Rain Shoots Holes in Base Ball Schedules Country Over; Denver Loses Twice to Lincoln

LINCOLN WINS AND LOSES

Run Over Grizzlies in Second Game After Losing First.

OPENER IS BATTING CONTEST

Visitors Secure Eleven Safe Ones, but Are Defeated After Hard Fought Session—Have No Trouble in Last.

DENVER, Sept. 1.—Denver won a closely fought batting game in the first contest of today's double-header with Lincoln. Score:

LINCOLN.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Jude, lf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Gagnier, ss	5	1	2	3	2	0
Cole, cf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Cobb, rf	4	2	3	1	0	0
Cockman, 3b	5	0	2	1	1	1
Thomas, 1b	4	0	1	7	0	1
Weidensaul, 2b	4	0	1	9	2	0
Kruger, c	4	1	0	9	2	0
Knapp, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	35	6	11	24	8	2

DENVER.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Lloyd, 2b	4	1	2	1	1	0
Fisher, lf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Beall, cf	3	2	1	2	0	0
Lindsay, 1b	5	0	2	10	4	0
Dolan, 3b	4	1	2	1	0	2
Kelly, ss	4	0	0	0	4	2
Cassidy, rf	5	2	3	2	0	0
Weaver, c	4	0	0	7	1	0
McMurray, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olmstead, p	4	0	1	2	6	0
Totals	36	9	13	27	16	2

Denver	2	0	0	1	1	1	1	*	—9
Lincoln	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0—6

Stolen bases: Fisher (2), Cockman, Thomas, Dolan. Two-base hits: Cobb, Weidensaul. Three-base hits: Lindsay, Beall. Home runs: Lloyd, Cassidy. Sacrifice hits: Cole, Olmstead, Knapp. Struck out: By Olmstead, 5; by Knapp, 9. Base on balls: Off Olmstead, 2; off Knapp, 3. Double play: Olmstead to Lindsay to Weaver. Wild pitch: Knapp. Hit by pitched ball: Fisher (2), Jude, Kelly. Left on bases, Denver, 11; Lincoln, 8. Time: 2:06. Umpires: Flynn and Graves. Attendance: 1,500.

Score, second game:

LINCOLN.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Jude, lf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Gagnier, ss	5	0	2	0	3	0
Cole, cf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Cobb, rf	4	1	3	2	0	0
Cockman, 3b	5	0	1	1	2	0
Thomas, 1b	4	1	0	9	0	0
Weidensaul, 2b	5	2	2	4	2	0
Kruger, c	5	1	1	9	0	0
Farrting, p	5	1	3	0	1	0
Totals	40	10	13	27	8	0

DENVER.	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Lloyd, 2b	4	1	2	1	0	0
Fisher, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Beall, cf	4	0	1	3	0	2
Lindsay, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0
Dolan, 3b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Kelly, ss	3	0	0	3	1	1
Cassidy, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Weaver, c	2	0	0	2	1	0
Quiesser, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Harris, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Adams, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
*Ehman	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	4	27	5	3

*Batted for Adams in the ninth.

Lincoln	2	1	2	0	0	0	3	2	—10	
Denver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1	

Stolen base: Thomas. Two-base hit: Beall. Three-base hits: Cole, Lloyd. Home run: Cobb. Sacrifice fly: Cobb. Struck out: By Harris, 6; by Farthing, 8; by Adams, 2. Bases on balls: Off Harris, 2; off Farthing, 1; off Adams, 3. Left on bases: Denver, 8; Lincoln, 8. Hits: Off Harris, 6 in three innings; off Adams 7 in six innings. Time: 1:50. Attendance: 2,500. Umpires: Flynn and Graves.

