Rourkes Win Series with New Champs; Cubs Held to Low Score by Cardinals

EXRIBITION SERIES ENDED

Sioux City and Omaha Break Even on a Double-Header.

LOTZ PITCHES GOOD BALL

Strikes Out Nine of the Sioux in the Second Game—O'Toole Wins the First Game from the Rourkes.

Omaha and Sioux City closed the exhibition base ball season in Omaha by dividing the honors in the double header Sunday, the Sioux taking the first game, 5 to 4, and Omaha the other 8 to 2.

A goodly crowd of fans were out to close the season, the bleachers and grandstand being filled, and enthusiasm ran high. Joe Lotz, the Omaha amateur, who pitched the last game for the locals, found a host of friends in the fans and received rounds of applause on several occasions of especially good playing.

Sioux City took the opening game by bunching its hits in the fourth inning for three runs, and again in the sixth for two more. Omaha managed to get in three in the fourth, starting with a single by King, followed by three baggers by both Shoonover and Riggert, and another single by Kane. Omaha also managed to get in one in the seventh but could not tie the lead taken by the Indians.

In the second game Lotz made first on a bunt and an error by O'Toole and was sent to second by a sacrifice by Acock. Riggert placed a two bagger and Lotz scored the first run. Another run was made in the sixth when Kane was passed and Schipke sacrificed. Two errors by Kilroy in left field and long flies by Kneaves and Gonding brought him in.

The real fun started in the seventh when Stem, who pitched for the Sioux, blew up and allowed Omaha to bat around and Cadman to get two trys in the same inning. One three bagger, three twos, and three singles followed and a sacrifice by Schoonover and errors by Isbell and Hartman did the rest for six runs scored by Omaha.

The visitors brought in three in the ninth, but couldn't manage to get to Lotz for any more. Score, first game:

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Acock? 2b	5	0	0	4	3	0
King, cf	5	1	3	2	0	0
Schoonover, rf	4	1	1	1	0	1
Riggert, lf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Kane? 1b	3	0	1	5	0	1
Shipke, 3b	3	0	2	3	3	0
Kneaves, ss	3	0	1	0	4	0
Cadman, c	4	1	1	7	0	0
Keeley, p	3	0	1	2	0	1
Totals	34	4	12	27	11	3

SIOUX CITY.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
O'Toole, p	4	0	2	0	0	0
Stem, lb	3	0	1	5	0	0
Hartman, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Welch, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Andreas, 2b	4	0	2	3	2	1
Isbell, cf	4	1	1	6	0	0
Reilly, ss	4	2	2	4	4	0
Miller, c	3	2	1	6	5	0
Kilroy, lf	1	0	0	1	0	1

Score second game:

OMAHA.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Acock, 2b	5	0	1	2	1	0
Cadman, cf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Schaapover, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Riggert, lf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Kane, 1b	5	2	1	8	0	0
Schipke 3b	4	1	3	2	0	0
Kneaves, ss	3	1	1	2	3	0
Gonding, c	3	1	0	9	2	0
Lotz, p	4	2	1	0	4	0
Totals	37	8	12	27	10	0

SIOUX CITY.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Andreas, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Stem, p	4	1	2	3	0	0
Hartman, 3b	4	1	2	1	3	1
Welch, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Isbell, cf	4	1	1	1	0	1
Reilly, ss	3	0	0	2	8	0
Miller, c	2	0	1	2	4	0
Kilroy, lf	4	0	1	0	0	2
O'Toole, 1b	3	0	0	14	1	1
Totals	31	3	8	24	18	5

Omaha ..... 0 0 1 0 0 1 6 0 *—8
Sioux City ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0—3

Sacrifice hits: Acock, Schoonover, Kneaves, Gonding, Welch, Reilly. Three-base hits: Kane, Hartman. Two-base hits: Cadman (2), Acock, Riggert, Schipke, Kneaves, Hartman. Struck out: By Lotz, 9; by Stem, 3. Bases on balls: Off Lotz, 1; off Stem, 1. Left on bases: Omaha, 7; Sioux City, 4. Double plays: Rielly to Hartman. Umpire: Bradford. Time: 2:00.

