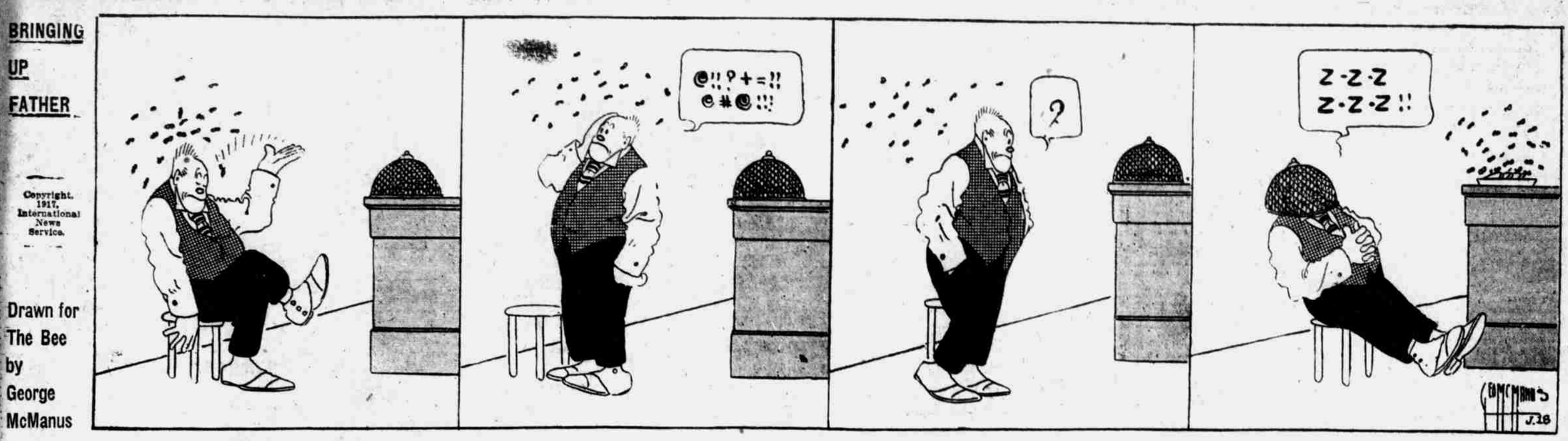

DENVER WALKS OFF WITH GIFT OF GAME

Cecil Thompson Donates Eighteen Hits and His Teammates Contribute Errors to Make Eleven to Six Defeat.

The Denver Bears clubbed out eighteen bingles yesterday and walked away with the first game of the Rourke-Denver series, 11 to 6.

Steve Dale, who did the pitching for the visitors, held Omaha to four hits till the ninth frame, when he loosened up a bit and gave them four runs on three hits, two walks and an error.

Cecil Thompson was slaughtered. Actually slaughtered. Only three of the eighteen hits went for extra bases, but that was enough. Pitcher Dale got two of these, a pair of doubles. Nicholson was given a terrible initiation into the mystic circles of Omaha balldom and was made to run all over the right pasture. Of course, he wasn't the only one who had to cover ground in order to give the scores a chance to note the hits, runs and errors. There was Earl Smith wth his bum hoof. And Shag. The absolute count of the number of miles traveled by these three gents is staggering.

Five Errors Help.

Krug, Williams and Burg didn't think Cecil gas going right, so they helped him out with five errors and Cecil himself bobbled once.

Miller made his first appearance here as arbiter and his first was pleasing in every respect.

The champs, woh will be acknowledged such at tomorrow's game, when the pennant is hauled up on the flagpole mid fitting ceremonies, made a valiant fight in the last frame. Smith was safe at second on Hartzell's error. Shaw flew out to Butcher and Williams tripled. Burg followed with a double. Cooney grounded out and Brottem pinching for C. Thompson walked. The spectators by this time were beginning to come to, so Nicholson ripped off a single, his second hit in the game. Krug walked and J. Thompson, weakened by his strenuous day in the field flew out to McCormack.

Place For Williams.

Dave Williams will probably take Bradley's present place permanently, That is, on the bench. Dave only hits occasionally, bobbles as often and can't keep cool.

Nicholson will doubtless prove what what Omaha has needed for some time, and if Smith recovers from his bad foot and bad slump at the same time, these two with Thompson should make a good outfield.

