

BRINGING UP FATHER



ROURKES SLAUGHTER BEARS OF DENVER

Opportune Hits by Omaha and Expensive Errors of Rivals Decide Game.

TEN HITS OFF THOMPSON

Denver, Colo., June 7.—Opportune hits by Omaha and expensive errors figured in Denver's defeat here today, 5 to 3. Reynolds held the visitors to seven hits, while ten were made off Thompson. The score:

Scoreboard for Rourkes vs. Thompson. Columns include team, AB, R, H, O, A, E. Omaha leads 5-3. Includes a 'Totals' row at the bottom.

Standing of Teams

Western League Standings Table. Lists teams like Omaha, Lincoln, Des Moines, etc., with columns for W, L, Pct. Includes a 'Totals' row at the bottom.

TO MAKE A "NO STOP" RUN TO CHICAGO—A. R. Hanson at the wheel ready for the start. Will carry message for the new athletic club of Omaha to president of Chicago Athletic club. In car with him is George Reim.



Today noon, Alfred R. Hansen, president of Lincoln Inn, will start from the site of the new Omaha Athletic club, Douglas, near Seventeenth street, in an eight-cylinder Cadillac roadster, to endeavor to make a new amateur road record from Omaha to Chicago, 550 miles. He will be accompanied by his mechanic, Larry Nygaard, a well known figure in automobile circles. This will be the first record tried for by the new Athletic Club of Omaha and every effort will be made to smash all previous time limits from Omaha to Chicago. From the time the big white car leaves Douglas street until it arrives in Chicago, the two men in it will subsist on memories of a good lunch and anticipation of a good breakfast, for the car will not make any stops except one for gas. The board of governors of the Ak-Sar-Ben will meet the car upon its arrival in Chicago and immediately telegraph the result to those awaiting the news in Omaha.

THEY'RE OFF AT THE BENSON TRACK TODAY

Harness Horses Await the Starters' Signal in Opening Meeting of the Season.

LARGE FIELD OF ENTRIES

"They're off." When Starter F. D. Van Pelt swells his manly chest and steps to the front of the judge's stand at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon to announce the first heat in the 2:11 pace, the opening race in the three days' meeting at the Benson track, under the auspices of the Douglas County Fair association, the ice will have been formally broken for the local season of harness racing. After weeks of preparation in which the fair association officials have been successful in landing the largest and one of the classiest field of entries ever seen in middle west horsemanship, the trappings and stage settings are ready for a trio of days' worship at the shrine of the harness edition of the sport of kings. Track Looks Good. The Benson course, conceded to be one of the fastest half-mile ovals in the middle west, is in excellent condition and, barring an unwelcome performance by old J. Pluy, this morning the drivers should wheel their charges with no complaint to offer as to the track. As this will be the opening meeting on the Nebraska Midway Racing circuit, owners and drivers are especially anxious to get away good. More than 100 keen-looking harness jacks will race for the money in the three days' events, and as each race has entries aplenty, the competition promises to be unusually spirited. Horsemen from all parts of the middle west have been trekking into this city the last few days, and this fact, together with the widespread interest taken by Omahans in the country-wide revival of harness racing, insure large crowds. The street railway company has announced special service to the Benson track for the three days' meeting; as an added incentive to motorists the fair association will park cars free. The curtain raiser on today's program is to be the 2:11 pace, in which there are seven entries. The purse is \$400. A local horse, Irene Beau, owned by Otis M. Smith, will come down under the wire with many supporters. The second race on the program, the 2:18 trot, with a \$400 purse, has the largest number of entries of any event on the first day's program. Of the ten entries some of the well known contestants are: Bon Courage, owned by the Hemet Stock farm; Lad McKinney, owned by A. L. Thomas and Meyer; Pronto J., owned by Tom Dennison; California B., owned by Earl Beasley; Tuita, owned by K. Macdermid and William Irving. The 2:25 class, 3-year-old (stake) trot, with \$100 added, promises seven starters, including three horses owned by the Midway Stock farm, Albie Todd, Bettie Iwan and Abidale, and A. L. Thomas' Max-Meyers. The fourth race on today's program

Van Pelt to Start 'Em.

Of the officials, semi-officials and officials by proxy, the following will have the right to strut about the judge's stand: F. D. Van Pelt of Omaha, starter; C. M. Buck of Omaha, head judge; H. C. Reisen of Beatrice, clerk of the course; Gene Melady of Omaha, head timer.

A special attraction each afternoon of the meeting will be an exhibition mile by Babe King, owned by Miss Frances Dennison. Babe King has earned the title of the world's fastest racing pony and will go over the circuit this year. Jim Ronin will wear the colors. Several harness horses—certain horses that the owners do not care to keep on their strings any longer, are to be sold at auction in front of the grand stand tomorrow afternoon. Starter Van Pelt will perform the "what am I bid?" stuff. A couple of local horses of prominence will go to the highest bidders. American Association. At Louisville—R. H. E. Indiana... 1-4 7 3. At Kansas City—R. H. E. Illinois... 1-12 12 3. At Columbus at Toledo, postponed; wet grounds. St. Paul at Jilwaukee, postponed; rain.