ROLLA HOLDS THE MISSOURIANS

Modern Foot Ball is Exemplified in Game at Columbia.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Oct. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Rolla exemplified modern foot ball against Missouri on Rollins field yesterday, and, by using open play and smashing up the Tigers' formation, held them to a 0 to 0 score. Twice Missouri was given big chances by the Miners, when Macomber, their star halfback, rushed the ball to the Tiger five-yard line, but each time Hollenbeck's Cubs rose to the occasion and threw back the invaders. Also Missouri threatened to score twice when Lemiere's line plunges took the pig skin to Rolla's twenty-yard line, but misdirected signals and poor attempts at forward passing held the Tigers scoreless each time. The lineup:

MISSOURI.		ROLLA.
Miller	C.	C. ..... Sherry
Shuck	L.E.	L.E. ..... Schmidt
Housing	L.T.	L.T. ..... Andrus
Fitch	L.G.	L.G. ..... Knickerbocker
Graves	R.G.	R.G. ..... Murphy
Craig	R.T.	R.T. ..... Ludwick
Burress	R.E.	R.E. ..... Black
Saunders	Q.B.	Q.B. ..... Forrester
Mills	L.H.B.	L.H.B. ..... Bowman
		L.H.B. ..... Wagenlatf
Lemiere	R.H.B.	R.H.B. ..... Macomber
		R.H.B. ..... Raible
Hackney	F.B.	F.B. ..... Conway

Referee: Bonnifield. Umpire: Gordon. Time of halves: 0:30 each. Substitutes: Roberts for Shuck, Abernathe for Andrus, Klein for Saunders, Anderson for Miller, Saunders for Klein, Miller for Anderson, Andrus for Fitch, Craig for Anderson, Knoebel for Mills.

EVENTS ON RUNNING TRACKS

Countless Wins Feature at Louisville in Driving Finish.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 9.—The feature of the day's sport at Churchill Downs yesterday afternoon was the Frank Fear handicap. After Ocean Bound and King's Daughter had raced each other into defeat in the early stages, Countless came with a rush in the final run and was returned winner by a neck in front of Emperor William, who in turn took the place in front of Milton. Results:

First race, six furlongs: The Hague (straight, $4.50) won, Forehead (place, $3.40) second, Louis Katz (show, $3.50) third. Time: 1:14⅘.

Second race, 6 furlongs: Merrick (straight, $5.80) won, Duquesne (place, $4.90) second, Ben Double (show, $4.30) third. Time: 1:13⅘.

Third race, handicap, six furlongs: Al Muller (straight, $5.20) won, Harrigan (place, $2.10) second, Dr. Holseberg (show, out) third. Time: 1:13⅘.

Fourth race, the Frank Fehr handicap, mile and twenty yards: Countless (straight, $11.90) won, Emperor William (place, $14.60) second, Milton B. (show, $11.10) third. Time: 1:41⅘.

Fifth race, six furlongs: Heim (straight, $13.60) won, Turncoat (place, $5.80) second, Sporting Life (show, $9.90) third. Time: 1:14⅘.

Sixth race, mile and one-sixteenth: Salien (straight, $11.60) won, Colonel Ashmeade (place, $5.00) second, Tim Higbee (show, $3) third. Time: 1:49⅘.

Madison Defeats Neligh.

MADISON, Neb., Oct. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—The Madison and Neligh High school foot ball teams played on the Madison grounds this afternoon, the score being 11 to 0 in favor of Madison.

Racing is Dead in East and Horses Go to Coast

President Williams Expresses the Opinion that in Time Betting Will Be Permitted in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Tom H. Williams, president of the California Jockey club, will leave for San Francisco Sunday night. He is greatly pleased with the success that has met his efforts to procure horses for the coast tracks, and said today:

"The coming racing season on the coast will be the most prosperous one in the history of coast racing. Many famous race horses will be seen there this year, even though we are racing under a new set of rules and laws that will in a measure save away a good bit of sport in horse racing.

"To me the present racing situation in New York is a sad sight, and what used to be the greatest racing center in the world is a mere shadow of its former self. I think that eventually the law prohibiting betting will be abolished and old conditions will prevail. Betting on horse racing is what fosters breeding of thoroughbred horses, and the thoroughbred horse is an absolute necessity to the country.