The flag will be raised this afternoon before the game.

Links Trim Izzies in Fast Twirling Battle

Lincoln, July 17.—In a battle between pitchers Lincoln won the opening game from Wichita, by 2 to 1. Score:

WICHITA.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	LINCOLN.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
The'on,cf	4	1	1	0	0	Carlisle,lf	3	0	1	0	0
Berger,ss	3	0	2	5	1	Schm't,1b	4	0	15	0	0
Jones,1b	3	0	9	1	0	Bayless,cf	4	0	2	0	0
Coy,rf	4	0	1	0	0	Lober,rf	4	1	0	0	0
Good'n,2b	2	0	3	3	1	Berg'r,ss	1	1	1	2	0
M'B'de,lf	3	0	2	0	0	Smith,2b	3	0	2	7	0
Davis,3b	3	1	3	5	1	Lamb,3b	4	0	0	1	0
Yaryan,c	3	1	2	0	2	Rohrer,c	1	0	5	1	0
Lyons,p.	1	0	1	2	0	Bastp...	2	1	0	4	0
*Reuther	1	1	0	0	0						
	Totals	27	3	27	15	0					

Totals 28 4 24 17 5

*Batted for Lyons in ninth.

Wichita	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Lincoln	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	*	—2

Double plays: Berghammer, Smith and Schmandt. Stolen bases: Bayless, Berghammer, Rohrer. Sacrifice hits: Berger, Jones, Lyons, Berghammer, Smith. Struck out: By Lyons 1, by East 6. Base on balls: Off Lyons 5. Earned runs: Wichita 1. Passed ball: Yaryan 1. Left on bases: Lincoln 8, Wichita 5. Hits: Off Lyons, 3 in eight innings; off East, 4 in nine innings. Time, 1:31. Umpire: Brown.

Kallio Hands Shutout To St. Joseph Aggregation

Des Moines, La., July 17.—Kallio struck out ten men and was invincible today, defeating "Babe" Adams, 2 to 0, in a hurling duel. Score:

ST. JOSEPH.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	DES MOINES.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
M'Cabe,cf	4	2	3	0	0	Case,lf...	4	1	3	0	0
Falk,2b..	2	0	0	4	0	Ewoldt,3b	3	1	2	3	0
M'Mi'n,3b	4	1	1	1	0	Moeller,cf	3	0	3	0	0
Dilts,lf..	4	0	1	0	0	Hunter,rf	3	1	0	0	0
Wil'ms,1b	4	1	11	0	1	Fort'an,2b	3	0	1	1	0
Hart'll,rf	4	0	0	0	0	Swee'y,1b	3	1	8	0	0
Shay,ss..	3	1	2	1	0	Spahr,c..	2	0	10	0	1
O'Brien,c	3	0	6	1	0	Kallio,p.	3	0	0	3	0
Adams,p.	3	1	0	3	0						
	Totals	31	6	24	10	1	Totals	27	4	27	9	1

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

Two-base hits: Shay, McCabe. Sacrifice hits: Falk (2), Ewoldt. Stolen bases: Williams. Left on bases: St. Joseph 6, Des Moines 3. Struck out: By Kallio 10, by Adams 6. First base on balls: Off Adams 1. Earned runs: Des Moines 1. Double play: Ewoldt to Sweeney. Umpire: Shannon. Time: 1:19.

Southern Association.

Nashville, 8-0; Birmingham, 1-1. (Second game seven innings by agreement.)
Memphis, 2; New Orleans, 3.
Chattanooga, 3; Atlantt, 2.
zLittle Rock, 0; Mobile, 1.

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Some Bears

OMAHA.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Nicholson, rf	5	1	2	4	0	0
Krug, ss	4	1	3	0	2	1
J. Thompson, cf	5	0	1	4	0	0
Smith,lf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Shaw, c	4	0	0	1	1	0
Williams, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	2
Burg, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	2
Cooney, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	0
C. Thompson, p	3	0	0	0	1	1
*Brottem	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	6	9	26	*11	6

DENVER.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Oakes, cf	5	1	0	4	0	0
Kelleher, ss	5	2	3	5	5	2
Butcher, lf	5	2	3	1	0	0
McCormack, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Mills, 1b	5	2	2	8	1	0
Hartzell, 2b	5	2	4	3	3	1
Wuffli, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	0
Shestak, c	5	0	1	4	1	0
Dale, p	4	1	3	0	3	2
Totals	42	11	18	27	11	5

*Shestak out for interference.
*Batted for C. Thompson in ninth.