LINKS TAKE SECOND GAME

Defeat Wichita in Slow Battle, in Which Not Single Run Is Earned.

Wichita, Kan., June 7.—Lincoln took the second game today from Wichita, 4 to 1. Both teams played slow ball and not a run was earned.

JOHNSON'S SINGLE WINS FOR BROWNS

St. Louis Captures Opener From New York by Six-to-Five Score.

St. Louis, June 7.—Johnson's single in the twelfth inning scored Sister from second at St. Louis when the opening game from New York today, 6 to 5. It was the local's fifth straight victory.

BRAVES WIN WITH BUT FOUR BLOWS

Hall Holds Boston to Few Hits, But the Passes Help Them.

Boston, June 7.—Hall held the Braves to four hits today, but passes followed by safe drives proved costly, Boston winning, 3 to 2. St. Louis could do little against Ragan until the eighth inning, when they bunched three singles and a base on balls, scoring two runs. Score: Boston 3, St. Louis 2.

Frank Hale Heads The City Golfers

F. W. Hale of the Field club was elected president of the Metropolitan Golf association at a meeting held yesterday at the Commercial club. J. M. O'Neill of the Miller Park Golf club was elected secretary-treasurer.

Students in the Law College Given Honors

Lincoln, Neb., June 7.—(Special Telegram).—Four graduates of the law college of the University of Nebraska were awarded Theta Kappa Nu honors at the close of commencement exercises here today. Theta Kappa Nu is the honorary scholarship fraternity in the Law college.

Josies Drop Game To Sioux Braves

St. Joseph, Mo., June 7.—St. Joseph lost to Sioux City, 4 to 3. Sioux City came from behind and won the game.

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Rourkes Knocking Them Dead on Road, Writes Pa Rourke

"We're knocking 'em dead," is the way Pa Rourke describes the activities of his Omaha ball club on the road in a letter to the folks at home. "The team is playing championship ball," scribbles the enthusiastic Pa. "We're going to win the big percentage of our games on this long road trip and we're coming home in first place. And we're going to stay there."

RAIN DELAYS TRIALS FOR CHICAGO CLASSIC

Chicago, June 7.—All hope of holding any of the elimination trials today for the second annual automobile derby to be run Saturday was given up late this afternoon because of rain. The entrants will be obliged to take their trials tomorrow afternoon, as Friday has been left open to cleaning the track and otherwise preparing the course for the race itself.

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G. O. P. CONVENTION DOWN TO BUSINESS

That it was not a time for "reminiscence, but a day of reconstruction." He spoke more than an hour, referring seldom to his manuscript, and interrupted frequently by applause cheers as he scored the democratic administration for inefficiency, incapacity and extravagance, and declared the republican party's allegiance to a protective tariff and national defense. He closed with a peroration on Americanism and republicanism, which was marked with applause lasting less than a minute. The delegates rose to their feet, some cheered, some hats were thrown into the air and there was some waving of handkerchiefs, but they settled down quickly and the temporary chairman recognized in rapid succession speakers from the floor who offered the customary resolutions for perfecting the temporary organization.

IOWA VARSITY AWARDS BASE BALL AND TRACK I.

Clough City, Ia., June 7.—(Special).—Hal Clough of Des Moines, Ia., third baseman, has been elected captain of the base ball team for next year. Honorary 1st in base ball and track men have been granted by the board in control of athletics by the following men: Base Ball—Eugene Deardorff, Miller, Harbison, Logan, Kerwick, Hanson, Van Lant, Knecht and Knapp. Track and Outdoor—secondary members.

CONVENTION ADJOURNS

This was quickly over with the meeting places of the committee were announced and at 1:25 the convention was declared adjourned until 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The delegates filed out into the driving rain, where they found 1,000 automobiles furnished them by Mayor Thompson's reception committee waiting for them. The convention adjourned in haste when the resolutions committee returned later in the afternoon to give a public hearing to any one who wanted to suggest plans in the platform. The first day's work was over quickly and comparatively quietly, with everyone talking about the placid matter-of-fact way things had started off.

LEE TIRES

The Greatest Tire Advance of the Time. Lee Tires—Lee Tires—Lee Tires. Lee Tires—Lee Tires—Lee Tires.

MAGEE'S CLOSING OUT SALE

Offers the Men of Omaha THE GREATEST BARGAINS IN HIGH GRADE Clothing, Furnishings and Hats THEY EVER KNEW Everything Must Be Sold Before July 1

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