## Rourkes Go Into First Place in Western League Standings

### IDLE, BOOSTERS WALLOP LEADERS

Wichita Also Loses - First Time Rourkes Have Been In First Place Since Season Opened.

The Rourkes are leading the Western league! While their game with Sioux City was postponed yesterday on account of rain, Jack Coffey's Des Moines Boosters trounced St. Joe, quandom league leaders, 8 to 1

Wichita lost to Oklahoma City, thereby dropping their chance to place second. Their First Time.

This is the first time the locals have held the top position all by themselves this year. They won the opening game of the season at Tulsa when Palmero held the Oilers to six hits. That put them in a four-cornered tie with the three other cpening-day victors. The next\*day they lost and fell from first place. On their southern trip subsequent to the opening day, the Rourkes hit the toboggan and landed finally in last Small Pitching Staff.

Just before their return home for the opening day here, May 5, they started up the ladder. Their climb has been persistent, but slow, Yesterday they offorded the pleasure of being literally crowded into first

Pa Rourke has the smallest pitching staff in the Western league. His inability to locate a man he knows will win in this league has thrown the burden of the twirling on Emilio Palmero, Oscar Fuhr, Charlie Kopp and Earl Schatzman.

#### Boosters Wallop Luschen And Lynch for 13 Hits

Des Moines, Ia., May 26.-Des Moines clouted Luschen and Lynch for 13 safe hits, which were good for 21 bases and easily defeated St. Joseph in the first game of series this afternoon, 8 to 1. O'Connor's home run over the right field wall was one of the longest hits made at the local park in some time. ST. JOSEPH. DES MOINES.

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hits: Off Luschen, 6 runs, 8 hits in four and one-third innings; off Lynch, 2 runs, 5 hits in three and two-thirds innings; off Merz, 1 run, 9 hits in nine innings. Charge defeat to Luschen, Credit victory to, Merz, Davide play: McDermott to Ceffey to Hasbrook, Umpires; Buckley and Becker, Time: 1:28. Oklahoma Wins—Ramsey Allows Only Three Bingles

Oklahoma City, May 26.—Ramsey held Wichita to three hits today. The locals bunched hits on Bowman in the eighth and Oklahoma City won,

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Runs: Wichita, Washburn; Oklahoma City, Moeffer, Pitt, Lindimore, Cavington, Ramsey, Errors: Wichita, Berger; Okiahoma City, Moeller, Lindimore, Two-base hits: Yaryan, Moore, Three-base hit: Shannoh, Stolen base: Washburn, Base on balls: Off Ramsey, 3; off Bowman, 1. Hit by pitched ball: By Bowman, 1. Hit by pitched ball: By Ramsey, 3; by Bewman, 3. Double play, Washburn to Beck, Left on bases: Wichita, 5; Oklahoma City, 4. Umpires: Daley and Lampe, Time: 1:40.

Boehler Is in Fine Form

And Beats Oilers, 7 to 1 Tulsa, May 26.—George Boehler was in brilliant form and beat the Oilers, 7 to 1, in six innings. Score: JOPLIN. TULSA.

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Will Decide Tonight Whether Amateurs Will Play Menday

Whether the postponed games in the Booster and Gate City leagues, members of the Municipal Amateur Monday, May 31, will be staged the meeting of the managers of those two circuits tonight. The meeting will be held at the office of Park mmissioner Falconer at 8 o'clock. Several protests in the Booster
league will also be decided.
The City and American leagues
will play off their postponed games
of April 18 on Monday, it was definitely announced last night.

Special Luncheon, 75c - Paxton hotel. Main cafe.—Adv,

### WHILE OMAHA IS BASE BALL DIRECTORY DODGERS BEAT

Joplin at Tulsa. St. Joseph at Des Moines. Omaha at Sioux City. Standing of the Teams. National League. American League. Chicago at Philadelphia. New York at Boston. W. L. Pet. W. L. Pet. Pittsburgh 18 13 .581 Boston ... 14 14 .500 Brooklyn .15 11 .577 St. Leuis. .15 16 .484 Cincinnati 19 14 .576 New York .14 16 .467 Chicago .17 16 .515 Ph delphia 11 21 .344 American League. W. L. Pet. W. L. Pet. Boston . 21 9 700 Wash'ston 14 17 .452 Cleveland 21 10 677 Ph'delphia 12 19 .387 Chicago .17 14 548 St. Louis . 11 18 .373 New York .17 15 .531 Detroit . . . 9 21 .300

Yesterday's Results. Western League. Joplin, 7: Tulsa, 1.

