CONSTRUE DEBATED RULE

Players May Be Drafted by Major Leagues Regardless of Prior Conditions.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION LOSES POINT

Base Ball Commission Assigns Players Drafted Under Terms of Agreement to Clubs Drafting Them, Settling Many Contests.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 26.—The National Base Ball commission, with Chairman August Herrmann, Secretary J. E. Bruce, Harry C. Pulliam, president of the National league, and Ban B. Johnson, president of the American league, present, was in session here all day and adjourned tonight without taking action on the case of Ambrose Putnam, John Hickey, E. S. Quick, Arthur Devlin, Charles Jones, Gus Dundon, O. J. Ferry, M. McIntyre, John J. Dillon, P. J. Donovan, McPherson and Ferry and Mr. Laudenslager. Among those who appeared before the commission during the day were President P. T. Powers and Secretary J. H. Farrell of the National Association of Minor Leagues; H. W. Lucas, president of the Pacific National league; M. H. Sexton, president of the Western league; B. B. Burke, Denver; T. J. Brice, William Climes, Robert Quinn, Columbus; T. C. Griffith, J. J. Nevin and William Murray, Jersey City; Edward Hanlon, Baltimore; W. W. Burnham, Newark, N. J.; George Stallings, Buffalo; George Tebeau, Louisville; Edward Barrows, Detroit, and W. M. Kavanaugh.

The most important work of the day was the decision establishing the absolute right of the major leagues to draft players from the minor leagues, and when this matter was settled it carried with it results affecting most of the twenty-one contests presented for players. Claims for Augustus Doerne, drafted by Cleveland from Columbus and claimed by Decatur, were withdrawn.

The first case decided was that of Roscoe Miller, a pitcher awarded to the Pittsburg Nationals instead of the New York Americans.

James Cockman and E. B. Kaufman claimed to have been purchased by the Philadelphia National team, were awarded to Milwaukee.

Two New Rules.

Two additional rules, Nos. 24 and 25, were added to the national agreement.

Rule 24 provides that each club must send to the secretary of the national commission before August in each year a list of its purchased players and that no one not on such list can ever be claimed after that date.

Rule 25 provides that there shall be no purchases of releases of players made during the drafting period and that such purchases would not be allowed as against the draft of any such players. It was held that section 8 of the national agreement was conflicting with section 6 and a definite interpretation was made so that the drafting period would be from September 1 to October 15, with no sales permitted during that time.

After the commission adjourned the following official document was given out:

Regarding the contention of committee representing the National Association relative to sales agreements, purchases and contracts for and with players for 1904 made prior to September 11, 1903, it is contended by Messrs. Powers, Farrell and Sexton, the committee that represented the National Association when the national agreement was adopted that all sales, agreements, purchases and contracts for and with players for 1904 by club members of said association, made prior to September 11, 1903, the day of the adoption of the national agreement, are binding and cannot be disturbed; and that article 8, section vi, of the national agreement providing for the drafting of players does not apply to these cases.

Held Against National.

The members of the committee have given this question a great deal of consideration and we are of the unanimous opinion that the contention of the committee of the National Association with respect to this matter is not justified by any provision of the national agreement or by any action of the representatives of either party to it during its discussion at Buffalo and Cincinnati previous to its final adoption. The very fact that the representatives of the National Association at no time during the discussion of the provision of the agreement, providing for the drafting of players, made claim of players that were to be exempt, in itself, makes their position at this time a questionable one. In fact, no claim of this kind was made by either of them until the first day of the drafting period, which by agreement was fixed on September 21, of this year. When they ratified the national agreement they agreed to it word for word, both in letter and in spirit. The language of section vi, article 6, is clear, explicit and cannot be misunderstood by anyone, namely:

"Section vi—The right of a minor league club to its players shall be absolute, except that from September 1 to October 15 of each year major league clubs shall have the privilege of selecting players from the National clubs for the following season, etc."

From this section it will be seen that from September 1 to October 15 of each year the title of every minor league club to its players is qualified so that any major league club has a positive right to draft any minor league player, providing the conditions of the above section are adhered to.

