

WICHITA TAKES CLOSE CONTEST FROM BOOSTERS

Error, Pass and Two Sacrifices Give the Visitors Two in Sixth, Enough To Win Game.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 20.—An error, a pass, two sacrifices and a scratch hit in the sixth inning gave Wichita two runs, enough to defeat the locals in the first game of the series. Another was added in the seventh, making the final score 3 to 1. The game was suspended for five minutes as a tribute to Ray Chapman.

BASE BALL DIRECTORY

Standing of the Teams. Western League. W. L. Pct. Wichita 70 50 .582 St. Joseph 68 52 .568

Yesterday's Results. Western League. Philadelphia at Pittsburgh. Cincinnati at St. Louis. American League. Chicago at Cleveland.

CUBS DEFEAT GIANTS, 5 TO 1, IN FIRST GAME

Paskert Hits Home Run and Triple—Chicago Knocks Benton Off Mound In Third.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Chicago defeated New York in the first game of the series today, 5 to 1. Alexander was touched for 11 hits, but was strong and steady in tight places. Chicago knocked Benton off the mound in the third after scoring three runs off him in the second. Douglas and Winters finished. Paskert, with a homer and triple, was the star in batting.

Here's More on the "Babe" Ruth-Risberg Argument

Gering, Neb., Attorney Dopes Out the Height of Ruth's Infield Fly—He, Too, Agrees That Mackey Is Wrong and Places Figure at 208 Feet.

August 15, 1920. Sporting editor, Omaha Bee, Omaha, Neb. Dear sir:—I'm surprised—not so much at the report that Babe Ruth hit an infield fly so high that he was able to reach second base by the time it returned to earth, as in Mr. M. L. Mackey's attempted analysis of that appeared in your paper last Friday morning. As explained by Mr. Mackey the report looks ridiculous—but he made two mistakes. In the first place he used a formula that does not apply and in the second place he forgot to divide by two in applying the formula he did use.

3 TITULAR BALL GAMES BOOKED FOR WEEK END

Championship Contests to Be Staged Between Amateur Nines at Luxus Park.

Three amateur championship games are on the program for Saturday and Sunday afternoons at Luxus park. Twenty-fourth and Vinton streets, to be staged under the auspices of the Municipal Amateur Baseball association.

Alpheus Henry Snow, International Law Authority, Dies In N. Y.

New York, Aug. 20.—Alpheus Henry Snow of Washington, D. C., an authority on international law, died in a hospital here last night after a lingering illness. He was in his 60th year.

WHITE SOX WIN DOUBLE-HEADER FROM ATHLETICS

Crowd Pouring Onto Field in Ninth Inning Stops Game And Chicago Wins by Forfeit.

Philadelphia, Aug. 20.—Chicago made it two out of three from Philadelphia by winning both games of today's double-header. The score of the first game was 7 to 4, and the second was forfeited.

Horseshoe Tourney at O'Neill, Neb., Next Week

O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 20.—(Special).—The annual horseshoe pitching contest for Holt county this year will be held at the county fair at O'Neill Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, rules of the national association to prevail.

WORLD RECORD HORSES FAIL AT NARBERTH

Rifle Grenade Wins Third Heat of Holmes Stake In Slow Time of 2:38 1-4.

Philadelphia, Aug. 20.—The downfall of world record holders featured the Grand circuit races at Narberth. The best Rifle Grenade, which hung up a new world's record for 3-year-old geldings this season, could do in the 3-year-old race for the Holmes stake in the slow time of 2:38 1/4.

Tris Speaker Collapses At Funeral of Chapman

Thousands of Persons Stand With Bared Heads While Body of Cleveland Star Is Carried to the Altar in St. John's Cathedral.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 20.—Raymond Chapman, star player of the Cleveland American League club and idol of local fans, died this morning of the reverential homage of sorrowing Cleveland.

Body in Vault

At the conclusion of the church service the body was placed in a casket vault. It has not been decided when Chapman will be buried.

Father of Kidnaped Boy, Who Posted Ransom, to Get Money Returned

Philadelphia, Aug. 20.—Four deposits in New York banks of Augustus Pasquale, the alleged "crank" in the Coughlin kidnaping, were attached today by George H. Coughlin of Norristown, Pa., whose 16-month-old son was kidnaped.