Des Moines, 5; St. Joseph, 1.

Oklahoma City, 5; Wichita, 1.

Omaha-Sloux City, no game. National League.
Brooklyn, 3: Pittsburgh, 2.
St. Louis, 10; Cincinnati, 8.
American League. Boston, 9; St. Louis, 5.-New York, 4; Detroit, 1. Washington, 13; Cleveland, Philadelphia, 10; Chicago, 2.

#### TOTAL RUNS SCORED

High score: Toledo, 26. Low score: Philadelphia Nationals, 4; Brooklyn. 4.

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# RUTH CHALKS UP

Games Today.

Western League. Wichita at Okiahoma City.

Mogridge Holds Detroit to Four Hits and Wins His First Victory This Season.

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Boston Cleans Up Series. Boston, May 26.—Boston cleaned up the series by defeating St. Louis, 2 to 5. Pennock pitched effectively until the ninth, while Shocker's wildness contributed largely to the result. Hendrix led in the heavy hitting with two doubles and two singles. Williams,ct 3 0 3 0 McInnis, 1b 2 2 9 1 mercial High will play two games Smith, cf 3 1 0 0 Foster, 3b 4 2 1 1 mercial High will play two games Jac'son, rf 3 1 2 0 Scott, ss 5 0 2 3 here Friday and Saturday with Severeid, c 3 0 2 1 February, and Beatrice.

Shocker, p 2 0 1 3 Footas 29 12 27 9 M. J. ("Doc") Kennedy Dead.

Totals 35 10 24 12 Batted for Shocker in ninth. Boston ... 3 0 1 0 0 0 1 4 x—9
Runs: St. Louis, Auatin, Jacobson, Severeid, Gerber, Collins; Boston, Hooper (2), McNally (2), Menosky (3), Hendryz (2).
Two-base hits: Gedeon, Jacobson, Austin, Hendryz (2), McNally, Menosky, Hooper, Stolen bases: Sisler, Hooper, Menosky, Schang. Sacrifice hits: Gedeon, Hendryz, McInnis (2), Pennock. Double plays: McInnis to Scott. Left on bases: St. Louis, 3; Boston, 10. Bases on balls: Off Shocker, 3; off Pennock, 5. Hit by pitched ball: By Shocker (McInnis, Schang). Struck out: By Pennock, 6, Umpires: Chill and Owen, Time: 2:03.

Perry and Dugan Hit Homers. Philadelphia, May 26.—Philadelphia hammered Williams for 11 hits in four innings, easily defeating Chicago, 16 to 2. Home runs by Perry and Dugan made the total 18 in 10 playing days at the local American league park Chicago made

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Des Moines Gets Twirlers.

Cleveland, May 26.-George Cykowski, sand-lot recruit pitcher of Cleveland, has been released by the Cleveland American Iceague base ball club to Des Moines of the Western

#### Race Horses Gather At Hartington for June Running Meet

Hartington, Neb., May 26 .- (Special-)-The biggest string of race norses ever seen on the Hartington tracks is already here for the race meet to be held June 10, 11 and 12. Hartington is now on the Big Five circuit, which includes O'Neill, Neb., Verdel, Neb., Bassett, Neb., and Winner, S. D.

Over 50 racers are already on the New York, May 26.—The New York Yankees made it two out of three from Detroit, winning the last others come from Oklahoma and other sections.

In the second inning Ruth drove Col. W. H. Freeman of Corning, Ia.,

New York, May 26.—Charles S. Garland of Pittsburgh, captain of the Yale university tennis team, was chosen today as the fourth member of the United States tennis team which will sail for England next week to compete in the Davis cup

who were chosen some time ago, are William M. Johnston, William T. Tilden II, and Richard N. Williams II.

