.

PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—B. H. Lien and F. M. Brown today resigned as members of the State Board of Charities and Corrections and the resignation has been accepted.

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WESTERN TURFMEAN'S MEETING

Membership Almost Disrupted by Rule Limiting Racing Dates at Two Principal Tracks.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Delegates to the special meeting of the Western Turf congress were called to order at the Wellington hotel shortly after noon today. The meeting was held for the purpose of reconsidering the rule passed at the last annual meeting of the congress, limiting dates for racing at the different tracks that are members of the association.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—By the close vote of seven to six the Western Turf congress today voted to rescind the rule limiting racing on Chicago and St. Louis tracks between June 10 and November 15.

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MEETING AT YANKTON ENDS

State Educational Association of South Dakota Closes Very Satisfactory Convention.

YANKTON, S. D., Dec. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The State Educational Association closed its last session this afternoon. Valuable papers were read by President Heston of the Agricultural college on "The Kind of Education for South Dakota," by Prof. Smith, now president of the association, on "Education of Girls," by President Norton of Baptist college on "Ethical Culture in Public Schools," and by Prof. Hamlin of the Santee Indian Training school on "Educating Indians."

FUSIONISTS FEEL ELATED Believe That Lee's Appointments of New Board Members Insure Future Control for Them.

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