Omaha	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	4—	6
Denver	1	0	0	1	3	1	3	0	2—	11

Earned runs: Omaha 2 Denver 5. Three-base hits: Williams, Kelleher. Two base-hits: Dale, Mills, Burg. Sacrifice hits: Wuffli (2), Smith Dale. Left on bases: Omaha 5, Denver 6. Base on balls: Off Dale 2, off C. Thompson 0. Struck out: By Dale, Williams, C. Thompson. Hit by pitched ball: Shaw by Dale. Double plays: Cooney to Williams; Krug to Cooney to Williams; Kelleher to Mills. Time: 1:55. Umpire: Miller.

Gaspar Best in Pitchers' Duel and Indians Take It

Sioux City, July 17.—A close pitchers' battle between Gaspar and McGranor of Joplin squeezed a victory for the Indians, 2 to 1. Score:

JOPLIN.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	SIOUX CITY.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cochrn,3b	4	3	1	4	0	Gilmore,lf	3	0	3	1	0
Lamb,2b	4	1	2	3	0	Bader,ss	4	0	4	2	1
Devore,lf	4	0	0	0	0	Watson,rf	2	1	4	1	0
Davis,rf	4	0	2	1	0	Conoly,3b	4	1	4	1	0
Metz,1b	4	2	9	0	0	Mueler,1b	4	1	6	2	0
Dalton,cf	3	1	3	0	0	Morse,cf	3	1	1	3	1
Collins,c	4	1	6	0	0	Hungo,2b	3	1	1	3	1
Lndmre,ss	4	0	1	2	0	Crosby,c	3	0	8	1	0
McGrnr,p	3	0	0	0	1	Gaspar,p	3	1	0	1	0
Totals	34	8	24	10	1	Totals	29	6	27	11	2

Joplin	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	1
Sioux City	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—	2

Two-base hits: Metz, Cochran (2), Mueller. Three-base hit: Morse. Sacrifice hit: Dalton. Double play: Davis to Collins. Hits and earned runs: Off McGranor, 6; and 1; off Gaspar, 8 and 1. Bases on balls: Off McGranor, 1. Struck out: By Gaspar, 8. Hit by pitched ball: McGranor. Time: 1:50.

Fast Track and Big Field of Starters at West Point Races

West Point, Neb., July 17.—(Special Telegram.)—The first day of the eighth annual race meeting at West Point opened today with ideal weather, a fast track and a large and enthusiastic attendauce, together with the largest field of horses ever assembled here.

Racing conditions were perfect and good time was made in the various events. Summary:

Trotting, 2:15: Dorothy Sweeney b. m., first; Fred R., b. g., second; Governor V. b. g., third; Otto F., b. g., fourth. Time, 2:14¼, 2:14½ and 2:14½.

Pace, 2:22: Lady Fuller, b. m., first; R. L. D., b. g., second; Lady Hoy, ch. m., third; Albert M., s. g., fourth. Time, 2:16¼, 2:18½ and 2:16¼.

Three-year-old trot: Alicoln, b. m., first; Miss Colorado, b. m., second; Mariondale, blk. h., third. Time, 2:19½, 2:14¼ and 2:14¾.

The second heat in this race, 2:14¼, was the fastest three-year-old heat ever trotted in the state and the fastest in he Unied States so far this season.

Five-eighths-mile dash: Cristie, first; Carl, second. Time, 1:02.

Three-fourths-mile dash: Unconcern, first; W. W. Clark, second. Time, 1:15.

Race to beat 2:30¼ trotting: Dr. Nick, blk. h., 2-year-old by Dr. Argo, owned by Dr. McNally of Blair. Time, 2:20¼.

Cubs Sell Tom Seaton; Buy Kid from Portland

Chicago, July 17.—Two deals involving playres were announced by the Chicago Nationals today.

Tom Seaton, the veteran pitcher, has been sold outright to Los Angeles.