Commerce to Play Beatrice. Beatrice, Neb., May 26.—The Beatrice high school defeated the Barneston ball club at Barneston Tuesday, 18 to 0. The feature was a home run by Purdy. Omaha Com-mercial High will play two games here Friday and Saturday with

M. J. ("Doc") Kennedy Dead.

Elmyra, N. Y., May 26.—Announcement has been made of the death of M. J. ("Doc.") Kennedy death of M. J. ("Doc.") Kennedy, noted as a minor and major league base ball player several years ago. He died at his home in Steuben

county. Cleveland Loses Leadership.

A l'udge, 1b d'Milan, 1f 4 Shanks, 1f b Rice, ef 6 Roth, rf b Harris, 2b 6 Ellerbe, 2b 4 Shannon, sa 2 Charity, sa 2 Gharrity, c 6 Picinich, c 2 Zachary, p 2 Johnson, p Totals 38 17 27 12

Totals 38 13 24 15 for Evans in sixth.
for Wood in seventh.
for Clark in ninth.

## PITTSBURGH BY

Brooklyn Wins, 3 to 2; Grimes Lets in Two Runs, But

won today's game from Pittsburgh, 3 to 2. Winsor was hit hard. Grimes was hard to reach, but practically gave Pittsburgh its two runs, one with a wild pitch with a man on second and the other by hitting a batsman with the bases full. Grimes redeemed himself at bat, driving in two of the Pete Wendell, who is promoting the meet, says he has all but begged different state organizations to send entrants to compete with the nurses self at bat, driving in two of the Pete names Nebraska university.

Here are nough natators to enroll for competitions to take part. Yet the nurses are only ones as yet enrolled. Entry lists are to close June 1. The nurses are practising daily for the big meet. Medals are to be awarded winners in the various events, a gold medal going to the winner of first place, signifying ner right to the Nebraska women's swimming championship. Brooklyn runs, one on a sacrifce fly and the other on a triple.

BROOKLYN. PITTSBURGE AB.H.O.A. AB.H son, ss 5 2 3 6 Caton, ss 5 3 AB.H.O.A
Olson, ss 5 2 3 6 Caton, ss 5 3
Baird, 3b 3 1 1 2 Bigbee 0 0
Johnston, rf 5 1 0 0 Carey, cf 4 0
Wheat, if 5 2 2 0 S worth, rf 3 0
Myers, cf 5 0 3 0 Whitted, 3b 4 0
Kon'ehy, lb 5 2 10 0 Wich'son, if 4 1
Kilduff, 2b 4 2 3 3 Sutshw, 2b 4 1
Miller, c 4 1 5 0 Grimm, lb 2 0
Grimes, p 3 3 0 2 Schmidt, c 3 0
Totals 39 14 27 13; Hinchman 1 6

Totals 32 5 27 12 

Champs Lose Wild Game.

St. Louis, May 26—St. Louis defeated Cincinnati in a wild game, 10 to 8. The visitors tied the score in the eighth, mixing four hits with two bases on balls off Jacobs for three runs.

St. Louis won in the eighth when Stock tripled and scored on Hornsby's single to left. The latter also scored when Duncan, after letting Hornsby's drive get away from him, started for the club house, apparently thinking the CINCINNATI.

the club house, apparently thinking

CINCINNATI,
AB.H.O.A.

Crane. 2b 5 1 2 3 Smith, cf 4 2
Daubert, 1b 5 2 10 3 Schultz, rf 4 1
Grob, 3b 4 3 0 1 Stock, 3b 4 4
Roush, cf 4 2 4 0 Hornsby, 2b 4 2
Duncan, lf 3 1 3 0 Fournier, lb 5 3
Kopf, ss 5 2 1 4 McHenry, lf 5 1
Neale, rf 1 1 0 0 Lavan, ss 2 1
Wingo, c 5 2 3 1 Clemons, c 4 2
Ring, p 2 0 0 Halanes, p 2 0
Fisher, p 1 0 0 2 Jacobs, p 2 1
Eller, p 0 0 1 0 Sherdel, p 0 0
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the big feature being the derby to be run on the last day of the meet. Col. W. H. Freeman of Corning, Ia., will start all races. The president of the circuit is Alphonse Lammers, lof Hartington and the secretary is Fred Larmer of Winner. Lammers, better known as "Tubby," is one of the most enterprising horse race promoters in the middle west. He says this first real race meet ever staged in Hartington promised to put the town on the map as one of the most important on the circuit.

