

## OMAHA BATTERS ONE WOLFE

Sixteen Hits Made Off Big Bill Wolfe's Philadelphia Prize

## VICTORY COMES AS EASY AS LOSING

Roulette Takes First from the Distillers in Such Fashion as to Surprise Even Their Closest Friends.

"Pat" Roulette's aggregation of ball tossers got together yesterday at Vinton street park and knocked a nice, ripe apple off the tree in the shape of the game by a score of 5 to 4. It was one of those kinds of games that you read about and that the old boys tell about. It was exhilarating in all its ramifications.

Henderson pitched a game for Omaha that makes him look like a man with a reputation. If he had started in a law office at \$2 a week he might have become a millionaire. He has lost his opportunity and now he just has to pitch ball. But he can do that if he keeps on like he did yesterday. They only got seven hits off of him, but they bunched them on him in the seventh. As for Wolfe, the dinky man from the Philadelphia Nationals, little need be said. All who saw the game can readily see how Peoria happened to get him. He was simply by Carter and Genina and the other boys drew circles all around him with their bats.

Some Nice Playing.

Omaha started out right. Thiel was first up and lambasted the ball into Dolan's hand, then Shugart drew a pass to first and Lassotte picked out a ball and dubbed it over to Stewart, and they were doubled up. The crowd was satisfied that maybe Omaha could play ball anyhow and settled down to watch the game.

So it went with both sides for four cheery innings and a side was put third, although the Roulettees were landing on the ball in every conceivable manner and quite often. In the fifth Henderson got busy and batted in with a single, then Carter started to make his third hit of the day, but his bat slipped and he fouled out. Genina knocked a single and Henderson stretched three while Genina was trying to stretch it a base. They got Genina between two vicious distillers and began playing a little town lot game and Henderson started home. Wall saw him and sought to cover himself with glory by throwing him out, but he didn't know Henderson's fingers were crossed, and it went under his glove. Then Wolfe rounded up the ball and threw it over second base with the intent of luring Genina, but Genina smiled and cantered in while they were chasing the ball. Well, that was all for the inning. In the next they started at it again and they got Dolan around on a pass, a sacrifice and a single. That made it 3 to 0 and the bleachers smiled.

Ah! But was was the lot of one Henderson this next inning. Holly sauntered to first on four wild ones and Friend sent the ball clear to the outfield and second base on it. Thiel then came in all of his glory and fancy rags, but it wasn't for him to touch the ball even, Wolfe dragged a hit out of the rummage sale and there were three on bases. Thiel hadn't a hit yet, and so he started to do things and shot it out in right, but Carter ran after it, fell down, got up again and grabbed it by the scruff of the neck, but couldn't get it home before one run had entered in. Not that it would have mattered much, as about that time the crowd drew singles and brought two more any before the killing was over.

Wild Time for Omaha.

In its half of the inning Omaha could do nothing, but they laid low and in the eighth got busy for fair. It wasn't ball. It was a holocaust, a massacre and wholesale murder combined. Stewart started it with a double to left and Patterson and Carter pretty one into Lassotte's hands, but he dropped it just for auld lang syne. Then they took a whiff at it and while Thomas, Carter, Genina and Stewart were getting singles and Preston a whacking double six runs cantered in.

The Distillers got another score for consolation's sake at the end on a base on balls, an error and a long fly. The same teams meet today. Score:

| AB.            | R. | B. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Carter, rf.    | 4  | 2  | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Genina, cf.    | 4  | 2  | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Preston, lf.   | 4  | 2  | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Welch, lb.     | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Dolan, ss.     | 1  | 1  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Stewart, 2b.   | 4  | 1  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Patterson, 3b. | 4  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Thomas, c.     | 4  | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Henderson, p.  | 4  | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Totals         | 32 | 15 | 27 | 0  | 0  | 0  |

| AB.           | R. | B. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Thiel, lf.    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Shugart, 2b.  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Lassotte, rf. | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Wall, lb.     | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Holly, ss.    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Friend, cf.   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Thiel, 3b.    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Wolfe, c.     | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Kearney, p.   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Totals        | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |

Kearney batted for Wolfe in the ninth inning.

Omaha: 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 5-14  
Peoria: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-4

Earned runs: Omaha, 5; Peoria, 2. Two-base hits: Stewart, Preston. Three-base hit: Genina. Sacrifice hits: Henderson, 2; off Wolfe, 1. Struck out: Henderson, 5; by Wolfe, 1. Hit by pitcher: By Wolfe, 1. Sacrifice batted for: Preston, Dolan, Stewart. Stolen base: Friend. Double play: Stewart to Dolan to Welch. Time: 1:45. Umpire: Brennan.

Good Play Scores for Milwaukee.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 16.—Milwaukee won today's game by good batting and holding at critical times. Attendance, 1,300. Score:

| AB.        | R. | B. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Milwaukee  | 10 | 6  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Des Moines | 10 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Totals     | 20 | 6  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |

Springers Takes First One.

COLORADO SPRINGS, May 16.—Colorado Springs took the first game of the series from St. Joseph. Attendance, 1,200. Score:

| AB.          | R. | B. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|--------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Col. Springs | 10 | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| St. Joseph   | 10 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Totals       | 20 | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |

Batteries: St. Joseph, Chinn and Garvin; Colorado Springs, Velleman and Doran.

KANSAS CITY WINS.

DENVER, May 16.—The local team was somewhat handicapped by the absence of Frick, one of its heaviest hitters, who fractured a bone in his left forearm while

sliding home yesterday. Today's game was a poor one. Score:

| AB.         | R. | B. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Kansas City | 10 | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Denver      | 10 | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Totals      | 20 | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |

Batteries: Denver, Lemke and Latimer; Kansas City, Cable and Meador.

STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS.

Played Won Lost P.C.

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