While this may work a hardship at times, it should not be forgotten that every club member of the National Association, under this agreement, is assured absolute protection in their rights to players at all times and that they can dispose of players by private sale, either before or after the drafting period, and are assured that no player can be taken from them without compensation at any time. It should also be borne in mind that if the National Association committee was right in its contention, the very object of the agreement, insofar as it pertains to players, would be violated, for players could not advance in their profession if this practice was to be followed.

Players Assigned Under Rule.

Our finding is that the drafting of players during the prescribed term must take precedence over everything, and that in all instances where players have been drafted during the drafting period and all the conditions of section vi, article 6, complied with, players belong to the clubs by whom drafted.

We find therefore that the following players in addition to those about whom there is no dispute, have been regularly drafted under the provisions of the agreement, and all conditions complied with, and belong to the clubs by whom drafted:

Champ Osteen awarded to Washington club, American league; Ed A. Walsh, awarded to Chicago, American league; Thomas Jones, awarded to St. Louis, American league; James Delehanty, awarded to Boston, National league; Albert Jacobson, awarded to Washington, American league; Fred C. Raymer, awarded to Boston, National league; George Wrigley, awarded to Chicago, American league; Fisher, awarded to Boston National league; Roy Montgomery, awarded to New York, American league; Frank Smith, awarded to Chicago, American league; Tom Dougherty, awarded to Chicago, American league; Joseph Bean, awarded to Pittsburg, National league. All other players who have been drafted under the terms of the National agreement in compliance with the conditions of article 6, section vi, are hereby awarded to the respective clubs so drafting them.

We also recommend that a copy of this presentation be sent to the president of the American league, to the president of the National league, and to J. H. Farrell, secretary of the National association.

HARRY C. PULLIAM,
B. B. JOHNSON,
AUGUST HERRMANN,
Commissioners.

EVENTS ON RUNNING TRACKS

Athlana Wins First Race of Queens County Jockey Club at Aqueduct.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The fall meeting of the Queens County Jockey club opened today at Aqueduct and a big crowd was in attendance. Athlana, at 100 to 1, won the first race in a driving finish by half a length from Illyria. Results:

First race, handicap, six furlongs: Athlana won, Illyria second, Lady Amelia third. Time: 1:14⅘.

Second race, selling, one mile: All Gold won, Nevermore second, Meistersinger third. Time: 1:52⅘.

Third race, The Creedmoor, six furlongs: Juvenal Maxim won, Divination second, Race King third. Time: 1:14⅘.

Fourth race, Aqueduct handicap, mile and one-sixteenth: Wild Thyme won, Embarrassment second, Ahumada third. Time: 1:45⅘.

Fifth race, selling, five furlongs: Scotch Plume won, Belle of Bellemeade second, Oriskany third. Time: 1:02.

Sixth race, selling, five furlongs: Julia M. won, Agnes Brennan second, Conkling third. Time: 1:01⅘.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Results:

First race, five and a half furlongs: Mayor Johnson won, Zyra second, Kimberley third. Time: 1:08.

Second race, six furlongs: Soldier of Fortune won, General Steward second, Instrument third. Time: 1:14⅘.

Third race, one mile: Anecke won, Incubator second, Dolly Hayman third. Time: 1:29⅘.

Fourth race, six furlongs: Bummer won, Gregor K. second, The Don third. Time: 1:13⅘.

Fifth race, one mile and one-sixteenth: Mesezo won, Christine A. second, Dodie S. third. Time: 1:47⅘.

Sixth race, one mile and seventy yards: Benson Caldwell won, Bluemint second, Sidney Sabath third. Time: 1:45⅘.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 26.—Results:

First race, five furlongs: Our Lillie won, Lady Thistle second, Lady Fonso third. Time: 1:02.

Second race, six furlongs: Harry Beck won, General Frig second, Mr. Phinizy third. Time: 1:16¼.