From the Portland, Ore., club of the Pacific Coast league the locals have signed one Hollicher, 19 years. The price was an unstated sum and one player. Hollicher, who is said to have made a record on the coast, is not to report until next spring.

Pa Rourke Leaves for St. Louis to Line Up Men

Pa Rourke left Monday for St. Louis, where he will probably pick up a few ball players. Rourke has been trying to land a third baseman and a pitcher. If opportunity affords there may be some other radical changes in the Rourke infield. Rourke will be back here in time for tomorrow's game, at which the pennant won by the Omaha club last year will be formally given to the team.

Mawitza Wins 2:19 Trot At Grand Circuit Meeting

Cleveland, July 17,—Grand circuit results:

Trotting, 2:19; purse $1,000, (first division)—Mawitza, won; Peter Schuyler, second; Oscar Watts, third. Best time, 2:12fff.

(Second Division)—Peter Chenault, won; North Spur, second; Minnie Arthur, third. Best time, 2:10fff.

Wilber Beats Plymouth.

Wilber, Neb., July 17.—(Special.)—The Wilber base ball team beat Plymouth in a rather one-sided affair Sunday. Shimerda for the locals held the opponents to two hits. A home run by Prucha, which was the longest hit ever seen on this diamond, cleared the right center field fence.

Score:									R.	H.	E.
Plymouth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0	2
Wilber	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	4	*—11	12	2

Batteries: Plymouth, Selk and Wenland; Wilber, Shimerda and Jakubec.

STENGEL'S HOMER GOOD FOR VICTORY

Cardinals and Brooklyn Tied in Tenth When Wallop Over Fence Drives in Winning Run.

rBooklyn, July 17.—With the score tied and one man out in the tenth, Stengel drove a ball over the right field wall today and won the game for rBooklyn from St. Louis, 2 to 1. In the eighth St. Louis had the bases full, but was unable to get a player across the plate. Score:

ST. LOUIS.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	BROOKLYN.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
J.Smith,rf	3	1	1	0	0	Olson,ss.	4	0	3	6	0
Smyth,cf	1	0	0	0	0	Johns'n,1b	4	0	15	0	1
Baird, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	IH.M'ers,cf	4	2	2	0	0
Long,lf.	4	1	1	0	0	Stengel,rf	4	2	1	0	0
Hrn'by,ss	4	0	3	8	0	Wheat,lf.	3	1	1	0	0
Cr'se,c-rf	4	0	2	0	0	Cuts'w,2b	3	1	2	2	0
Paul'te,1b	4	0	15	1	0	Mow'y,3b	2	0	1	6	2
Betzel,2b	4	2	2	6	0	O.M'ler,c	3	0	4	2	0
Gon'les,c	3	0	3	2	0	S.Smith,p	3	0	1	5	1
Doan,p..	3	0	0	2	0						
*J.Miller	0	0	0	0	0	Totals	30	6	30	21	4
Totals	33	4	*28	19	1						

*Batted for J. Smith in eighth.
rOne out when winning run scored.

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1—2

Two-base hit: Betzel. Three-base hit: Betzel. Home run: Stengel. Double plays: Betzel to Hornsby to Paulette; Olson to Johnston. Base on balls: Off S. Smith 2. Struck out: By Doak 3, by S. Smith 2. Umpires: Rigler and Emslie.

Reds Make Use of Hits.

Philadelphia, July 17.—Cincinnati made splendid use of its few hits in today's game and defeated Philadelphia, 3 to 1. Thorpe's home run gave the visitors the lead in the second inning. Schneider was effective with men on the bases. Score:

CINCINNATI.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	PHILADELPHIA.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Groh,3b..	3	1	2	2	1	Evers,2b.	3	1	2	3	0
Kopf,ss	4	0	2	8	1	Banc't,ss.	3	0	2	3	1
Roush,cf.	4	1	3	0	0	Whitted,lf	4	3	0	0	0
Chase,1b.	4	1	9	1	0	Chav'th,rf	4	0	3	0	0
Griff'th,rf	4	0	3	0	0	Stock,3b.	4	0	0	4	0
Thorp,lf.	4	2	0	0	0	Pask't,cf.	4	1	4	0	0
M'Ke'e,2b	3	0	5	3	0	Lud'us,1b	3	2	9	0	0
Clarke,c..	2	0	2	1	0	Killifer,c	4	0	7	1	0
Sch'der,p.	3	0	1	3	0	Rixey,p..	2	0	0	1	0
						Oesch'r,p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	5	27	18	2	*Schulte..	0	0	0	0	0
						*Dugey	0	0	0	0	0
						*Niehoff.	1	0	0	0	0
						Totals	32	7	27	11	1

*Batted for Rixey in seventh.
rRan for Luderus in ninth.
zBatted for Oeschger in ninth.