'I don't wish to be understood as saying that I favor betting. It is immaterial to me, but I think a man should be allowed to place wagers on a horse race if he wants to. The whole game of life is nothing but a chance, not a whit different than betting on a horse race, and to those who can afford it, it is simply a pleasure and adds zest and life to the race. It is no different than a man who takes a chance in opening a business where there is strong competition. Of course, excessive betting by people who cannot afford it is a menace to public morality, but that could be fixed by proper legislation. This will be done, and soon, for as soon as the people realize that the future of the American thoroughbred horse is indanger they will demand that the betting laws be modified, if necessary to protect the families of men who cannot afford to bet, and in my opinion it won't be long before such laws are passed."

BOOSTERS DOING FINE WORK

Schmidt Chalks Up 269 in the Merry-Go-Round.

Some mighty good scores were shot in the Booster merry-go-round this week. Schmidtty got a 269 game, starting with eight strikes and then drawing a spare, strike and spare. The score to date is as follows:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Toman	198	214	185	597
Schmidt	269	166	197	632
Totals				1,229
	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Stunz	195	221	214	630
Yousem	222	219	156	597
Totals				1,227
	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Toman	212	180	168	560
Stunz	201	304	254	659
Totals				1,219
	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Schmidt	178	169	171	518
Yousem	206	236	180	622
Totals				1,140

The Mercantile merry-go-round is getting to be the real thing among these young leaguers. The result of the same to date is as follows:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Pickard	214	198	199	581
Lundstrom	142	173	300	515
Totals				1,096
	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Bland	211	171	203	585
Green	116	162	159	437
Totals				1,022
	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Lundstrom	183	151	188	522
Lamb	162	154	179	495
Totals				1,007
	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Finley	188	148	159	495
Johnson	178	129	170	477
Totals				972

Captain Shorty Hughes is shooting the moon ball. Ever see it? You want to take a look at that one. It is three-quarters round.

Tracy is away off his stride just at the present time. Too much golf and lawn tennis at the Miller park links this summer.

Zimmerman is among strangers this year, having been a member of the Triumphs for years, but is now with the Advos.

Sutton is still training Nettie for the winter's work. When he gets that old hook working there will be some tall shooting done.

Weeks and Kerr, the ex-Booster pair, are cutting capers in the Commercial league this year, and are surely two fine young bowlers.

Sprague is still shooting that old croquet ball of his. Somebody ought to tell Art Metz to buy him a new mineralite before it gets too late.

That boy, Pohler, is coming fast and will make all the top ones go some before the end of the season. This is his first try in the legue.

Dick Taft, distant relative to President Bill, has wagered that the Taft Specials will take all three games this week. Pretty soft for Pat.

Johnny Laird is still that hard-hitting, speedy boy of the Cellar bowlers. Seems like he loses control whenever Ortman takes him on.

Klikenny Keyt just can't leave those alleys alone. Bill threatened to give the other fellows a chance this year, but he just can't keep out.

Jim Haster is working the drop ball to perfection. They got on to it before his last game and hit it all over the alley, inflating a big total.

Matthes has been cheated. Somebody handed him a dime with a hole in it last week in one of those pot games. This has made him pretty sore.

Having fouls called on Ed Holmes is all that keeps him from a 200 average. He has a hard time keeping back, only made five in one series last week.

Babe Dudley of the Advos will get into the game this week. He ought to help them a great deal. The way he used to get the pins was a caution.

Think of it, the Equitables lost two out of three this week to the paper carriers. Still they had the high total in the series; that's the luck of bowling.

Dad Chandler still hits the pins at about the same old gait. He is surely a sticker, having been a member of the Omaha league ever since it started.

A match game will be rolled Sunday morning between the U. S. Cleaning company and the Metropolitans, the same being postponed from the last week.

Jack Mann, the famous traveler, leads off on the Wroth's Specials. Mann is not so much in a match game, but when it comes to pot shooting he surely shines.

Patsy Angelsberg is now in charge of the cellar alleys at Keyt's. A more popular bowler never stepped on the league alleys and it is a cinch he will make good.