Third race, five and one-half furlongs: Woodson won, Kiowa Chief second, Tom Mankins third. Time: 1:08⅘.

Fourth race, six furlongs, handicap: Malster won, Frank Bell second, Lady Idris third. Timer 1:14.

Fifth race, one mile and one-sixteenth: Athelroy won, Glennevis second, Lady Strathmore third. Time: 1:48⅘.

Sixth race, one mile and seventy yards: Lasse won, Pierce J second, Helen Print third. Time: 1:46⅘.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 26.—Results:

First race, six furlongs: Naulahka won, Dave Sommers second, Barkelmore third. Time: 1:15⅘.

Second race, five furlongs: Edna Shannon won, Mai Lowery second, Vallarambla third. Time: 1:02⅘.

Third race, one mile: Flora Bright won, Chickadee second, Flaneur third. Time: 1:41.

Fourth race, steeplechase, handicap, short course: Eva Mae won, Falella second, Itacatiara third. Time: 3:35.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs: Kern won, Circular Joe second, Cheboygan third. Time: 1:10.

Sixth race, one mile and fifty yards: Mosketo won, Bud Embry second, Frank Mc third. Time: 1:46⅘.

WIND STOPS MAJOR DELMAR

Champion Gelding Fails to Go Against His Record at Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 26.—Major Delmar, the two-minute gelding, was carded for an attempt to try for his own record, but owing to the prevalence of a strong wind the event was postponed until tomorrow. It was also announced that Dan Patch would go again at 2:04, the half-mile record for pacers, tomorrow.

Today's stake feature was the Magnolia for 2:15 trotters. Masetto and Jay McGregor were equal favorites for the first heat. The former easily won, and in the second heat he still decided favorite over the field. Masetto had no trouble in annexing this heat and the race, Jay McGregor securing second money.

Directum Miller, the favorite, won the 2:21 pace, after breaking badly and finishing third in the first heat.

The 2:25 trot went to Cathode, which beat the odds-on favorite, Kirkwood Junior, in two straight heats. The result might have been different had not an accident occurred in the second heat. Immediately after the start Kirkwood Junior broke badly and Great Spirit, owned by Senator Bailey of Texas, and driven by Marvin, collided with Geers' sulky. Marvin was thrown heavily to the ground, while Great Spirit ran through the field and completed the circuit of the track three times. Summary:

Pacing, 2:21 class, purse $1,000:

Directum Miller, br. h. (Brady)	3	1	1
Line O'Gold, ch. m. (Stanley)	1	2	2
Argus Pointer, b. g. (McPherson)	2	3	3
Double Z., b. h. (Andrews)	4	4	4

Time: 2:08¾, 2:09¼, 2:09¾.

Trotting, 2:15 class, Magnolia stake, value $2,000:

Masetto, blk. g. (Dickerson)	1	1	
Jay McGregor, b. h. (Hudson)	2	2	
The Quaker, b. g. (Geers)	3	3	
Dillon Boy, b. h. (Walker)	8	4	
Tonso, rn. g. (Fenlon)	4	5	

Time: 2:08¾, 2:08¾.

Trotting, 2:25 class, purse $1,000:

Cathode, ch. g. (Andrews)	1	1	
John Caldwell, b. g. (Thompson)	2	2	
Baraja, b. g. (Shaw)	5	3	
Kirkwood Junior, br. h. (Geers)	3	5	
Anna Guy, b. m. (Thomas)	4	4	
Great Spirit, b. m. (Marvin)	6	ds	

Time: 2:12¾, 2:14¾.

In an amateur trotting match Ida Highwood, driven by Mr. Smathers, took two straight heats from George Muscovite, with Mr. Gaylord up, in 2:09¾ and 2:10¾.

GRAND ISLAND BEATS HASTINGS

Snappy Game Without a Kick Results in Score of Twenty-Three to Nothing.

HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Hastings lost in a game of foot ball today to Grand Island college by a score of 23 to 0. From start to finish the game was full of snap and ginger and many star plays were made. On the defensive Hastings made a reputation for itself. The feature of the game was the fact that not a single kick was registered from either side. The lineup:

HASTINGS.		GRAND ISLAND.
Gammon	L E	L E ..... Foote
Osborne	L T	L T ..... Hewitt
Walford	L G	L G ..... Davis
McDougal	C	C ..... Smith
Forrester (C)	Q B	Q B ..... Larrick (C)
Sauer	R G	R G ..... Cornish
Carpenter	R T	R T ..... West
Powers	R E	R E ..... Starr
Brown	R H b	R H b ..... Sutherland
Hall	L H B	L H B ..... Davis
Montgomery	F B	F B ..... Bengtze

Touchdowns: Davis and Sutherland. Umpires, Adam Breede and Robinson. Timer, Miner. Linesman, Peters.

With the Bowlers.

On Clark's alleys last evening the Omahas won two of three games from the Armours. The score:

OMAHAS.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Wilman	190	212	190	592
Zerp	181	118	174	465
Lehmann	152	152	180	484
Huntington	162	190	158	510
Emery	141	226	192	559
Totals	869	898	871	2,638

ARMOURS.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Gilchrist	187	169	163	519
Potter	182	175	194	544
Brunke	147	192	183	522
Schneider	192	171	175	538
Denman	196	159	135	490
Totals	887	848	834	2,579

Auto Races.

Among the events of interest to the local sporting world in general and automobile enthusiasts in particular is a series of auto races to be held on the one mile track in Council Bluffs Saturday afternoon next.

A new race is scheduled between the White steamer and the Peerless, as the trial spin of last Tuesday was not considered a fair test, owing to conditions unfavorable to the White. Two new competitors for the honors in the touring car class are the Locomobile and the Winton, which are looked upon as dangerous rivals of the Peerless and the White.

In the runabout class the Cadillac, Oldsmobile, Rambler and Orient Buckboard will compete. The first event will be pulled off at 1:30 sharp.

FIRE ENGINE FIRMS CONTEST

International and Nott Engine Companies Both Want to Sell.

NOTT REPRESENTATIVE BEFORE COUNCIL

Mayor and Fire Chief Favor Metropolitan Engine, but Council May Arrange for Competition Test.

Fire engines and the respective merits of the trust and anti-trust machines were discussed before the council in committee session yesterday afternoon. Only five councilmen were present, however, and it was decided to defer action for a week or two. The city is about to buy a steamer for the engine house under construction at Eleventh and Jackson streets, and the mayor and fire chief had decided that the "Metropolitan" engine, manufactured by the International Fire Engine company, which is the trust, is the best steamer on the market.

E. A. Wilkinson, sales agent for the Nott Fire Engine company of Minneapolis, the sole independent firm, disputed this point and said his engine is superior. He asked for a competitive test, and some of the councilmen seemed to favor such a demonstration, but the mayor and Chief Salter did not, saying that the city is not in a position to experiment with fire apparatus.

Mr. Wilkinson stated that he had written Chief Salter on October 14, asking information concerning the proposed purchase and requesting a chance to submit a proposition. The chief replied that it had been decided to buy a "Metropolitan" engine, for the reason that he considered it the best. The agent yesterday offered to sell the Nott steamer for $5,250, freight prepaid, against the price of $5,500, f. o. b., Cincinnati, named by the trust.

He said he had sought and failed to receive a hearing before the advisory board, which had recommended the purchase of the "Metropolitan" engine. Concerning a test which resulted disastrously for the Nott engine at Atlantic City a year ago, Wilkinson admitted that his steamer had been badly worsted, but insinuated that it had been done by unfair methods, and that he had learned "to sleep with his engine" while making tests. The trial was under peculiarly unfortunate conditions, he declared, and since then many improvements have been made and a new boiler just perfected which he believes to be the peer of any in use.

Chief Salter Against a Nott Engine.

