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JAKE DAUBERT TAKES LEAD

Brooklyn First Baseman Goes to Front in Batting in the National League.

KRUEGER HEADS THE WESTERN

CHICAGO, June 18.—While Ty Cobb holds the lead in the American League, and the only batting average in the majors better than .400, new leaders have appeared in the National and Federal leagues, according to figures compiled here today. Jake Daubert is ahead in the National and Vincent Campbell in the Federal. The ten leading batters of the National League who have played in at least half of the games, including those of last Wednesday, are: Daubert, Brooklyn, .379; Luders, Philadelphia, .354; Good, Chicago, .347; Doyle, New York, .335; Fletcher, New York, .327; Jroh, Cincinnati, .324; Saler, Chicago, .318; Connolly, Boston, .314; Robertson, New York, .313; J. Smith, Boston, .312. Slater is the leading slugger, with .068 total bases. He and Robert of New York are tied in runs scored, with 35, and Robertson, New York, and Johnston, Pittsburgh, have 30. Slater is in stolen bases, with 13 each. Crayth, Philadelphia, leads the home-run hitters, with 3. New York is first in club batting, with .308, and St. Louis is next, with .300. Pitchers of the National League, who have taken part in ten or more games and whose winning averages are better than 2.00 are: Meadows, St. Louis, won 6, lost 1; Mayer, Philadelphia, 11 and 2; Ragan, Boston, 5 and 1; Pierce, Chicago, 5 and 1; Mammur, Pittsburgh, 5 and 2; Schneider, Cincinnati, 4 and 1; Alexander, Philadelphia, 11 and 3. Cobb Stars in Front. Leaders in the American League who have played in at least half of the games are: Cobb, Detroit, .401; Jackson, Cleveland, .384; Fournier, Chicago, .357; Veach, Detroit, .352; Lajoie, Philadelphia, .343; Crawford, Detroit, .334; Missl, New York, .331; Kavanaugh, Detroit, .321; Turner, Cleveland, .320; Cooper, and Eddie Collins, Chicago, and Lewis, Boston, tied for tenth at .316. With 61 runs to his credit in 56 games, 168 total bases and 38 stolen bases, Cobb remains in front in those departments of the game. Fredwell, New York, batted himself into a tie with Oldrine, Philadelphia, for home-run honor at 4 each. Chicago leads in team hitting, with .348. Detroit is second, with .339. Six pitchers who have worked in ten or more games are: Faber, Chicago, won 10, lost 2; Foster, Boston, 7 and 2; Coakley, Detroit, 5 and 3; Fisher, New York, 3 and 2; Jones, Chicago, 5 and 2; Scott, Chicago, 5 and 2. Campbell Takes Lead. In the Federal, the top pitcher hiters are Campbell, Newark, .363; Magee, Brooklyn, .357; Hoffman, Buffalo, .353; Mearley, Kansas City, .341; Duncan, .340; .337; Evans, Brooklyn, .331; Kault, Brooklyn, .321; Cooper, Brooklyn, .321; Mayer, Brooklyn, .321; McDonald, Buffalo, .321. Magee with twenty leads the base stealers and Evans leads the run getters with thirty-three and the sluggers with eighty-seven total bases. Kenelochy, Pittsburgh; Walsh, Boston, and Jones, Chicago, lead the home run hitters, with five each in club batting. Brooklyn has .350 and Newark is second with .348. Leading pitchers are Cullop, Kansas City, won ten, lost three; Main, Kansas City, won seven, lost three; Frank, St. Louis, won seven, lost three; only three pitchers had averages of .500 or better in the Federal league. In the American Association Champion of Kansas City leads the batting with .338. Kansas City, with .331, leads in team hitting. Casey of Providence leads the International League, with .311. Buffalo leads in team hitting with .333. In the Southern association Lord, Memphis, leads the batters with .333. New Orleans, with .334, leads in team hitting. Krueger Leads Western. Leading letters of the Western League are Krueger, Omaha, .353; Lajoie, Sioux Falls, .340; Spenser, Denver, .330; Galloway, Denver, .324; Griffith, Wichita, .323; Poythie, Omaha, .318; Krug, Omaha, .318; McCormick, Denver, .313; Tolman, Wichita, .313; Spahr, Denver, .313. First Among the Base Stealers is Watson, St. Joseph, with seventeen. Krug is leading in total bases, with ninety-four and Smith, Omaha, in runs scored, with thirty-five. Des Moines is first in team batting, with .332, and Denver is next, with .325. Leading pitchers are Mitchell, Denver, who won eight and lost two; Dunn, Topeka, seven and two; McGraw, Des Moines, ten and three. Const League. At San Francisco—Score: R.F.E. Portland, 10; Omaha, 11; 2. Batteries: Portland, Higginbotham and Carlich; Oakland, Boyd, Albee and Kahn, 9. At Salt Lake City—Score: R.F.E. Salt Lake City, 2; Omaha, 1; 3. Batteries: Venne, Fromme and Mitchell; Salt Lake City, Williams and Hyatt. At Los Angeles—Score: R.F.E. Salt Lake City, 1; Omaha, 2; 1. Batteries: San Francisco, Smith and Hill; Los Angeles, Love and Stone. At Salt Lake City—R.F.E. Venne, 7; 11. At Salt Lake City—R.F.E. Venne, 7; 11. Batteries: Venne, Pierce and Spencer; Salt Lake City, Lacey, J. Williams, Ball and Hedler.