SIOUX CITY WINS FROM TOPEKA

Locals Make it Four Straight from the Visitors.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 1.—Sioux City won the last game of the series from Topeka today, making it four straight. Score:

SIOUX CITY.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Andreas, 2b	1	2	0	6	1	1
Stem, 1b	4	2	2	3	1	0
Neighbors, c	2	0	0	6	2	0
E. Welch, 3b	4	1	2	0	2	2
Towne, c	2	1	1	8	2	0
Quilin, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Isbell, rf	4	1	2	0	0	1
Myers, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Hartman, ss	4	0	0	3	1	0
Loucks, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Freeman, p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	29	8	13	27	12	4

TOPEKA.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Reilly, ss	4	0	0	2	2	1
Abbott, 1b	2	2	3	7	0	0
Riley, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Welch, 2b	4	1	2	3	4	0
Stoffer, 3b	1	0	0	2	1	0
Barber, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Jones, rf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Maxey, c	4	1	1	0	5	3
Ensley, p	4	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	33	6	9	24	13	3

Sioux City	0	3	2	0	2	1	0	0	*—8
Topeka	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	0—6

Two-base hits: Towne, Myers, H. Welch. Sacrifice hit: Neighbors (2). Stolen bases: Myers (2), Andreas, Stem (3). Double plays: H. Welch to Andreas to Stem. Freeman to Neighbors to Andreas, Welch to Abbott. Base on balls: Off Loucks, 2; off Freeman, 4; off Ensley, 3. Struck out: By Freeman, 13; by Ensley, 5. Time: 1:45. Umpire: Mullin. Attendance: 500.

CHAMPS LOSE AND TIE IN TWO

St. Joseph Wins in Eleventh Through Des Moines' Errors.

DES MOINES, Sept. 1.—St. Joseph defeated Des Moines in the eleventh inning in the first game of a double-header, 2 to 1. Errors lost the contest for Des Moines. Score, first game:

ST. JOSEPH.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Powell, lf	5	0	0	3	0	0
Fox, 2b	5	0	2	2	4	0
Jones, 1b	5	1	2	16	2	0
McChesney, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Reilly, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Coffan, ss	4	0	0	5	4	1
Goodrich, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Boles, c	3	0	1	1	2	0
Frambes, c	1	0	0	3	0	0
Johnson, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	39	2	7	33	20	1

DES MOINES.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Kelly, rf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Claire, ss	4	0	0	3	2	2
Niehoff, 3b	4	1	1	0	5	2
Curtis, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Dwyer, 1b	3	0	1	8	1	0
Mattick, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Kersey, 2b	4	0	0	5	3	1
Clemmons, c	4	0	1	12	1	0
Huston, p	4	0	0	0	4	1
Totals	37	1	5	33	16	6

St. Joseph	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2
Des Moines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Two-base hits: Boles, Niehoff. Bases on balls: Off Huston, 9; off Johnson, 2. Struck out: By Huston, 10; by Johnson, 4. Stolen bases: Reilly, Kelly, Dwyer. Sacrifice hits: Claire, Johnson, McChesney, Corhan. Time: 1:30. Umpire: Haskell.

SIOUX CITY SELLS ART FENLON

Crack Batter Goes to Atlanta Team of Southern League.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Art Fenlon right fielder for Sioux City and leader of the western league in batting, with a mark of .345, has been sold to the Atlanta (Ga.) club in the Southern league. Reilly, shortstop, and Wooley, fielder, have been purchased by Sioux City from Topeka. Albert Isbell, who has been farmed out, has reported for duty with Sioux City.

H. G. Taylor is High Gun.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 1.—(Special.)—The two days' shooting tournament at Aberdeen closed yesterday, with J. P. White of Watertown carrying off the honors in the amateur class with 378 birds out of a possible 400. In the professional class H. G. Taylor of Mecklin won first honors, breaking 387 clay pigeons out of the 400. The sensation of the tournament, however, was George Kreger, a professional, who broke 139 birds in succession without a miss. However, his total was but 377. Slocum, 374; Brown, 368, and A. J. Ward, 361, were the other amateurs besides White who made better than 350.

See Key to the Situation—Bee Want Ads.

Kearney Takes Two Games from Superior Team

Townsend Saves Game for Locals, Bringing in Three Scores by Long Hit to Fence.

KEARNEY, Neb., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—The Kearney Capitalists won a double-header from Superior here today. Green pitched both games for Kearney and held Superior to one hit in the last game. Townsend saved the first game for Kearney bringing in three scores by a hit that struck the fence and all but went over. Score, first game:

	R.	H.	E.
Kearney	0 0 0 0 4 0 2 0 *—6	9	1
Superior	0 0 0 1 2 0 0 2 0—5	8	3

Batteries: Kearney, Green and Townsend; Superior, Miller and Landes. Time: 1:45. Umpire: Griffith.