The fire engine man used up more than an hour talking about the Nott engine and his competitors and read proposed articles for a competitive test in Omaha. He wanted this, he said, to demonstrate his claim that his machine is the best, or to pay the expenses of the fire chief or a reliable machinist to Minneapolis to examine an engine being built for Atlanta, Ga. Lastly, he said he would be willing to bring this engine to Omaha enroute and show what it could do. It is smaller than the kind Omaha wants, the largest size in common use being what is demanded here.

Telegrams from Thomas Sturgis, fire commissioner of New York City, which is using five Nott engines, and from five other cities using the engine, were submitted by Comptroller Lobeck. Each wire said the Nott engines had given entire satisfaction.

Chief Salter said a year and a half ago, when he was making inquiries as to fire engines, the Nott engine was not then on the market; that he found the Metropolitan engine warmly commended everywhere; that it had been tried and proven meritorious, combing all the good features of the standard fire engines, the manufacturers of which had combined. When asked by Councilman Nicholson if he had any objections to a competitive test he replied in the negative, but said he didn't see any reason for such a trial.

Mayor Favors Metropolitan.

Mayor Moores said that Omaha wanted the best engine on the market, and later was aroused to a somewhat vigorous defense of the Metropolitan engine. Councilmen Nicholson and Evans urged that the only way to determine the best engine is to test them and favored Wilkinson's proposal to build an engine, submit it for competition with the trust, the loser to pay the expenses and the city to buy the winning engine.

The mayor said that the International Fire Engine company wished 100 days to build the engine and that it should be delivered not later than February 1. The fire chief, he asserted, knew more about fire engines than the remainder of the city officers and his judgment should be taken as to the best engine. "The question of a few hundred dollars should not be considered," said the mayor. "It is the quality of the engine. The Nott engine has not proved itself yet and the other has. They offer us the Metropolitan as cheap as surrounding cities have obtained it."

Mayor and Wilkinson Have Words.

Wilkinson then proposed that Chief Salter come to Minneapolis at his expense to observe the workings of the Nott steamer, several fire chiefs from leading cities having promised to attend the exhibition. The chief, however, flatly declined, saying that he did not wish to be placed in the position of judge.

The sales agent then offered to exhibit the Atlanta, Ga., engine in Omaha enroute south, but the mayor and the fire chief did not seem disposed to favor this either. Later his honor and Wilkinson had some rather warm conversation, which fell just a little short of being an open quarrel. Wilkinson told of some of the maneuvers of the trust and incidents of cutting prices, including a reduction of $2,400 for three engines sold to Chicago last year.

The councilmen — Zimman, Nicholson, Back, Evans and Huntington—talked over the matter in executive session, but refused to say what they concluded to do, other than that the matter would be held open a week or so to give the other councilmen a chance to participate in the discussion and decision.

Foot Ball at Creighton.

A mass meeting of the students and faculty was held at Creighton university last evening to discuss athletic matters, special reference being made to the game last Saturday at Des Moines with Highland Park.

The speakers included Father O'Connor, prefect of studies; Coach McDonald, Manager Jenal, Captain Callahan and Professor Brockman. The team was complimented in glowing terms. The poor showing it made at Highland Park was due to the injury of five of its best men, including Captain Callahan.

The strongest players on the team were injured in the recent game with South Dakota. Last night all were out for practice and it is proposed to put the team in first-class shape and get it ready for the hard battles which are yet before it.

Accused Guards Admitted to Bail.

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 26.—Edward A. Sorrels and Samuel Flynn, the men held by the coroner's jury for the murder of Thomas Hartley, an inmate of the Bartonville insane asylum, were taken before Judge Worthington on habeas corpus proceedings today. He decided to admit them to bail in the sum of $10,000 each, which they have not yet given.

Mitchell Wins from Redfield.

MITCHELL, S. D., Oct. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Mitchell university defeated Redfield college in a hard fought game here this afternoon. Score: Mitchell, 17; Redfield, 5.