Boys, 15 and 17, Pleaded Guilty to Burglary

Harry Haslock, 15 years old, 4925 North Thirty-fourth street, and Ervin Weyer, 17 years old, 3435 Sahler street, pleaded guilty in juvenile court this morning to a charge of breaking and entering the home of S. A. Alstrand, 4301 North Fortieth street, and stealing jewelry valued at \$80.

Reds Advancing Toward Lemberg, Says Statement

Paris, Aug. 20.—The Temps announces today that the French government has received advices that Polish troops have occupied Biela, 25 miles west of Brest-Litovsk.

Columbian Opticals Play Drive-It-Yourself Club

The Columbian Optical company and the Drive-It-Yourself company amateur base ball teams will play Sunday afternoon at Fontenelle park at 3:30.

Blues Buy Players.

Kansas City, Aug. 20.—The Kansas City American association club has purchased Pitcher Lambert and Shortstop Dingdard of the Spokane Pacific Coast league team.

His Parents Present.

Chapman's widow, a bride of 10 months, leaning on the arm of her father, entered the church immediately after the service.

Happy Hollow Team to Play Country Club Saturday Afternoon

The Happy Hollow golf team has challenged the Country club, holder of the interclub championship trophy to a match and the contest is to be staged Saturday afternoon at the country club.

French Imports Increase.

Paris, Aug. 20.—An official list of imports and exports from January 1 to July 31, 1920, shows increases of 2,738,502,000 francs in imports and 7,230,228,000 francs in exports over the same period last year.

Be Want Ads Produce Results.

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A. O. HUNTER, of Cincinnati, Ohio, who says Tanlac has certainly proven its worth in both his own and his wife's case. He wasn't able to work when he began taking it.



Sophie, Champion Butter Cow, Comes Back at 15

New York, Aug. 19.—Sophie 19th of Hood farm, Lowell, Mass., former champion Jersey cow, has come back at the age of 15 years and six months with a ninth official record that make's her world's champion butter cow, the American Jersey Cattle club announced today.

Alleged Auto Bandits Sentenced to State Prison

J. F. Murphy and Lyman Larson, two members of Omaha's alleged auto bandit trio, appeared in Friday before judges in district court, pleaded guilty and were given sentences of three to 15 years.

What Do You Know about The Sporting World?

Answers to Yesterday's Questions. 1. The Giants and Yankees did not play a city series last year.

What Is the Condition of Your Blood Supply?

It is important to keep it free from impurities. Did you know that ninety per cent of all human ailments depend upon the condition of your blood?

Palace CLOTHING COMPANY COR. 14th & DOUGLAS. 100 Dozen Men's Fine Hose, Worth 25c, On Sale Saturday at 15c. Boys' School SHOES Guaranteed Solid Leather All sizes \$2.48

MEN'S and Young SUITS

984 Fine Suits Formerly Retailed at \$40, \$45 and \$50 Choice Saturday \$29.75. Here are suit values that should make every man who sees them buy several, for suits of such quality haven't been found since before the war at anything near the price—\$29.75.

Boys' Corduroy Suits With 2 Pants. We have a large stock of these high grade suits in a full run of sizes to be closed out at \$12.98.

Special! Boys' School Suits. Men's Outing Trousers of durable Drill fabric for outing or sport \$2.98. Men's Khaki Trousers full cut, worth \$5.00, \$3.48 on sale at \$3.48.

American Association

At Milwaukee: R. H. E. ... At St. Paul: R. H. E. ... At Kansas City: R. H. E. ... At Omaha: R. H. E. ...

Girl Sues Taxi Firm \$50,000 For Injuries In Accident

Miss Grace Richter sued Central Taxicab company today in district court for \$50,000 damages. Miss Richter alleges she was riding in a Central taxicab driven by Walter Jensen on Broadway in Council Bluffs August 7 when the machine crashed into a team of horses, breaking her neck, injuring her spine and disfiguring her face, probably permanently. She alleges Jensen was driving negligently and demands payment of \$50,000 for her injuries.

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 20.—(Special).

Thieves visited the home of Sylvester Young of Glenover and carried away about \$50 worth of honey which they took from beehives. Using a chemical process, a Moscow engineer claims to have produced a finer linen yard than the finest spun at low cost.