Score, second game:

	R.	H.	E.
Kearney	0 0 0 1 0 0 *—1	4	0
Superior	0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	1	1

Batteries: Kearney, Green and Townsend; Superior, Justus and Landes. Time: 0:56. Umpire: Griffith.

SEWARD, Neb., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Columbus defeated Seward today, 12 to 1. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Seward	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	4	4
Columbus	0 3 1 0 3 1 0 0 4—12	16	0

Batteries: Seward, Stewart, Walley and Neff; Columbus, Bove and Agnew.

HASTINGS, Neb., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Red Cloud put Hastings at the tail end today, taking both games of a double-header. Score, first game:

	R.	H.	E.
Red Cloud	0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—3	4	3
Hastings	0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—2	8	4

Batteries: Red Cloud, Parrott and Moss; Hastings, Orth and Gaarde.

Score, second game:

	R.	H.	E.
Red Cloud	0 1 1 1 2 0 0—5	6	0
Hastings	0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	5	3

Bataeries: Red Cloud, Garrett and Logan; Hastings, Clegg and Donnelly.

FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Grand Island lost to Fremont today in a pitchers' battle, 2 to 0. Smith pitched a good game and was given good support. He allowed the visitors only one hit. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Grand Island	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	1	0
Fremont	0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—2	4	1

Batteries: Grand Island, Beltzer and Carroll; Fremont, Smith and Bohner. Umpire: Boswell.

Open Season for Base Ball Players

Magnates Meet at Cincinnati to Consider Drafts for Men from Minor Leagues.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 1.—Today the base ball drafting season opens and the National Base Ball commission will meet to apportion the players acording to the drafting rules of organized base ball. Competition for minor league players never was so keen, and every club in the two major league has representatives here, who will present a list of minor league players they wish to secure for their respective clubs.

In apportioning players the commission will consider a number of cases which are on the docket of the supreme court of base ball.

All the members of the national commission are here. Among the club owners present are President Robison of the St.

After a full discussion the National Base Ball commission, in session here today, decided not to allow the proposed all-star teams from the National and American leagues to play a series of games after the regular season.

A large number of major and minor league owners are in attendance at the meeting. That the draft will be large is shown by the fact that close to $125,000 was deposited with Secretary Bruce of the commission to cover the draft. It requires $1,000 to bind the draft of each player.

FAST TIME IN JOLIET RACES

Bird Grattan Nosed Out Victory in Six Heat Race.

JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 1.—Fast time was made in today's races. It required six heats to decide the 2:17 pace. Bird Grattan and Bonnie Redheart each won two heats and Jennie Gentry won one. The owners of Bird Grattan and Bonnie Redheart entered pleas to the necessity of deciding the event by another heat and judges discussed the case. A decision of President Knight of the American Trotting association, given a month ago in a similar case at Aurora, Ill., was invoked and an extra heat was ordered.

Bonnie Redheart had the pole and led to within 100 yards of the wire. There he broke and Bird Grattan nosed out a victory. Results:

Trotting, 2:24 class, purse $1,000:

Doctor Treg, b. g. (Rash)	1	1	1			
The Angelus, br. h. (Colby)	2	2	2			
Star Light, br. h. (Cox)	3	4	3			
Henry H., br. h. (Dean)	4	3	4			
Ashland Clay, g. h. (Hoffman)	5	dr.				

Time: 2:10¼, 2:13¾, 2:11¾.

Trotting, 2:19 class, purse $500:

Vito, b. h. (Benyon)	1	1	1			
Don Labor, br. g. (Kimline)	2	3	6			
Bertha C., b. m. (Chandler)	7	6	2			
Fair Margaret, b. m. (Renick)	6	2	3			
Safeguard, b. g. (Murphy)	3	5	dr.			

Time: 2:10¾, 2:09¾, 2:11¾.

Pacing, 2:17 class, purse $500:

Bird Grattan, br. m. (Kimline)	1	1	2	4	2	1
Bonnie Redheart, b. h. (Burchy)	4	2	4	1	1	2
Jennie Gentry, b. m. (Dean)	2	6	1	2	4	9
Bianca May, b. m. (Carpenter)	3	4	3	3	3	3

Time: 2:12¾, 2:11¾, 2:12¾, 2:15¼, 2:18¼, 2:18¾.