Standing of Teams

WEST LEAGUE NAT'L LEAGUE

Des Moines	20	18	Chicago	20	18
Denver	24	18	St. Louis	23	18
Topeka	27	18	Philadelphia	25	18
Omaha	30	23	St. Louis	25	18
Lincoln	32	20	Boston	27	18
St. Joseph	33	18	Brooklyn	28	18
Wichita	33	18	New York	28	18
Sioux City	33	18	Cincinnati	30	18

FED. LEAGUE

Chicago	15	12	Kan. City	25	18
St. Louis	15	12	St. Louis	25	18
Detroit	15	12	Chicago	25	18
New York	15	12	Pittsburg	25	18
Wash.	15	12	Brooklyn	25	18
Cleveland	15	12	Newark	25	18
St. Louis	15	12	Baltimore	25	18
Phila.	15	12	Buffalo	25	18

AMER. ASSN. STATE LEAGUE

Indianapolis	17	13	Beattie	17	13
Louisville	17	13	York	17	13
Kan. City	17	13	Norfolk	17	13
St. Paul	17	13	Isl. Island	17	13
Milwaukee	17	13	Fairbury	17	13
Minneapolis	17	13	Hastings	17	13
Columbus	17	13			

Yesterday's Results.

WESTERN LEAGUE
Topeka, 6; Wichita, 7.
Other games postponed; rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York, 9; Cincinnati, 7.
Philadelphia, 4; Cincinnati, 7.
Brooklyn, 5; Chicago, 5.
Boston, 1; St. Louis, 8.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago, 8; Philadelphia, 2.
Cleveland, 4; New York, 5.
Pittsburg, 2; Newark, 4. Called and
brought to allow St. Louis catch train.

DETROIT: W. Washington, 7.
St. Louis, 6-4; Brooklyn, 2-2.
Chicago, 5; Baltimore, 1.
Kansas City, 2-4; Buffalo, 0-3.
Pittsburg, 2; Newark, 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Minneapolis, 5; Kansas City, 5.
Indianapolis, 2; Columbus, 0.
St. Paul, 19; Milwaukee, 4.
Cleveland, 9; Louisville, 5.

NEBRASKA STATE LEAGUE.
All State League games postponed.

Games Today.

Western League—Denver at Omaha (two games), Lincoln at Sioux City (two games), Des Moines at Topeka (two games).
National League—Philadelphia at Cincinnati, Brooklyn at Chicago, Boston at St. Louis.
Federal League—Pittsburgh at Newark, Philadelphia at Chicago, Cleveland at Toledo, Hastings at Norfolk, Fairbury at Beattie.

New Captains of Omaha High School Athletics



Charles Moriarty, Herald Grove, and Floyd Paynter.

Charles Moriarty is captain-elect of the Omaha Central High school football team; Herald Grove will lead the base ball team, and Floyd Paynter is to head the basketball squad. These captains were chosen last week by the players, and have earned their distinction by their work.

HAL BOY WINS TWO HEATS IN BIG PACE

Omaha Pacer First in Fourth and Fifth Rounds and Yields Victory Only on Points.

MAKES FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS

SAN FRANCISCO, June 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Hal Boy, owned by Ed Peterson of Omaha, won the last two of five heats in the \$20,000 230 class pacing race at the exposition track today, but under the rules which ended the race at the first heat, he was forced to yield first place to White Sox, W. G. Durfee's entry. Hal Boy received second money, which amounted to \$4,000. He was driven by Marvin Childs.

When Hal Boy fell back to sixth place in the third heat, as it afterward turned out, he lost first money. White Sox in this heat finishing third, thus gaining an advantage which she retained by gaining second place in the fifth heat. Each horse won two heats with O. U. C. grabbing the third heat. Bad racing luck was responsible for Hal Boy's position in the third heat.