A meeting has been called in the Booster league for 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Matters of importance will be discussed and it is very essential that all captains be present.

Conrad, the new member of the Metz team, leads his mates in the averages. He has been the high man in all the series they have bowled so far this season, having an average of nearly 200 per game.

Al Powell will be among the Maxeppas' lineup this week for the first time this season. Powell has just returned from Oregon, where he attempted to roll a hook ball up the mountainside.

PIRATES ARE BADLY BEATEN

Cincinnati Takes Game by Score of Seven to One.

WILSON'S HOMER IS FEATURE

Home Team Puts Four Men Across Plate in Seventh Inning—One Three-Base Hit—Two Two-Baggers.

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 9.—Cincinnati defeated Pittsburg today by 7 to 1. Wilson's home run in the seventh inning was the feature. Directly following the game, the Cincinnati and Pittsburg teams contested in a field day exhibition. The score:

PITTSBURG.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	CINCINNATI.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McCarthy, ss.	4	0	0	4	1	Miller, cf.	5	0	2	0	0
Leach, cf.	4	1	2	0	0	Altizer, ss.	4	1	2	0	1
Campbell, lf.	5	2	2	0	1	Hoblitzell, 1b.	3	1	9	0	0
Wagner, 1b.	4	0	1	0	0	Mitchell, rf.	2	1	1	1	0
Miller, 2b.	4	0	4	3	1	Peakert, lf.	3	1	4	0	0
Wilson, rf.	4	2	3	0	0	Lobert, 3b.	3	0	2	3	0
Simon, c.	4	0	3	2	0	Clarke, c.	4	2	2	0	0
McKech'e, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	Roth, c.	0	0	1	0	0
White, p.	3	2	0	2	0	Corcoran, 2b.	3	1	4	5	0
						Beebe, p.	4	0	0	3	0
Totals	33	7	24	13	3	Totals	31	9	27	11	1

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Cincinnati	1	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	*	—7

Two-base hits: Hoblitzell, Campbell. Three-base hit: Clarke. Home run: Wilson. Sacrifice hits: Mitchell, Corcoran, Campbell. Stolen bases: Hoblitzell, Lobert. Double play: McCarthy, Miller to Wagner. Left on bases: Pittsburg, 6; Cincinnati, 9. First base on balls: Off White, 7. Struck out: By White, 1; by Beebe, 2. Passed ball: Clark. Time: 1:50. Umpires: Brennan and Emslie.

Cubs Victors, Four to Three.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Detroit won the final game of the season from Chicago here today, 2 to 1, pounding Chouneau, an Indian recruit, fro four hits and two runs in the sixth inning. The score:

CHICAGO.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	DETROIT.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Messenger, lf	3	0	1	0	0	Bush, 3b.	3	0	0	2	0
Zeider, 2b.	1	0	1	3	1	O'Leary, ss.	4	0	1	2	0
Meloan, rf.	4	0	2	1	0	Crawford, cf.	4	2	2	0	0
Chouinard, 2b	4	1	2	3	0	Kirke, 2b.	4	1	1	5	0
Parent, ss.	3	1	1	1	5	T. Jones, 1b.	4	1	10	2	1
C. Mullen, 1b	4	1	13	0	0	G. Mullen, lf.	4	2	1	0	1
Zwilling, cf.	3	0	2	0	0	Willet, rf.	4	1	0	0	0
Payne, c.	4	2	5	1	0	Stanage, c.	4	0	7	3	0
Chouneau, p.	1	0	0	0	1	Donovan, p.	3	0	2	2	0
Lange, p.	2	0	0	0	0						
Totals	29	5	27	10	2	Totals	34	7	27	19	2

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2
Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hit: G. Mullen. Threebase hits: Willet, Crawford. Hits: Off Chouneau, 4 in five and one-third innings; off Lange, 1 in three and two-third innings. Sacrifice hit: Zeider. Double play: Meloan to Mullen. Left on bases: Chicago, 8; Detroit, 6. Bases on balls: Off Donovan, 5; off Lange, 1. First base on errors: Chicago, 1; Detroit, 2. Hit by pitched ball: By Donovan, (Chonesaii). Stuck out: By Chouneau, 2; by Lange, 2; by Donovan, 6. Time: 1:30. Umpires: Perrine and Sheridan.