Seven-furlong dash: Tulip (McIntyre) won, Casavary (Jost) second, Sainster (Kenley) third. Time: 1:29¼.

Half-mile dash: McDale (Milham) won, Front Row (McIntyre) second, Pasquinade (Madden) third. Time: 0:49.

CINCINNATI TENNIS RESULTS

Thornton, Palmer, Holden, Johnson and Hall Are Dismissed.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 1.—Brilliant matches in men's singles today permitted the best players of the country to get into the fifth round of the tri-state tennis tournament. Nat Thornton, former champion of the south, defeated Truax Emerson of Cincinnati in two fast sets. Palmer of New York, Bishop, Holden, Johnson of Philadelphia and Hall, who are expected to be contenders in the finals, won their matches with comparative ease. The feature of the women's doubles was a thirty-game set between Misses Aiken and Van Ess and Mrs. Sanders and Miss Werk.

RESULTS IN THE MINK LEAGUE

Clarinda Suffers Shutout from Falls City Sluggers.

At Falls City—Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Clarinda	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0	5	4
Falls City	1 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 *—4	6	2

Batteries: H. Walters, Ludwig and Jokerst; Finch and Smith. Umpire: McGinnis.

Boxing at Metz Hall.

Clarence English and Jack Fitzgerald will box ten rounds this evening at Metz hall. It is a case of the best in Omaha against the best in South Omaha and considerable interest has been worked up over the outcome. Tommy Bresnahan of South Omaha and Mike Malone of Denver will box in the preliminaries, going eight rounds.

Hoctors to Woodbine.

The Hoctor base ball team will go to Woodbine, Ia., Labor Day. The Hoctors would like an out-of-town game for Sunday, September 4. Any teams looking for a game on this date address L. C. Marsh, 2st North Eighteenth street, South Omaha, Neb., or telephone South 2210.

Readville Races Postponed.

READVILLE, Mass., Sept. 1.—Rain fell heavily this forenoon and the track was so soggy that at 10 a. m. it was decided to postpone all the events until tomorrow.

The Key to the Situation—Bee Want Ads.

PIRATES DEFEATED BY REDS

Cincinnati Bunches Hits on Camnitz and Wins.

BEEBE PITCHES EXCELLENT BALL

Pittsburg Secures One Run in Sixth Inning—Locals' Total is Four—Hoblitzel Lands Three-Bagger.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 1.—Beebe pitched excellent ball, while Cincinnati bunched hits on Camnitz and won. Score:

CINCINNATI.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	PITTSBURG.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Beecher, lf	4	0	3	0	0	Byrne, 3b	3	0	2	4	0
Egan, 2b	4	0	1	3	0	Leach, cf	4	1	1	0	0
Hoblitzel, 1b	4	1	12	0	0	Campbell, lf	4	0	2	0	0
Mitchell, rf	4	3	1	0	0	Wagner, ss	4	2	4	4	1
Paskert, cf	3	1	1	1	0	Flynn, 1b	3	0	6	0	0
Clark, c	3	0	6	8	0	Wilson, rf	3	1	3	0	0
Lobert, 3b	3	2	1	1	1	Gibson, c	4	1	4	2	0
McMillan, ss	3	0	0	4	0	McKhie, 2b	3	1	2	1	1
Beebe, p	3	1	0	5	0	Camnitz, p	1	0	0	1	0
						Hyatt	1	0	0	0	0
						Phillippi, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	7	27	14	0	Totals	39	6	24	12	2

*Batted for Camnitz in seventh.

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	*—4

Three-base hit: Hoblitzel. Hits: Off Camnitz, 7 in six innings. Bases on balls: Off Camnitz, 2; off Beebe, 3. Struck out: By Camnitz, 1; by Beebe, 5. Time: 1:40. Umpires: Rigler and Emslie.