WOMAN IN CLUB AND CHARITY

The year book of the Iowa Federation of Women's Clubs for 1903-1904 is out this week and is most complete in every particular, with a complete directory of clubs, according to district, excellent committee reports and reports of officers, the reciprocity list, constitution and bylaws and a folding map of the state, according to districts, in the back. There are also blank pages for memorandums. First among the notices appears the following excellent advice, that might profitably be accepted and followed by the women of Nebraska as well as of Iowa: "The excellent recommendation of my predecessor, that each club provide for 'State Federation day' in its program, should be adopted by the federated clubs. Read and discuss the state year book in order to familiarize yourselves and keep in touch with the work of the federation." (Signed) President I. F. W. C.

In her greeting to the clubs Mrs. Alice G. Fletcher, state president, after reciting some of the benefits that have come through the state organization, closes with the following words: "With the interest and co-operation of every one of the 10,500 club women of Iowa, the possibilities for good would be unlimited. We only ask that you freely receive what we freely give."

The educational committee, Mrs. Helen C. Montgomery of Council Bluffs, chairman, makes a plea for co-operation in introducing into the curriculum of the schools of the state, manual training and domestic science; also in aiding in the effort to secure a building for the teaching of domestic science at the State college at Ames.

The art committee especially commends the work of clubs placing works of art in the school rooms, also the art loan exhibits that have been provided by many clubs. It further advises attention to the arts and crafts movement and hopes to be able to provide good programs for Arts and Crafts day.

The household economics committee says frankly: "We are living too far from the kitchen, the heart of all homes. We are slowly but surely disgracing this family altar, delegating its priestly offices to barbarian hands. In other words, we have degraded kitchen work and placed a social ban upon all women who dare to take it up as a means of livelihood. We trust that no club will turn from this without giving at least one hour during the year for the consideration of this vital question. If not deemed worthy a well written paper, then give a short time to the discussion of why kitchen work should be thought degrading and the best means of changing public opinion in this matter."

The child labor committee suggests that the clubs confer with their legislators concerning child labor before the meeting of the legislature in January, calling their attention to what other states are doing in this matter and arousing an interest in it.

The club program committee makes a plea for a specialized program, pointing out that many clubs are still trying to crowd too much into one club year and losing much thereby.

The club extension committee is pushing plans for several district meetings to be held this autumn and urges that they be well attended.

There was a meeting of the club women of Council Bluffs last week to plan for the entertainment of the meeting of the Ninth district of the federation, which will be held in Council Bluffs December 1 and 2. Mrs. Thomas Metcalf is president of the local committee. There are in all twenty-four clubs in the Ninth district federation and about twice that number not affiliated, and entertainment will be provided for the president and two delegates from every club in the district. To meet the expense incidental to the entertainment of the convention, each member of the clubs entertaining has been assessed 25 cents. Over 150 women were registered at the Red Oak meeting last year and it is expected that the number will greatly exceed that at the coming meeting. The state president, Mrs. Fletcher, and the ex-president, Mrs. Bailey of Des Moines, will be the guests of the meeting, besides several other prominent women of Iowa and Nebraska who are on the program.

Mrs. F. W. Miller, corresponding secretary of the Nebraska Federation of Women's clubs, has recently removed from Douglas to Lincoln, to make her home. Her address now is 1005 D street.

The following clipping from a Lincoln club column may afford some satisfaction if nothing more to some of the local club women. The regrettable part of it all is that club officers have not learned to avoid the sort of thing that occasions this kind of misunderstanding:

Some misapprehension seems to exist in reference to the breakfast given for Mrs. Denison on her recent visit to this city. A few members of the Woman's club have been quoted as saying that the officers and board of departments had been feasting at the expense of the club's treasury. This is entirely untrue. The ladies who gave the breakfast bore the expense individually. The number of visitors to be entertained, some eight or ten being in the party from Fremont, made it desirable that a number of ladies combine in giving the breakfast. The reception in the afternoon was another affair, being complimentary to Mrs. Denison from the whole Woman's club. It is said that many women were absent from the reception through miss at not being invited to the earlier function, but, perhaps, their desire to sit at table with the national president would have been lessened had they known that all the Lincoln women present bore a share of the expense, with the exception of two or three who were invited at short notice to fill vacancies. The arrangements for tickets also interfered with the attendance at the reception. In smaller clubs no membership tickets are issued and the majority of the members of the Woman's club had not secured theirs.