Cincinnati	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0—	3
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—	1

Two-base hits: Groh Paskert. Home run: Thorp. Double plays: McKechnie to Kopf to Chase (2); Evers to Luderus. Base on balls: Off Schneider 4, off Rixey 2, off Oeschger 1. Hits: Off Rixey, 4 in seven innings. Struck out: By Schneider 2 by Rixey 4, by Oeschger 1. Umpires: Klem and Bransfield.

Giants Wallop Cubs.

New York July 17.—New York won another easy victory over Chicago today, the score being 6 to 1. The Giants hit Demaree and Hendrix opportunely and took advantage of Chicago's numerous misplays. Schupp was at his best, allowing only three hits up to the eighth inning. Catcher Dilhoefer of Chicago was spiked by Kauff in the fourth inning and was forced to retire. Score:

CHICAGO.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	NEW YORK.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Flack,rf	3	1	3	0	1	Burns,lf	4	2	1	0	0
Mann,lf	4	1	1	1	1	Herzog,2b	2	0	2	2	0
Doyle,2b	4	0	1	1	0	Kilduff,2b	2	1	1	1	0
Merkle,1b	4	2	7	0	2	Kauff,cf	3	0	1	0	0
Wilms,cf	3	1	3	0	0	Zimm,3b	4	1	0	3	0
Deal,3b	4	1	2	0	0	Fltchr,ss	4	0	0	4	0
Wrtmn,ss	3	1	1	2	0	Rbtsn,rf	4	3	4	0	0
Dilhofr,c	1	0	2	0	1	Holke,1b	3	2	13	0	0
Wilson,c	1	1	3	1	1	Gibson,c	2	0	5	0	0
Demrre,p	1	0	0	1	0	Schupp,p	3	1	0	3	1
*Zeider	1	0	0	0	0						
Hendrx,p	2	0	0	2	0	Totals	31	10	27	13	1

Totals 31 5 24 8 0
*Botted for Demaree in fifth.

Chicago	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	1
New York	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	*—	6

Stolen bases: Holke, Merkle, Kilduff. Double plays: Herzog to Holke, Fletcher to Herzog to Holke, Zimmerman to Kilduff to Holke. Bases on balls: Off Schupp, 3; off Demaree, 2. Hits: Off Demaree, 4 in four innings. Struck out: By Schupp, 4; by Demaree, 2; by Hendrix, 3. Umpires, Byron and Quigley.

Again Pirates Lose.

Boston, July 17.—Boston won its fifth consecutive game today defeating Pittsburgh, 10 to 6. Mamaux was hit hard in the first inning, Boston scoring six runs. Catches by Powell, Kelly and Debus and the batting of King were leading features. Score:

PITTSBURGH.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	BOSTON.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bigbee,lf	4	0	3	0	0	Mrnvle,ss	4	0	1	3	1
Pitler,2b	5	2	2	5	0	Powell,cf	3	2	4	0	0
King,rf	5	4	1	0	0	Regh,rf	5	1	2	0	0
Carey,cf	5	3	2	0	0	Kelly,lf	4	2	2	0	0
WWgr,1b	5	1	11	1	1	Kntchy,1b	1	1	2	0	0
Ward,ss	4	0	1	2	0	Magee,1b	3	1	5	0	0
Debuc,3b	4	1	3	3	1	Smith,3b	4	1	1	2	0
Fischer,c	4	2	1	1	0	Rwins,2b	4	2	2	3	1
Mamax,p	0	0	0	0	0	Tragser,c	2	2	4	0	0
Jacobs,p	3	0	0	4	0	Rice,c	1	0	4	0	0
*Miller	1	0	0	0	0	Nehf,p	2	0	0	2	0
*Schmidt	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	41	13	24	16	2	Totals	34	12	27	11	2

*Batted for Jacobs in ninth.
*Batted for Bigbee in ninth.