Chas. Evans Turns Chicago Links in Seventy-One

Former Western Champion Leads Professionals for First Time in Open Event of Kind.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Qualifying and first rounds in the western open golf championship at the Beverly Country club today reduced the field eligible for the title to eight—five professionals and three amateurs, the latter all being from Chicago. So keen was the battle for the first sixteen places that only six strokes separated the leader from the four men who tied at 77 for the last three places.

Charles Evans, jr., of Edgewater, the former western amateur champion, accomplished one of the best performances of his career by winning the prize for low score in the qualifying round with a brilliantly played 71, which set a new competitive record for the course. It is the first time that an amateur has ever led the field in the western open event. Jack Hutchinson of the Pittsburg Country club finished two strokes behind the leader, Grange Alves, French Lick, Ind., professional, being third with 74. Albert Seckel of Riverside, the eastern intercollegiate champion, also qualified and Ted Sawyer, the former western amateur champion, joined the ranks of the elect by winning the play-off of the tie at 77 for last place. He won at the fourth hole of the play-off. Lawrence Auchterlonie, Kansas City expert and former western and national champion, had the hardest luck of the round, as when he was putting on the sixteenth green a ball played from behind struck his ball while it was in motion and knocked it from the green, making him take six for the hole, when he appeared to have a sure four in sight. These strokes put him out of the first sixteen.

All three amateurs won their matches in the first round, Charles Evans downing James Donaldson in a notable match which went twenty holes, Evans doing a fifteen foot putt for a 2 at the final stroke. Evans had 40-35-75 and Donaldson, 39-37-76.

Summary of the first match play round:

FIRST ROUND.

Jack Hutchinson, Pittsburg, defeated Robert Simpson, Kenosha, 3 and 2.

D. E. Sawyer, Wheaton, defeated C. Trineman, Hinsdale, 3 and 1.

Charles Evans, jr., Edgewater, defeated J. Donaldson, Glenview, 1 up, 20 holes.

L. N. Nelson, Indianapolis, defeated J. A. Croke, Grand Rapids, 3 and 2.

Albert Seckel, Riverside, defeated Arthur Smith, Columbus, 6 and 5.

W. Leith, Duluth, defeated W. G. Sherwood, Memphis, 3 and 1.

G. A. Simpson, La Grange, defeated G. Alves, French Lick, 2 and 1.

SECOND FLIGHT.

C. B. Devol, Riverside, defeated Harry Turpie, Edgewater, 3 and 2.

W. F. Fovargue, Skokie, defeated L. Auchterlonie, Kansas City, 3 and 2.

J. M. Barnes, Spokane, defeated D. Wilson, Grand Rapids, 5 and 4.

G. M. McConnell, Edgewater, defeated H. R. Schollenberger, Beverly, 5 and 4.

Peter Robertson, Pittsburg, defeated J. A. Simpson, Milwaukee, 2 and 1.

Robert Peebles, Dallas, defeated Elijah Horton, New York., 3 and 2.

J. Morton, Peoria, defeated Chack Bart, St. Louis, 1 up, 19 holes.

Jack Jolly, Arlington, N. J., defeated G. Turnbull, Portland, Ore., 1 up.

HUSBAND'S TONGUE ENJOINED

Supreme Court Justice Forbids a Farmer to Speak to His Wife for One Month.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y. Sept. 1.—Supreme Court Justice Morschhauser issued an injunction here today, which prevents James Turner, a farmer of Pawling, from speaking to his wife for one month. It also forbids him going on her farm or annoying her. The couple had several quarrels and the wife said her husband shot at her. He told the court he was shooting at a cat.

"You people should stop this quarrelling and live the right kind of a happy life," said the court, and he thereupon issued the injunction.

Turner told the court he was satisfied and will live in a bungalow on the farm, just over the state line.

Poisoned by "Ropy" Bread.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Sept. 1.—(Special.)—"Ropy bread," not poisoned or spoiled flour, is asserted by the flour manufacturing company to have been the cause of poisoning in the Brooks family of Fort Dodge recently. The remainder of the sack of flour used by Mrs. Brooks was sent back to the company and they now have returned a loaf of bread made from the same flour, this loaf being perfectly good. "Ropy bread" is a common occurrence in warm weather when care is not taken in making bread, and especially when potato yeast is used. If warm water is used, or utensils are not sanitary, fermentation at excessive temperature begins, which is not obliterated by the degree of heat which is required to bake bread. Fermentation continues after baking and such trouble as "ropy bread" results.