Crescens Not Badly Injured.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 26.—George C. Ketcham, owner of the champion stallion Crescens, said today that the horse suffered only trivial injuries at Sapulpa, I. T., last Saturday and was not hurt about the legs. Mr. Ketcham said that Crescens' effort to lower the mile record over a half mile track here Saturday would be absolutely his last trial against time. "Crescens will never again try to break a record after his effort Saturday," said Mr. Ketcham. "It will be absolutely his last trial. I intend sending him to Toledo, and thereafter he will be in the stud."

Elkins is Some Better.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—The condition of William L. Elkins, the multi-millionaire, who is critically ill at his home here, is reported today to be slightly improved. The report that surgeons had found it necessary to amputate the patient's leg in order to check the spread of gangrene was denied by members of the family.

Joliet Plant Resumes Work.

JOLIET, Ill., Oct. 26.—The Joliet plant of the Illinois Steel company resumed work today in all departments after a shutdown of three weeks. The resumption gives employment to 2,000 men. The Enterprise plant of the American Steel and Wire company is also in operation again.

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I've such a terrible headache," need never be said again. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills quickly cure and positively prevent headache and all bodily pain. No opiates, non-laxative, never sold in bulk. Guaranteed. All druggists. 25 doses 25 cents. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

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$2.00 Alkavi's Kidney Cure we sell.....$1.75
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Anti-Germ is a powerful disinfectant and deodorant.
50c Antiphlogistine we sell..... 40c
25c Arnica Tooth Soap we sell..... 20c
50c Ayer's Cherry Pectoral we sell 40c
$1.00 Ayer's Cherry Pectoral we sell.. 80c
$1.00 Ayer's Hair Vigor we sell..... 80c
Ayer's Pectoral Plasters we sell.. 20c
Ayer's Pills we sell..... 20c
$1.00 Ayer's Sarsapatila we sell..... 80c
50c Armour's Extract Beef we sell.... 40c
$1.00 Armour's Extract Beef we sell... 80c
$1.00 Athlephorus we sell 80c
Arsenic Complexion Wafers with iron, the great blood enricher and skin whitener, fifteen days' treatment 50c, 33 days' treatment $1. By mail upon receipt of price.
$1 Baker's Barley-Malt Whiskey we sell 75c
Per dozen $8.00
This is the finest Malt Whiskey made.
50c Bar-Ben we sell..... 40c
50c Ballard's Hoarhound Syrup we sell 40c
25c Beecham's Cough Pills we sell.... 20c
$1 Beef, Wine and Iron we sell 50c
Bird Manna—makes birds sing..... 15c
Bird Seed, German Mixed, per 1 pound package we sell..... 4c
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50c Birney's Catarrh Powder we sell.. 40c
35c Bitter Water (imported) we sell... 25c
50c Blackberry Cordial we sell..... 25c
25c Black Draught we sell..... 20c
$1.00 Booth's Hyomei Inhaler, complete, we sell..... 80c
50c Borolyptol we sell 40c
25c Boschee's German Syrup we sell.. 20c
50c Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup we sell 40c
60c Bovinine we sell 50c
$1.00 Botanic Blood Balm we sell..... 80c
25c Brandreth's Pills we sell..... 19c
Small Bromo-Caffeine we sell..... 10c
50c Bromo-Chloralum we sell 40c
50c Bromo-Seltzer we sell 40c
25c Brown's Camph. Tooth Powder we sell 20c
25c Brown's Bronchial Troches we sell 19c
$1.00 Brimidia (Battles) we sell 85c
25c Buckien's Arnica Salve we sell..... 20c
25c Bull's Cough Syrup we sell..... 20c
50c Burkhart's Vegetable Compound we sell 40c
$1.00 Burnham's Sarsaparilla we sell.... 49c
We sell over forty styles of Atomizers and Nebulizers.