AMITY IS EASY FOR PERU

Visitors Are Unable to Score Against the Normal Team.

PERU, Neb., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Peru defeated Amity in a close and interesting game here Saturday by a score of 16 to 0. Both teams were evenly matched in weight and speed and neither could gain consistently through the line. Forward passes and end runs were generally resorted to. Peru won the toss up and chose to defend the south goal. Amity kicked to Peru's twenty-yard line and Sims returned the ball to the thirty-yard line. Ptru was held for downs and forced to kick. Amity received the ball and was held for downs. Peru then received the ball and after a series of end plays and line bucks, the quarter ended with the ball on Peru's firty-yard line in possession of Peru.

The second quarter was faster played. Peru took the ball for a touchdown the first five minutes of play.

The third quarter resulted practically nothing, the ball being played most of the time in the middle of the field.

The last quarter Celwick made a gain of forty-five yards around left end. Peru received the ball on kick-off and after a series of end runs and line bucks by Celwick and Sims, the ball was pushed over for the third touchdonw. Renfro kfeked goal. The final score was 16 to 0.

Captain Celwick was injured in the last five minutes of the play with a dislocated knee and will probably be out of the game for the remainder of the season. The lineup:

AMITY.		PERU.
Beckwith	F.B.	F.B. ..... Lundy
Luler	R.H.	R.H. ..... Ralston, Gewish
Cole	L.H.	L.H. ..... Sims
Righr	Q.B.	Q.B. ..... Renfro
R. Hawthorne	C.	C. ..... Gifford
E. Hawthorne	L.G.	L.G. ..... Barnes
Jenkins	R.G.	R.G. ..... Kurse
Wickersham	R.T.	R.T. ..... Stoddard
Reed	L.T.	L.T. ..... Shaffer
McChyonda	L.E.	L.E. ..... Blackstone, Cook
McFarland	R.E.	R.E. ..... Stevens, Cornell

YORK TEAM HERE SATURDAY

High School Champions to Play the Omaha Team.

"York High school, which had the championship foot ball eleven of Nebraska high schools in 1909, is scheduled to meet the Omaha High school at Vinton park Saturday, October 15.

The York team of this year, although it has lost some of its heavy men, is still one of the heaviest foot ball elevens in the state and will undoubtedly give the Omaha lads a hot game. Several of the players are also speedy, including Captain Wiley and Meyers, who are two of the fast track men of the state.

The lineup of the team which will come to Omaha is as follows: Mapps, (181 lbs.), center; Meyer and Campbell, right guards; Burnard and R. Croson, left guards; Croson, left tackle; Mediar, right tackle; Blood, right end; Failing, left end; Osborne and Weidman, halfbacks; Beaver, (190 lbs.), fullback; Wiley (captain), quarter. Subs, Cieland, Coon and Miller.

Coach Starky of the York school is a new man at coaching, but an old one at foot ball. He played two years interscholastic foot ball and two at the Chicago training school. He has great hopes of his new team and hopes to be able to cinch that championship again.

WILLIAM IS BEATEN BY HARVARD

Perkins in Center Adds Strength to Crimson Rush Line.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Harvard met William college at the Stadium in Saturday's game. The afternoon was cold and there was a brisk wind which the teams planned to make the most of. Felton of Harvard and Stevens of William were the kickers and both were very good.

Perkins, at center, was the only shift in Harvard's rush line today. Willie Corbett's return to the back field was delayed. Grausten went in to help the speed of the crimson attacks.

In William's back field were Captain Peterson, Stevens and Prindle, all of whom were on the team that held Harvard down a year ago. Other veterans were Mason and Smith on the rush line.

Final score: Harvard, 21; William, 0.

BLUE OF YALE WAVES OVER FIELD

Holy Cross Fails to Score on the New Haven Gridiron.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Holy Cross and Yale met on the gridiron here Saturday afternoon. For the first time this season the weather was suitable for foot ball. Overcoats and furs were the order of the afternoon. Holy Cross has the reputation of putting up a scrappy game against the Blue.

Final score: Yale, 13; Holy Cross, 0.