Births and Deaths.

Births—John H. Elton, McArdle, boy; Lawrence Carter, 2317 North Fifteenth avenue, girl; George Harmann, 811 South Thirty-fifth avenue, girl; Henry F. Hurst, 2417 Blondo, boy; Mike Levine, 1123 North Nineteenth, boy; Isaac Katz, girl; Henry Jorgenson, 2504 North Thirteenth, girl; Henry Zweifel, 4302 Saratoga, girl; Phillip Salis, 2716 Burt, boy; William McCann, 1117 North Twenty-first, boy.

Deaths—Andrew C. Larson, 701 North Sixteenth, 45 years; Myrtle Maxtead, 15 years; John H. Woodburn, 2414 Caldwell, 20 years; George Schule, jr., Baby Camp, three months.

Standing of the Teams

WEST. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Sioux City	88	47	.652
Denver	81	55	.596
Lincoln	78	56	.582
Wichita	69	64	.519
Omaha	64	69	.481
St. Joseph	59	72	.451
Des Moines	59	77	.434
Topeka	35	96	.284

AMER. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	82	37	.689
Boston	72	49	.595
New York	69	51	.575
Detroit	67	54	.554
Washington	56	67	.455
Cleveland	51	68	.429
Chicago	46	71	.791
St. Louis	36	82	.305

NEB. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Fremont	62	39	.614
Grand Island	55	46	.53
Columbus	55	48	.534
Kearney	54	49	.524
Superior	51	50	.505
Seward	46	57	.447
Red Cloud	44	57	.436
Hastings	40	60	.400

NATL. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	80	37	.684
Pittsburg	69	47	.595
New York	67	48	.583
Cincinnati	61	59	.508
Philadelphia	59	59	.500
St. Louis	45	71	.404
Brooklyn	44	72	.379
Boston	43	78	.356

AMER. ASS'N.	W.	L.	Pct.
Minneapolis	92	49	.653
Toledo	74	65	.532
St. Paul	74	67	.525
Columbus	71	65	.522
Kansas City	70	68	.507
Milwaukee	63	76	.453
Indianapolis	57	81	.413
Louisville	54	84	.391

MINK LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Clarinda	54	35	.593
Falls City	54	49	.474
Auburn	44	40	.473
Neb. City	43	48	.473
Shenandoah	43	49	.467
Maryville	39	52	.429

Yesterday's Results.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Omaha-Wichita game postponed; rain.

Lincoln, 6; Denver, 9. Second game: Lincoln, 10; Denver, 1.

St. Joseph, 2; Des Moines, 1. Second game: St. Joseph, 0; Des Moines, 6.

Topeka, 6; Sioux City, 5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia-Washington game postponed; rain.

Boston-New York game postponed; rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York-Philadelphia game postponed; rain.

Brooklyn-Boston game postponed; rain.

Pittsburg, 1; Cincinnati, 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Kansas City-Columbus game postponed; rain.

Minneapolis, 3; Toledo, 2. Second game: Minneapolis, 2; Toledo, 3.

Milwaukee, 4; Indianapolis, 2.

St. Paul, 0; Louisville, 2.

NEBRASKA LEAGUE.

Red Cloud, 3; Hastings, 2. Second game: Red Cloud, 5; Hastings, 0.

Superior, 5; Kearney, 6. Second game: Superior, 0; Kearney, 1.

Grand Island, 6; Fremont, 2.

Columbus, 12; Seward, 1.

MINK LEAGUE.

Auburn-Maryville game postponed; rain.

Shenandoah-Nebraska City game postponed; wet grounds.

Clarinda, 0; Falls City, 4.

Games Today.

American League—Philadelphia at Washington, Boston at New York.

National League—New York at Philadelphia, Brooklyn at Boston.

American Association—Milwaukee at Indianapolis.

Mink League—Clarinda at Falls City.

BOYS PLAY TENNIS WELL

Fast Work Marks Opening Day of Local Tournament.

KID SINGLES TO BE FEATURE

Number of Prizes Hung Up and Smallest Contestant Will Have Chance to Pull One Down.

