

O'TOOLE'S CLEVER PITCHING WINS FOR OMAHA, 1-0

Catcher Bill Kelly, Purchased From St. Louis Browns, Old Pal of Marty, Joins Locals.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Omaha won from St. Joseph today, 1 to 0, the game being marred by continual wrangling with Doyle, who was far off color in all of his decisions.

Lingle opened the scoring for the Rourkes in the third when he singled to left, went second on O'Toole's sacrifice, went to third on O'Toole's out at first and stole home after Jackson had been passed.

Donica flew out to center. This was the only score made by the Rourkes; although they threatened heavily when a man reached second base. In that frame Donica walked and was given a base on balls by Luschen, who succeeded Curtis on the mound when the latter retired to allow a pinch hitter to bat for him.

O'Toole Pitches Good Ball. O'Toole pitched good ball on his first appearance this season and was given excellent support.

The umpiring of Doyle was the worst seen here in several seasons and was farcical at times. A terrific wind blew across the field throughout the game, making it almost impossible to correctly judge fly balls.

The attendance was only 502, but threatening rain probably kept many away. A double header will be played tomorrow.

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Prettiest Mile Golf Club Announces 1918 Schedule The Prettiest Mile club has announced the following events scheduled for this season:

Second Shoot for Kingsley Trophy at Gun Club Today The second of a series of weekly shoots for the Ray Kingsley trophy will be held at the Omaha Gun club today.

Brooklyn Sends Pitcher To International Club The Brooklyn club has released Lefty Russell of Rochester to take the place of Norman Pitt, who has gone to work in a shipyard and quit base ball.

Pittsburgh Lets Fischer Go to Binghamton Team The Pittsburgh club has released Catcher Bill Fischer to Binghamton of the International.

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"Stuffy" Goes Back to His Old Job



"Stuffy" has gone back to his old job. He's playing first base for the Red Sox.

PEEVISH PESEK STARTS ON TRAIL OF ONE S. LEWIS

Billy Sandow Makes Caustic Remarks and Mart Slattery Threatens to Make Him Eat 'Em.

William Sandow, astute impresario of the wrestling mat, has placed "his foot in it." William has incurred the wrath of J. Pesek of Shelton, Neb.

It all happened in Chicago. Mr. Sandow, who it will be recalled once brought Strangler Lewis to Omaha, met up with Larny Lichtenstein who aids Mart Slattery in conducting John Pesek's business affairs.

Says Naughty Things. So Sandow began to say things about Pesek. Or, at least, Lichtenstein reports to Slattery that Sandow did.

American League Donates \$5,000 to Aid Red Cross Units Chicago, May 18.—President Ban Johnson of the American league announced last night that in response to an appeal of the Red Cross for base ball equipment for the use of hospital units overseas, his organization had appropriated \$5,000 for the purpose.

Navy Wins Varsity Race in Patriotic Regatta Annapolis, Md., May 18.—Navy won the varsity race in the national patriotic regatta here today by a little more than a length.

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BIG BILL DRISTY WINS SIMON PURE STATE MAT TITLE

Is Given Decision Over Joe Stangl at Y. M. C. A. After One Hour and Twenty Minutes.

"Big Bill" Dristy won the heavyweight amateur wrestling championship of Nebraska in the state championship tournament at the Omaha Young Men's Christian association last night.

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GIANTS PIT END TO CINCINNATI'S LUCKY STREAK

Young, in Stealing Second, Collides With Blackburne, Spiking Him, and Zimmerman Crashes Into Allen.

Cincinnati, May 18.—The New York team stopped Cincinnati's winning streak by winning today through the hard hitting of George Smith in the early innings.

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AMATEURS HOLD OWN IN SPITE OF SUMMONS OF WAR

Five Leagues of Thirty-Three Teams Practically Certain to Survive Season, Despite Adverse Conditions.

By FRANK QUIGLEY. When the whistle blew this season, the Omaha Amateur Baseball association answered the call with five leagues, comprising a total of 33 teams.

At the present writing, the Greater Omaha league is intact. The City league is short one team and will cross the wire next fall with five teams.

All of the American league teams are sticking like glue and it is a safe pledge that they will all be on deck at the termination of this season.

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Some Dope in Figures on the Rourke Hopefuls

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