Standing of the Teams

AMER. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.	NAT'L LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Phil	102	48	.680	Chicago	101	48	.678
New York	88	63	.583	New York	90	61	.596
Detroit	86	68	.558	Pitts	86	67	.562
Boston	81	72	.530	Phila	76	79	.507
Clevel'd	71	81	.467	Cincin	75	79	.487
Chicago	68	85	.444	Brook	64	88	.421
Wash.	66	85	.437	St. Louis	61	87	.412
St. Louis	47	107	.305	Boston	51	100	.338

Yesterday's Results.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Detroit, 2; Chicago, 1.
Cleveland, 4-3; St. Louis, 5-0.

Games Today.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Pittsburg, 1; Cincinnati, 7.
St. Louis, 3; Chicago, 4.
National League—St. Louis at Chicago, Philadelphia at New York, Boston at Brooklyn.

SOX LOSE LAST OF SEASON

Detroit Finishes with Two to One Victory.

INDIAN RECRUIT HIT HARD

Visitors Secure Four Hits and Two Runs Off His Delivery in Sith Inning—Two Three-Baggers.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Chicago won from St. Louis today, 4 to 3, in a ninth inning rally. Kane starred for the new champions, getting three singles and driving home the deciding count. Cole was wild, giving ten bases on balls, but was lucky in the pinches. The score:

*Two out when winning run was scored.

CHICAGO.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	ST. LOUIS.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Beaumont, lf	3	1	0	0	0	Huggins, 2b.	2	0	2	3	0
Schulte, rf.	5	1	1	1	0	Ellis, lf.	3	0	2	0	0
Hofman, cf	4	1	1	4	0	0 Mowrey, 3b.	2	0	2	1	0
Chance, 1b.	0	0	0	1	0	0 Konetchy, 1b.	3	0	14	0	0
Kane, cf.	4	2	2	0	0	Evans, rf.	4	2	1	1	0
Z'mmer'n, 2b	2	2	1	2	0	Phelps, c.	4	1	3	1	0
Steinfeldt, 3b	2	1	1	1	0	Abbott, cf.	2	0	2	0	0
Tinker, ss.	3	1	5	6	1	Betcher, ss.	2	0	0	7	0
Needham, c.	4	1	3	2	0	Steele, p.	4	1	0	4	0
Cole, p.	4	0	0	2	0						
Totals	33	11	27	16	2	Totals	28	4*26	17	0	

Chicago	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—4
St. Louis	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Two-base hits: Zimmerman, Steele, Tinker, Schulte, Evans. Sacrifice hits: Tinker, (2); Zimmerman. Double plays: Tinker to Hofman; Zimmerman to Tinker to Hofman. Left on bases: Chicago, 9; St. Louis, 11. First base on balls: Off Sole, 10; off Steele, 5. First base on errors: St. Louis, 2. Hit by pitched ball: By Cole, (Evans). Struck out: By Cole, 2; by Steele, 1. Wild pitche: Cole. Time: 1:55. Umpires: Rigler and O'Day.

Cleveland and St. Louis Divide.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 9.—Cleveland and St. Louis divided a double header today, the locals winning the first, 5 to 4, and the visitors taking the second, 3 to 0. Lajoie got eight hits in eight times at bat. Today's games closed the local season. The scores: First game—

ST. LOUIS.	AB.	H.	O.	E.		CLEVELAND.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Truesdale, 3b.	5	0	1	3	1	Bronkie, 3b.	3	1	1	1	1
Corridon, 3b.	0	1	1	1	0	Graney, lf.	4	1	4	0	0
Stone, lf.	4	2	1	0	0	Jackson, cf.	4	1	1	0	0
Griggs, 1b.	5	1	12	1	0	Lajoie, 2b.	4	1	4	3	1
Wallace, ss.	3	1	1	3	0	Easterly, rf.	4	0	1	0	0
Norther, cf.	4	0	2	0	0	Stovall, 1b.	4	2	7	0	0
Hartzell, rf.	3	1	1	0	0	Smith, c.	4	0	4	1	0
Stephens, c.	3	2	4	4	0	P'k'ng'h, ss	4	0	2	6	0
Nelson, p.	3	1	1	6	0	Blanding p.	4	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	10	27	21	1	Totals	35	10*24	10	1	

St. Louis	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	—5
Cleveland	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Two-base hits: Jackson, Corindon, Griggs, Graney, Stephens. Three-base hits: Lajoie, Griggs. Sacrifice hit: Stephens. Stolen bases: Bronkie, Stovall, Griggs. Wild pitch: By Blanding, 1. Bases on balls: Off Nelson, 1; off Blanding, 1. Struck out: By Nelson, 4; by Blanding, 4. Left on bases: St. Louis, 12; Cleveland, 5. Time: 1:42. Umpire, Evans.