Some fast playing marked the opening day of the local lads' tournament, the lads breaking in and pulling off a number of speedy matches in the first two rounds. A total of forty-seven matches was finished Wednesday, even though the committee was unable on account of the soft condition of the courts to start the playing until the middle of the day.

The gallery of the Field club was filled with enthusiastic spectators, who applauded vigorously.

A new innovation in the junior tournament was started during the day's playing, this being the "Kid Singles" as it has been called. All those entered in the tournament who are under 15 years of age are allowed to enter in this special event as they are not considered to have an equal chance of winning a prize in the big tournament against the older players. By this method these lads have a chance for at least two prizes, and some of them three and four. Those who go out in the first round of the consolation singles have a chance for the consolation prize and the kid prize and those who are entered for the doubles have a chance for the prizes in this event.

Thursday it is the intention of the committee to finish up the second and third round of the championship singles, the preliminary and first round of the doubles, the preliminary and first round of the consolation singles and the same of the "Kid Singles."

FIRST ROUND.

E. Smythe beat McNaughton, 6-0, 6-1.
N. DeFrance bat J. Halpine, 6-1, 6-2.
R. White beat T. Nelson, 6-1, 6-3.
H. Caldwell beat J. Ainscow, 6-3, 6-0.
J. Duffey beat C. Harsch, 6-0, 6-1.
H. Johnson beat D. Kiplinger, 6-3, 6-0.
M. Hiller beat W. Adams, 8-6, 6-2.
W. Nelson beat C. Paxon, 6-2, 6-4.
W. Driscoll beat M. Baldridge, 6-1, 6-0.
W. Marriot beat E. Chesney, 0-6, 6-3, 7-5.
S. Undeland beat T. Sullivan, 7-6, 6-1.
L. McShane beat W. Ledwich, 6-1, 6-2.
E. Eastman beat W. Robbins, 6-3, 6-0.
M. Brogan beat H. Norman, 6-3, 5-7, 7-5.
F. Daugherty beat R. McCutcheon, 9-7, 6-4.

SECOND ROUND.

W. Driscoll beat J. Herbert, 6-0, 6-2.
W. Marriot beat E. Daugherty, 6-1, 6-2.
L. McShane beat E. Undeland, 6-1, 6-1.
J. Halpine beat E. Eastman, 6-7, 6-0, 6-1.
L. Adams beat P. Larmon, 6-7, 6-1, 6-3.
E. Smythe beat F. Daugherty, 6-1, 6-9.
C. Offutt beat N. DeFrance, 6-2, 2-6, 6-1.
R. White beat D. Bancker, 36, 9-7, 6-1.
H. Davis beat R. Connell, 6-0, 6-0.
H. Miller beat H. Johnson, 6-1, 6-2.
L. Bushman beat C. Peters, 6-3, 6-3, 6-0.
Zimmerman beat T. Nelson, 6-4, 6-3.

KID SINGLES PRELIMINARY ROUND.

H. Caldwell beat W. Robbins, 6-0, 6-1.
Fuller beat C. Harsch, 6-4, 6-4.
Bierman beat F. Owens, 6-1, 6-0.

WAR VETERANS' ELECTION

Participants in America's Most Recent War Select Oklahoma City for Next Meeting.

DENVER, Sept. 1.—After electing officers and selecting Oklahoma City, Okl., as the next meeting place, the seventh annual convention of the United Spanish War Veterans adjourned today. The officers are:

Commander-in-chief—Joseph R. H. Jacoby, Seattle, Wash.

Junior Vice Commander—Charles A. Reynolds, Manila, P. I.

Inspector General—W. J. Mickel, Wisconsin.

National Historian—W. T. Tucker, New York.

Surgeon General—Dr. W. K. Berlin, Denver.

The Military Order of the Serpent also elected officers today, with Charles J. Heinze, Dayton, O., grandissimo.

Velvet Bows.

Velvet or ribbon bows may be given new life without removing them from the hat, by using a curling iron. It should be made quite hot, then covered, loosely with a wet cloth and inserted in the loops, opening iron as wide as loops demand, and holding it there until loops are dry, when they will look like new.—Boston Herald.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

Name and Residence.	Age.
Andrew Luthins, Omaha