

SPORTING GOSSIP OF WEEK

Omaha Team Making Fine Showing in Everything But Hitting. CONCERTED PLAY IS ALMOST PERFECT. Defensive and Offensive Tactics of the Champions Much Enjoyed by Those Who Admire Snappy Base Ball.

Jogging along. If anybody isn't satisfied with the showing the Omaha team has made up to date let him take a peek at the files of a year ago and see where the Rousse family was at that time. That ought to answer any complaint that may arise from the present performance. The great trouble so far has been weak hitting, and this will certainly be changed for the better very soon.

Papa Bill is not a all-downcast by the slump in hitting, for he has faith that the improvement will come. He knows that for the present things have been breaking a little badly for his team, but the faith of long experience buoy him up and he looks for a better place in the standing table long before Omaha leaves home.

After a swing around the circle, President O'Neill expresses himself as being thoroughly confident of the success of the Western League for the current season. Everywhere he has found the people taking an immense interest in the game, the support accorded each club being of the most satisfactory kind.

Right here a word to Manager Mike Cantillon of Des Moines: The people along the circuit admire a scrappy ball player, an aggressive fighter, who plays the game from end to end, and is always on the alert; but they also know the difference between such a player and a rowdy, and rowdy ball doesn't win friends in the Western league.

The U. S. is Guarantor for every bottle of our Rye and Bourbon Whiskey, because we strictly obey the law passed by U. S. Congress and signed by the President (March 3rd, 1897). Hence those who really value a Pure Whiskey should demand Sunny Brook STRAIGHT WHISKEY BOTTLED IN BOND

on them, but it does mean that any objection they feel like raising must be done in a way that will not insult the people in the grandstand, who have paid their money to see a ball game, and on whose patronage base ball in Omaha depends.

The lost art of base running has experienced something of a revival, especially around Omaha. The daring steals that used to be so much a part of the game are again in evidence, and Carter, Thiel and other members of the team are making much trouble for the opposing catchers and basemen.

An association destined to do considerable good in its line is the American Motor League with headquarters in New York City. Its principal object is to encourage the safe and proper use of automobiles.

Barney Oldfield, the champion, is to be the star at the opening meet of the Morris Park Race track to be held at the Brighton Beach track on May 20. Oldfield does not intend to take part in the open races. He will attack the one-mile record and probably other marks and will endeavor to lower the figure from 5:28 to 5:15 if possible.

The Young Churchman's club, which was organized some time ago among the Episcopal churches of the city for the promotion of outdoor amusements among the younger members of the churches, has perfected the organization of a base ball league, which augurs well from the start.

The Raquet club will not close for the summer, but will be utilized nearly as much as in the winter, on account of the plunge bath, which is the pride of its members. While the weather is too hot in summer for the members to play raquet or squash ball, the club will be maintained for lunches and the water in the immense swimming pool will be kept at an even temperature, so that members can come at all hours and enjoy the blessings of a delightful swim.

There promises to be great activity among Harvard golfing circles this spring. All but one of the members of last year's team which won the intercollegiate championship were back at college, and the same set of new material. The university championship will be held over the course of the Oakley Golf club during the month and interclass matches will be played at the Brookline Country club on May 15 and 19.

The Illinois Athletic club of Chicago is considering the proposition to hold the National Amateur Athletic union track and field championships there in July. Application has been made for a sanction and if it is granted the contests will be held in Lincoln park. The meet will be free to the public and the expenses will be borne by public subscription.

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Six yachts are now being built, three in defense and three challengers, for the Canada cup, now held by the Rochester (N. Y.) Yacht club. This sextet of thirty-footers are expected to enter the water next month and from that time on will be sailed almost daily preparatory to the international races to be held in August.

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The attention of American lawn tennis players is centered upon the preparations of their team for the dominating matches for the international cup, which are to take place in England this summer. Holcombe Ward, the American champion in both singles and doubles, has been selected as captain of the players to be sent abroad by the National Lawn Tennis association. The international committee of the national governing body of the game, Dr. James Dwight, Robert D. Wrenn and Richard Stevens, was required under the international regulations to name the members of the team by May 1, and it called to England the names of Ward, Larned, Wright and W. J. Clothier.

There is some question as to whether Wright will be allowed to play and until this is settled it is not certain whether Wright or Clothier or both will go. The original deed of gift of the cup permitted four players to compete on each team, but an effort has recently been made by the English authorities to reduce this number to three. The Americans still contend for the right to name four, while the continental players back up the demands of the English to limit the teams to three.

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PREPARE FOR SUMMER

Assist nature in getting the system ready for the depressing Summer months.

The change of Nature from Winter and Spring to Summer is no greater than the change that takes place in our physical systems at this season, and few can undergo it without some manifestation of disorder. Some have no particular ailment but are just worn out and tired, with their energies so depleted that they are totally unfit for work or physical exertion of any kind.

HER SYSTEM BROKEN DOWN.

Gentlemen!—For over four years I suffered from general debility, causing a thorough breaking down of my system so that I was unable to attend to my household duties. I had tried other medicines which did not relieve me. Seven years ago my cousin, who had been benefited by S. S. S., told me about it. I tried it, and it has cured me.

HIS SKIN MADE CLEAR.

The doctors said I had pustular Eczema; it would break out in small white pustules, mostly on my face and hands, discharging a sticky fluid; crusts would form and drop off, leaving the skin red and inflamed. I was tormented with the itching and burning characteristic of the disease for five years, and during the time used various medicated soaps, ointments and washes, but these applications seemed to make me worse.

During the winter months we live a shut-in life as much as possible, breathing the impure air of closed rooms and heated offices; we indulge our appetites to the fullest, eating more of the heavier, richer foods and take a great deal less exercise.

As a result the blood grows thick and sluggish, the Liver, Kidneys, Bowels and other avenues of bodily waste become inactive and dull, failing to carry out the poisons which form in the system, and these are absorbed by the blood.

The time to prepare for Summer is before any warning symptoms are felt or the seeds of disease have time to get too deeply rooted in the blood. The blood should be cleansed and every part of the system put in good working order, so we can start the trying summer season fully prepared to withstand the disorders and diseases it brings.

S. S. S., the recognized king of blood purifiers, is the remedy with which to prepare the system for summer. It not only builds up the constitution, but goes down into the blood and searches out all poisons that have accumulated during the Winter, as well as those that may be lurking there from old chronic troubles.

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and the Louisville bridge will soon be in condition again for travel. Clarke Powell had as his guests for a drive around the city and lunch at the Country club Friday, John Drew and Mr. Carrington of the Drew company. They were given a lively spin around the city to see the sights, and after a run to the Field club were taken to the Country club, where a round of the golf links was made.

First Shipments of Country Milk UNTIL the Erie in 1842 originated the delivery of good country milk in New York, the city's supply had been mainly swill and adulterated milk. The new plan was so widely appreciated at its inception that long rows of men, women and children carrying jars or cans, daily awaited the arrival of the shipment.