ST. LOUIS.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	CLEVELAND.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Truesdale, 3b	4	0	2	0	1	B'n'gh'm, 3b	4	2	1	5	0
Corridon, 3b.	4	2	2	3	1	Graney, lf.	5	0	1	4	0
Stone, lf.	4	1	0	0	0	Jackson, cf.	4	2	1	0	0
Griggs, 1b.	4	0	10	0	0	Lajoie, 2b.	4	4	0	4	0
Wallace, ss.	3	1	1	4	0	Easterly, rf.	4	0	2	0	0
Northen, cf.	3	0	3	0	0	Mohnhort, 1b	3	1	18	0	0
Hartzell, rf.	3	1	2	0	0	Mcguire, c.	3	0	2	1	0
O'Connor, c.	0	0	1	0	0	P'k'ng'h, ss	4	1	2	4	0
Malloy, p.	3	0	0	5	1	Falkenb'g, p.	3	0	0	5	0
Killifer, c.	3	0	6	2	0						
Totals	31	5	27	12	3	Totals	34	10	27	19	2

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Cleveland	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Two-base hits: Birmingham, Corridon. Sacrifice hit: Lajoie. Double plays: Malloy to Truesdale to Griggs; Lajoie to Peckinpaugh to Hornhorst. Passed balls: By McGuire, 1; by Killifer, 1. Stolen base: Stone. Hit by pitched balls: By Malloy, 4. Struck out: By Malloy, 6; by Falkenberg, 1; Left on bases: St. Louis, 4; Cleveland, 10. Time: 1:16. Umpire, Evans.

Bellevue Men Beat Alumni in Hard Game

Old-Timers Show Great Form, but Cannot Stay the Pace from Ill Condition.

The first alumni game ever held at Bellevue took place Saturday at Bellevue. Many of the stars who shone for Bellevue in former years were in the game, and their fierce play shows that but little of their old time form has been lost. Although they lost by the score of 13 to 6, they were not easily beaten. The contest was not cinched for the varsity until the last quarter. Kearns, an old All-Nebraska star, was the mainstay of the alumni line, often nabbing the Bellevue quarter before he could pass the ball. Stroud, an ex-guard, also broke up many of the varsity plays behind the line. "Nig" Dow was back in his place at left end. Ohman, '08, ran the team at quarter as though he had captained it all season.

Bellevue scored in the first three minutes of play. Jones left end, racing twenty yards on a fumble to the Alumni two-yard line. Claubaugh carried the ball over on the next play. Johnson missed goal. Score, 5-0. In the second quarter the alumni backs missed a punt, which rolled over the goal line and was touched down by a Bellevue man. Cinbaugh missed goal. Score, 10-0. In this quarter Bellevue again threatened the alumni goal, carrying the ball by line plunges and short end runs to the four-yard line. Here the alumni took a brace and held like a stonewall, the ball lacked only six inches of being over on the third down, when time was called. There was no scoring in the third quarter although the play was in the alumni territory. Bellevue forced the alumni back to their own four-yard line, and Moore fell back to kick, but instead caught the varsity asleep and ran the ball back sixty-five yards. In the last quarter the alumni began to show their lack of training, time was taken out frequently, and though there was no let up in nerve and spirit, they were unable to advance the ball or come back hard enough to hold the better trained varsity, who carried the bal through the alumni line to the fifteen-yard line, where Johnson scored the last three points of the game by a drop kick. Time was called with the ball again dangerously near the alumni's goal. Straight football was used altogether by the Bellevue team. There was a marked improvement in both offense and defense over the loose game of last Saturday.

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