Charles Garland Is Fourth

Smith (2), Schultz, Stocke (2), Hornsby (2), Fournier, Melenry, Lavan, Errors. (2), Elemons, Dunbent, Hornsby, Fournier, Stock, Stolen bases: Smith, Lavan, Sacrifice hits: Roush, Neale, Smith, Lavan, Sacrifice hi

#### Member U. S. Tennis Team Fort Omaha Soldier Team

Is Peeved at Herman Nine Fort Omaha soldier base ball team, which met defeat at the hands of Herman, Neb. last Sunday, is preved. Fred Hill, manager of the soldier nine, protested a decision matches. The committee which made the selection was unanimous in the early part of the game and was promptly "cleaned" by a Herman heavyweight. After that it was a case of who had the most men, who were chosen some time ago, are couple dozen good fighters like they had, we'd have won the game," he declared. "But they had us

Eller Making Record.

hopelessly outnumbered.

Geneva, Neb., May 26.—The Geneva pitcher, Eller, is making a record for the home team this season. At the last game, when Hebron Loyal Legion team and Geneva

San Francisco, May 26 .- Manager Charles Graham of the San Fran-cisco club in the Pacific coast base ball league was suspended Wednesday for three days and fined \$50 by William H. McCarthy, president of the league, for protesting a decision of Umpire Eason in Sunday morning's game between San Fran-cisco and Portland.

Japs Beat Maroons.

San Francisco, May 26 .- The Chicago university base ball team, which is making a tour of the Orient, was defeated, 2 to 0, by the Japanese team of the University of Waseda, at Tokio Tuesday, according to a Tokio cable to the New World, Japanese language newspao per here.

Columbus, O., May 26.—Hank Gowdy, catcher for the Boston Braves, was married Wednesday to Miss Pauline Welsh of this city.

Hank Gowdy Marries.

American Associati	on.	-19
At St. Paul— Indianapolis	.10 1	H. E.
St. Paul	. 5 1	and
McMenemy. At Kansas City— Toledo Kansas City		
Kansas City	Mur	phy:
At Minneapolis— Louisville	R. 1	7. E.
Batteries: Graham, Tincup and Robertson, Schauer and Mayer.	Koc	her;
Columbus Milwaukee	5 1	5 1 4 0
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#### Where Are All Nebraska's Girl Swimmers, Pete Asks MURPHY TO MEET

GRIMES' TRIPLE State Swimming Meet Has But 22 Entries to Date And All Entrants Are Nurses at Nicholas Senn Hospital Despite Offerings of Pete Wendell to Other Women Natators.

Hitting Hard.

Pittsburgh, May 26.—Brooklyn won today's game from Pittsburgh, won today's game from Pittsburgh, All entrants thus far are petition. All entrants thus far are nurses are only ones as yet enrolled.

CALLAHAN AND IN OMAHA NEX

ised for Week of Bankers' Convention—Fort Omaha To Stage Show.

The next boxing show at Fort Omaha will be held June 18, and among the principal and the principal and the principal and the principal among the principal and the principal and the principal among the princ among phy, according to the announcement tire boxing world, of the athletic committee at the fort yesterday.

10-round bout. Callahan and Mur-phy are both considered logical con-served. Lieutenant Hall is hantenders for Johnny Kilbane's crown. dling the program.

Ralph De Palma Wins Right to the Pole in Indianapolis Race

Indianapolis, May 26 .- Ralph De Palma won the right to the pole in the 500-mile race for \$70,000 to be held at the Indianapolis motor speed-Two Other Good Bouts Prom- way May 31, when he thundered around the brick saucer in elimination trials Wednesday at the rate of 100 miles an hour. Joe Boyer, Louis Chevrolet and Jean Chassagne, French car driver, will make up the

the principals will be A meeting of these two boys any-Frankie Callahan and Teddy Mur- where would be of interest to the en-

Two other good fights are planned, The show will be staged for the Murphy and Callahan will stage a bankers' convention. The bankers

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