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	2—	
Boston	6	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	*—	10

Two-base hits: King Carey, W. Wagner, Rawlings, Tragresser, Regh. Three-base hit: Konetchy. Stolen base: Powell. Double plays: Debuc to Pitler, Maranville to Rawlings to Konetchy. Bases on balls: Off Mamaux, 1; off Jacobs, 5. Hits: Off Jacobs, 8 in seven and two-thirds innings. Struck out: By Nehf, 6. Umpires: O'Day and Harrison.

Barneston Defeats Beatrice.

Beatrice, Neb., July 17.—(Special.)—The Barneston ball club won from Beatrice at Barneston Sunday afternoon by the score of 11 to 0.

Madison Wins from Lindsay.

Lindsay, Neb., July 17.—(Special.)—In a closely contested ten-inning game at the local ball park, Madison got the long end of the score from Lindsay, of 3 to 2.

Score.										R.	H.	E.
Madison	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1—	3	8	4
Lindsay	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	2	6	2

Batteries: Madison, Wherle and Neligh; Lindsay, Redmond and Agnew.

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Sport Calendar Today

Base Ball—Western league pennant-raising day at Omaha.

Tennis—Willamatte valley patriotic tournament at Salem, Ore.

Standing of Teams

WEST. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.	NAT. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Des Moin.	51	33	.607	New York	49	26	.653
Lincoln..	49	36	.576	Philadel'a	40	33	.548
Sioux City	46	38	.548	St. Louis..	44	38	.537
Joplin ..	44	41	.518	Cincinnati	47	42	.528
Omaha	**44**	**42**	**.512**	Chicago .	43	42	.506
Denver ..	43	43	.500	Brooklyn.	37	39	.487
St. Joseph	33	50	.398	Boston ..	33	43	.434
Wichita.	29	56	.341	Pittsburgh	24	54	.308
AMER. LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.	AMER. ASS'N.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago .	52	30	.634	Indianap's	57	34	.626
Boston ..	51	33	.607	St. Paul..	48	36	.571
Cleveland	47	40	.540	Louisville.	53	41	.564
New York	41	39	.512	Kan. City.	45	38	.542
Detroit.	42	40	.512	Columbus.	45	43	.511
Washing'n	33	47	.412	Minneap's	35	51	.407
St. Louis	33	52	.388	Toledo ..	34	53	.391
Philadel'a	30	48	.385	Milwaukee	30	51	.370

Yesterday's Results.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Denver, 11; Omaha, 6.
Wichita, 1; Lincoln, 2.
St. Joseph, 0; Des Moines, 2.
Joplin, 1; Sioux City, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburgh, 6, Boston, 10.
St. Louis, 1; Brooklyn, 2. Ten innings.
Chicago, 1; New York, 6.
Cincinnati, 3; Philadelphia, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 6, 2; Chicago, 5, 3.
Boston, 2; St. Louis, 3.
Philadelphia, 2, 3; Detroit, 9, 1. Second game called in eighth; rain.
New York, 1, Cleveland, 2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul, 8, 1; Toledo, 3, 0. Second game called at end of fifth; darkness.
Minneapolis-Columbus, rain.
Kansas City, 3; Louisville, 7.
Milwaukee, 1; Indianapolis, 2. Twelve innings.

Games Today.

Western League—Denver at Omaha, Wichita at Lincoln, St. Joseph at Des Moines, Joplin at Sioux City.

National League—Pittsburgh at Boston, St. Louis at Brooklyn, Chicago at New York, Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

American League—Washington at Chicago, Boston at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Detroit, New York at Cleveland.

TAPPAN HIGH GUN IN WESTERN HANDICAP

Nebraska Man Carries Off Honors on Opening Day of Shoot at St. Joseph; Other Nebraskans Score.

St. Joseph, Mo., July 17.—(Special Teleggram.)—C. C. Tappan of Hoagland, Neb., carried off the big honors in the first day of regular shooting at the Western handicap here today. In the forenoon Tappen won the Western Introductory match, the event with which the shoot opened, breaking ninety-nine out of 100 possible targets and in the afternoon he finished as high man for the day with a score of 148 broken of a possible 150.