Small Caldwell's Syrup of Pepsin, our price 10c
25c Camphor Ice we sell..... 10c
25c Carter's Little Liver Pills we sell.. 19c
$1.00 Carlsbad Sprudel Salts we sell.... 85c
50c Carnick's Soluble Food we sell..... 40c
25c Cascarets we sell 20c
50c Cascarets we sell 40c
50c Castoria (genuine) we sell..... 25c
25c Chamberlain's Cough Syrup we sell 20c
$2.00 Chisholm's French Pennyroyal Pills we sell $1.00
$2 Chichester English Pennyroyal Pills—Diamond Brand....$1.74
$1.00 Crystal Tonic for 80c
$1.00 Cramer's Kidney Cure we sell 75c
50c Coke's Dandruff Cure we sell 40c
$1.00 Coke's Dandruff Cure we sell..... 80c
25c Colgate's Talcum Powder we sell.. 15c
Coldoids—quickest and safest cure for colds 25c
Coleman's Carbolated Ointment... 50c
For horses, cattle and other animals. A great healer.
Crystal Eye Water—Dr. Scott's—the quick cure for sore eyes.. 25c
By mail 30c
50c Cushman's Menthol inhaler we sell 40c
$1.00 Coltsfoot Expectorant we sell..... 89c
50c Cudahy's Extract Beef we sell..... 39c
25c Cuticura Soap we sell 20c
50c Cuticura Salve we sell 40c
50c Davis' Pain Killer we sell..... 39c
50c Dandeline we sell 40c
25c Davis' Headache Powders we sell.. 20c
$1.00 DeMiracle Hair Renewer we sell. 80c
25c Dewitt's One Minute Cough Cure we sell 20c
25c Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve we sell 20c
50c Dik's Tonic Tablets we sell 40c
50c Doan's Kidney Pills we sell..... 40c
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This remedy is sold and guaranteed by us for skin diseases.
25c Eagle brand Condensed Milk we sell 15c
25c Elbert's Tar and Wild Cherry we sell 20c
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50c Ely's Cream Balm we sell 40c
50c Eskay's Food we sell 40c
25c Espey's Fragrant Cream we sell.. 20c
25c Euthymol Tooth Paste we sell 20c
Eucalyptus Catarrh Jelly, the blandest and best remedy for catarrh. Sold in 25c and 50c sizes. Samples free.
$1.00 Fairchild's Essence of Pepsin we sell 85c
$1.50 Fellows' Syrup Hypophosphites we sell $1.15
50c Fig Syrup—genuine—we sell 39c
50c Fischer's Extract Beef (Liebig process) we sell 34c
$1.00 Five Drops we sell 80c
50c Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup we sell 40c
50c Gargling Oil we sell..... 39c
Small Garfield Tea we sell..... 20c
50c Glycothymoline we sell 40c
$1.00 Glycothymoline we sell..... 85c
50c Graham's Cucumber and Elder Flower Cream we sell 40c
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$1.00 Gray's Glycerine Tonic we sell..... 85c
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50c Hay's Hair Health we sell 40c
$1 Herpicide—Newbro's—we sell.. 79c

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50c Kay's Renovator Tablets we sell.. 40c
50c Kemp's Cough Balsam we sell..... 40c
$1.00 Kendall's Spavin Cure we sell..... 80c
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50c Kid-ne-olds (Morrow) we sell..... 40c
50c Kilmer's Swamp-Root we sell.39c
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25c Laxative Bromo-Quinine we sell.... 15c
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50c Liebig's Extract Beef (genuine) we sell 40c
50c Liquozone we sell..... 40c
$1 Liquozone we sell..... 80c
$1 Listerine—Lambert's—we sell. 74c
25c Listerine—Lambert's—we sell 19c
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$1.00 Maltine Preparations we sell..... 85c
50c Malted Milk (Horlick's) we sell..... 40c
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$3.50 Marvel Whirling Spray Syringes we sell.....$2.15
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50c Megrimmine (white or yellow) we sell 40c
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25c Mentholatum we sell..... 20c
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