

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE WEEK

Playing some ball. Omaha's team has made a little progress during the week, and is fast getting into condition to do what we have a reasonable right to expect from it.

Other members of the team have improved their fielding figures during the week. Welsh and Miller and Thomas went through the last five games without a bobble, but Carter and Goding each managed to stumble into an error.

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getting better, but he positively refuses to leave school before the end of the year and will not join the team till the 10th of June, when we will be playing Des Moines on the home grounds again.

Proster appears to be the goods. His wildness on Friday was due in a great measure to the fact that he hadn't worked any for ten days and the bad weather, but as soon as he learns the niceties of his position he will have a little something on all the rest of the second basemen in the blooming league.

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Only those who have experienced the awful itching and burning of Eczema can know how it feels to be consumed by the blistering, fiery acids oozing out through the pores of the skin.

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Advertisement for OPC (Optical) featuring a large logo and the text 'OPC'.