Tappan's shooting was steady and consistent throughout the day and his work attracted great deal of attention from the big gallery of spectators who watched the play.

It was a crowd which exceeded all expectation, which was in attendance at the formal opening of the shoot, and in addition to the 150 or more men who took part in one event or another during the day, fully 1,000 people watched the shooting at the elusive traps. Automobiles were parked for a block around.

Indian Shoots Well.

One of the men who is drawing a great deal of attention at the meet is "Chief" McDaniel of Oklahoma, a full blood Indian who is one of the best marksmen in the country, and who made a fortune in oil. McDaniel, the Indian who recently gave $50,000 to the Red Cross, but whose money was returned for the anction of his guardian, a bit of red tape provided by the government.

A. V. Cocke of Wellington, Tex., did some remarkable work, finishing second in the Western Introductory with ninety-eight targets broken and George Grubb of Wetmore, Kan., finished third with ninety-seven. The shooting of Tappan, Cocke and Grubb was one of the big feautres of the day.

Scores of Nebraskans.

Nebraska scores: G. B. Hedge, Panama, 128; Ed Varner, Adams, 145; Cal Waggoner, Diller, 143; G. N. Radick, Omaha, 140; P. S. McDonald, Omaha, 141; George Maxwell, Hastings, 145; H. Kennedy, Frankfort, 124; C. C. Tappan, Hoagland, 148. (High score for day); W. F. Beachy, Falls City, 139; Al Kayen, Fremont, 140; Henry Philson, Leigh, 131.

Fire Destroys Plant of Omaha Auto Top Concern

Fire of unknown origin yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the plant of the Omaha Auto Top company at 709 South Fifteenth street. The loss is estimated at $25,000.

The fire resulted from an explosion of some kind and the building burst into flames almost immediately. Ten girls and as many men employed in the plant barely had time to escape.

The building, a one-story affair, was destroyed, as was its entire contents, including future orders of auto tops valued at $15,000.

For a time the flames threatened the David Cole creamery nearby and firemen were forced to extend themselves to check the blaze.

George Brandt, fireman from truck company No. 1, suffered a wrenched right leg, when he stumbled and fell while putting some apparatus back on a truck.

Bee Wants Ads Produce Results.

SOX TIGHTEN HOLD ON FIRST POSITION

Chicago Club Shuts Out Senators in First and Comes Back With 3 to 2 Win in Second.

Chicago, July 17.—Chicago won both games of the double-header from Washington, 5 to 0 and 3 to 2.

In the initial game Eddie Cicotte allowed the visitors but one hit, a clean single by Morgan in the second inning. Only one other man reached first, Rice in the seventh, who walked.

The second game was a pitching duel between Walter Johnson and Faber, and went into the eleventh inning before the deciding run was scored. Score, first game:

WASHINGTON.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	CHICAGO.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Judge,1b	4	0	14	0	0	Leibold,rf	4	0	1	0	0
Shangs,ss	4	0	1	2	1	Weavr,3b	4	1	0	2	0
Milan,cf	3	0	3	0	0	Collins,2b	3	1	1	3	0
Rice,rf	2	0	4	0	0	Jackson,lf	4	1	0	0	0
Foster,2b	3	0	0	6	0	Felsch,cf	4	0	4	0	0
Morgan,lf	3	1	2	0	0	Gandil,1b	4	3	12	1	0
Mensky,lf	3	0	0	0	0	Risberg,ss	2	1	4	2	0
Henry,c	3	0	0	0	0	Schalk,c	3	1	4	1	0
Dumont,p	2	0	0	0	0	Cicotte,p	3	0	1	1	0
*Leonard	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	28	1	24	8	1	Totals	32	8	27	10	0

*Batted for Dumont in ninth.

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0
Chicago	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	*—	5

Two-base hits: Schalk, Gandil. Double play: Judge (unassisted). Bases on balls: Off Dumont, 1; ff Cicotte, 1. Struck out: By Cicotte, 4. Umpires: Dinneen and O'Loughlin.

Score, second game:

WASHINGTON.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	CHICAGO.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.