Hal Boy proved himself the master of the field in the last two heats and was generally credited with having the ability to win the race had it been to a finish.

White Sox took the first two heats in impressive style, his time for both being 2:08.4, but he could not maintain the pace and O. U. C. captured the third and Hal Boy the last two. White Sox raced consistently, however, losing the final heat only by a nose.

Potro Boi won the 11th pace, the only other event on the card, with a best time of 1:56.5. Summary:

230 class, three heats; purse, \$20,000.

Hal Boy, b. m. (Childs)	2	1	2
White Sox, b. m. (Childs)	1	2	1
O. U. C. b. m. (Childs)	1	1	2
The Beaver, b. m. (Heming)	3	3	3
Diola, b. m. (Durfee)	4	4	4
Time, 2:08.4, 2:08.8, 2:11.1.			
Hal Boy, b. m. (Smith); Potro Boi, b. m. (Fellison) also started.			

230 class, three in five heats; purse, \$5,000.

White Sox, b. m. (Durfee)	1	2	3
Hal Boy, b. m. (Childs)	2	1	1
O. U. C. b. m. (F. Childs)	1	1	2
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MANY NEW TENNIS STARS

General Development of a Great Number of Players Chief Distinction of Present Year.

WEST OUTSHINES THE EAST

NEW YORK, June 18.—It seems probable that when the final review of the season of the present year of Grace on the American lawn tennis courts is compiled by the official historians that it will be written down chiefly as remarkable for the general development of a great number of players. Numbers are beginning to find the exercise and excitement, the exhilaration, and the joy, of the fine direct competition which the game affords. The Davis cup matches have proven of rare educational value. Many, hitherto skeptical, have come to realize that physical endurance of the highest type is as much required in the sport of the courts as in the foot ball field, in the varsity crew or in the boxing ring.

An instance of what that physical test means has been illustrated during the last few days on the courts of the Morris Town Field club, where Miss Molla Bjurstedt, the girl from Norway who has held attention focused on her remarkable playing for several months, at last yielded to the collapse of strained and tired muscles. Miss Bjurstedt is no weakling. These who have seen her in action attest to that, and also the long line of opponents who have met defeat at her hands. The daughter of Vikings seemed possessed of a constitution of iron and steel springs. Her vigorous and amazing vitality made her a star performer in any tournament—and every club of any prominence eagerly sought her entry for her appearance in a special match.

Track Under Strain. "Prima donna" is not exactly strewn with roses. It is the same way with the men who have won laurels on the courts. Pressure is brought to bear from all directions to secure the appearance of the star on this or that court. It is almost impossible, unless actually engaged in another match, to refuse. The physical strain is terrific, and at last the willing player snaps under the miles of footwork with the racket just as Miss Bjurstedt has. The path to glory in lawn tennis lead to exhaustion due to too much competition and an excess of entertainment. Miss Bjurstedt is no exception to the rule. Maurice E. McLoughlin, Miss Sutton, Beale Wright at the height of his career and others who have worn the purple of the courts have all experienced the trial of the physical demands which the game makes upon those who follow it closely and who rise to its greatest heights.

As the ever-increasing numbers of players learn that real physical condition plays an important part in tennis, that it will be a severe test for the trained athlete, it has grown in favor. One of the things that has directly handicapped

HIGH HONOR FOR BRICKLEY

Is One of the Few Harvard Athletes Who Holds an "H" in Three Major Sports.

HARDWICK ALSO GETS HONOR

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 18.—Charles Brickley will take his place in that class of athletic immortals commonly known as "three-H men" during commencement time the latter part of this month. He will then join Tack Hardwick in holding the "H" of Harvard in three major sports. The present senior class will rejoice when Brickley hands in the exclusive ring of three-H men, for it will give the 1915 men the honor of being the first class to be represented by two such all-round athletes.

Brickley's third "H" will come in base ball, for he has demonstrated to Head Coach Haughton that he has the goods in the outfield and at the bat just as much as he has then when he is within the 90-yard line of the opponents in a foot ball game. Brickley has already won a steady place in the outfield of the varsity base ball team, and since it is necessary for a Harvard man to compete against Yale before he can win his "H" in sport, Brickley will necessarily have to wait for the fire game of the Harvard-Yale series, on June 22, before he can get his base ball letter.

For three years now Tack Hardwick has been enjoying the distinction of being the only Harvard man in college to wear three "H's," for he won the triple honor in his sophomore year by playing on the varsity foot ball team in the fall, putting the shot for the track team in the Yale dual meet and then playing on the varsity base ball team.

Brickley also had a wish to gain three letters when he entered Harvard, but his great importance to the foot ball team as soon as he developed his drop-kicking wizardry stood in the way of his competing for base ball. In his sophomore year he cleaned up on putting the shot in track, another one of his "H's" in foot ball track and he has been improving in base ball efficiency ever since.

When Brickley and Hardwick quit Harvard in June there will be a dearth of possibilities for three-letter men among the undergraduates. At present, Westmore Wilcox, the sensational quarter-mile runner, stands out as having the best chance of accomplishing the feat. He is a member of the sophomore class and this is his first year of varsity eligibility.

Dodge County Boys To Give Joe Stecher A Big Diamond Belt

Dodge county friends of Joe Stecher are preparing to give him a diamond-studded belt for his international tennis triumph. The American national tennis champion, who defeated Miss Florence Sheldon, Montclair Athletic club champion, 6-2, 5-4.

Texas Beats Orleans Man. ATLANTA, Ga., June 18.—C. L. Dexter of Dallas, Tex., won the championship of the Southern association tennis championship, won again today in the special tournament at the Crescent Athletic club. He defeated Miss Florence Sheldon, Montclair Athletic club champion, 6-2, 5-4.

Southern League. Birmingham, 7; New Orleans, 1. Memphis, 6; Chattanooga, (Ten innings). Nashville, 8; Little Rock, 6. (Called end ninth, darkness). Atlanta, 4; Mobile, 6.

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FIGHT COACHES ARE SCARCE

Men with Ability to Train Pugilists Are Few and Far Between These Days.

THIS IS WHAT SHE SAW

NEW YORK, June 18.—How to train, or rather, how to practice, is something the modern boxer needs to learn. There are few good coaches today. Once the trainers were as famous in their line as the men they handled. Now there is not one who is noted for his skill in developing latent talent.

There is no doubt that it is because of the lack of good coaching that there are so few good hitters. Hitting is an art that can be developed only by long practice, and the right kind of practice. Hugs muscles are not required. Control of the right muscles is the secret, but it is a secret that is seldom stumbled upon by accident. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred the aspiring boxer does not even realize that there is such a secret, so his chances of acquiring the knack can easily be imagined. Even those who have learned the art of hitting properly are seldom competent to impart their knowledge to others when they have a desire to do so. And, as a rule, they are not anxious to offer advice to a rival.

It takes more brain to be able to impart knowledge than it does to acquire it. That is why so few retired fighters make good coaches. For instance, Bob Fitzsimmons probably knew more about hitting than any fighter who ever lived, but he has not been successful as a coach, although he has often expressed a desire to oversee the training of some ambitious heavyweight.

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MORE TALK OF SLASHING

Rumor of Conference of Minor Mags to Cut Expenses Revived.

O'NEILL MAKES A STATEMENT

CHICAGO, June 18.—It was learned here today that the more radical proponents of economical measures among the higher class minor league magnates have proposed a combined movement by the leading circuits to reduce salaries and even to curtail the playing season sharply this year. The movement would require action by the international league, the American association, the Pacific coast league, the Western and the Southern leagues. Though a proposed meeting of the presidents of these organizations was discussed, it is said, at the American association session here early this week, President Chivington said today he had heard nothing of it.

President Johnson of the American league was quoted not long ago as saying some of the minor leagues would better suspend for the season rather than battle against the unusual weather, and reported lack of interest and unfavorable times. Certain magnates, taking their cue from this statement, have advocated extreme measures, but others believing that interest is reviving and that a return of good weather is due, are opposed to radical action.

Discussing the statement made by Hugh Jones, owner of the Lincoln club, who said it would ask the reduction of the salary of President O'Neill among the measures of economy in the Western league, O'Neill said today he would abide by any action of the league.

"They can take half my salary, as Jones proposes to do with me," said the president. "And I will run the business of the league just the same. The league is welcome to use my own money as well as my salary as it has done before. It has at different times used \$10,000 of mine, and is welcome to it again."

No date for further discussion of the retrenchment plans has been set. President O'Neill said he is waiting now for further reports on the proposition put to ball players regarding a cut in their salaries.

NEW YORK, June 18.—President Edward Bush of the international league said today he understood that a proposition to reduce salaries and possibly curtail the playing season had been under discussion by some of the minor league executives.

"Certainly the international league is not planning to reduce player's salaries or curtail the playing season which is scheduled to close on September 15," he said.