Omaha Bee Sports

Season Track Marks Smashed At Columbus

Hal Mahone Wins 2:03 Pace And Wiggles to New Record for Himself—Grey Worthy First.

Columbus, O., Sept. 28.—Several season and stake records were made at today's Grand Circuit program. In the 2:12 trot, the Buckeye Stake for $3,000 Grey Worthy took the event from Jeannette Rankin, being forced to trot the second heat in 2:02 1-4, which is the season's fastest trotting mile in a race. The gelding also lowered the record set for this event in 1917 by Early Dreams, two seconds. The other two heats were easy for him.

The Western Horsemen Futurity trot for 3-year-olds was won by Nelson Dillon.

The 2:15 trot was the occasion for some misfortunes as well as good racing. Dora Hines, winner of the first two heats, "broke down" and had to be drawn for the third mile.

According to National rules she lost the right to win the race, but judges permitted bets to be paid off on the auction on a winning basis. Wilster won the deciding heat and officially gets credit for topping the summary.

Hal Mahone, owned by George Brandeis of Omaha and driven by Childs, defeated Sanardo and Juno, the Murphy entries, in the 2:03 pace after Sanardo jumped himself out in a 2:00 3-4 first mile heat. Hal Mahone made a new record for himself when he paced in 2:01 flat to win the second heat.

Jane the Great was an easy victor in the 2:06 trot, it being her seventh win out of the last eight starts.

Peter Manning, in an effort to lower the track record of 1:59 1-4 made by him last week, trotted the mile in 1:59 flat.

2:12 class trot, the Buckeye stake, three heats, purse $3,000:
Grey Worthy, gray g., by Axworthy. (McMahon) 4 1 1
Jeannette Rankin, ch. m., by San Francisco. (McDonald.) 1 2 2
Princess Etawah, b. m. (White.). 2 3 3
Voltage, br. h. (Egan.) 3 5 4
Peter Bieler, b. h. (Stokes.) 5 4 5
Miss Ellen Todd and Taurida were distanced.
Time: 2:04¼, 2:02¼, 2:03¾.

Three-year-old trot, the Western Horseman Futurity, two in three heats; purse $5,329.06:
Nelson Dillon, b. c., by Dillon Axworthy. (Serrill.) 1 1
Peter Pluto, ch. h. (McDonald.).... 2 3
Water Sterling, b. g. (Stokes.) 4 2
Favonian, b. c. (Edman.) 3 4
Eleanor Guy, b. f. (Egan.) 5 5
Miss Willoughby, The Laurel Hall, Lord Frisco and Peter Harvester also started.
Time: 2:06¼, 2:05¼.

2:15 trot, three heats, purse $1,000:
Wilstar, b. g., by Wilgo. (Marvin.) 6 4 1
Wrapfast, b. g. (Stokes.) 2 2 5
Betsy Chandler, b. f. (Brussie.).. 5 3 2
Light Dome Watts, b. m. (Egan.) 3 4 3
Dora Haines, br. m. (Fleming.).. 1 1 dr
Binque and Kilo also started.
Time: 2:09¾, 2:08¾, 2:10¾.

2:03 pace, three heats, purse $1,000:
Hal Mahone, b. g., by Prince Argot Hal. (Childs) 2 1 1
Sanardo, b. g., by San Francisco. (Murphy) 1 2 2
Juno, b. m., (V. Fleming) 3 3 3
George Volo, ro. g. (Erskine) ... 4 4 4
Red Lancelot, br. g. (Wilson) 5 5 5
Time: 2:00¾, 2:01, 2:03¾.

2:06 class trot, three heats, purse $1,000:
Jane The Great, br. m., by Peter The Great (McMahon) 1 1 1
Early Dreams, b. g. (McDonald).. 2 2 3
Main Lick, br. g. (Thomas) 3 3 2
Comet, ch. m. (Shively) 4 5 4
Brook Worthy, b. h. (Murphy) ... 5 4 dr
Time: 2:05¼, 2:08¾, 2:06¾.

Special, to beat 1:59¼ trotting: Peter Manning, b. g., by Azoff (Murphy) won.
Time by quarters: :30¾, 1:00¼, 1:29¾, 1:59.

Says "BUGS" BAER

MODERN NOAH'S ARK.

Ocean hucksters still continue to peddle booze along our unprotected coast line. When white sails are gleaming in harbor, pop's nose will be gleaming in twilight.

Headaches are being smuggled into U. S. in habit-forming quantities. Joshua made sun stand still. But we love man who made moonshine still.

High tide yesterday was 35,000 quarts. Low tide mark was 27,000 half pints.

Enforcement agents grabbed boatload of alien booze worth million dollars in standard thirst of any man's country. Every ocean liner is modern Noah's Ark. Take one drink on board and you will see two of every kind of animal in world.

Noah arked around because he inherited inside tip world was going wet at November elections. Modern Noahs paddle forth because works went dry.

Just one snifter on 1921 arks. Animals start to leap up gangway. First comes brilliantly spangled rhinozebra with mouth like swinging doors. Then twin spotted hiccoughing hyena chasing orchestra of barroom flies. After that, eight-legged ostrich escorted by flock of Persian rugs.

Another powder, and more important animals check their hats at door. Two-tailed spittonkees arrive with rainbow flamingo valets. Six refugee vegetarian lions flee up gangplank with sawedged canary birds in pursuit. Noah can't pull up gangplank because two fleas are tugging at other end.

Third instalment of hip oil. Red, white and blue elephantum waltzes into Noah's ocean office. He is advance agent for shark-nosed puma with porcupine feathers. By this time, evening is ending as peacefully as it began. Thousand bootlegged centipedes clamber up gangplank flanked on all sides by monocled English sparrows.

Noah didn't have any ark at all compared with 1921 marine zoos.

Chickasaw Wins Pennant

Fort Smith, Ark., Sept. 28.—Chickasaw copped the Western association pennant here this afternoon by defeating Fort Smith, 3 to 2

Base Ball Results and Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	93	57	.620	Brooklyn	75	84	.471
Pittsburgh	89	60	.597	Cincinnati	69	81	.469
St. Louis	85	65	.567	Chicago	72	88	.450
Boston	79	75	.520	Phila'phia	50	102	.329

Yesterday's Results.
Brooklyn, 9; Boston, 5.
Chicago, 2; Cincinnati, 1.
No others scheduled.

Today's Games.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
No others scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	94	55	.631	Boston	74	75	.497
Cleveland	92	57	.620	Detroit	71	80	.470
St. Louis	79	73	.520	Chicago	69	81	.392
Washing.	76	72	.513	Phila'phia	53	96	.356

Yesterday's Results.
Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 4.
No others scheduled.

Today's Games.
Cleveland at Chicago.
New York at Philadelphia.
Washington at Boston.
No others scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	95	65	.594	Toledo	78	82	.488
Minne'polis	89	73	.549	In'anapolis	78	86	.478
Kan. City	82	77	.517	St. Paul	75	87	.463
Milwaukee	79	80	.491	Columbus	66	92	.418

Yesterday's Results.
Louisville, 7-13; Kansas City, 3-9.
St. Paul, 3-7; Toledo, 0-1.
Indianapolis, 3-5; Milwaukee, 1-1.
Columbus, 13; Minneapolis, 1.

Today's Games.
Milwaukee at Indianapolis.
Kansas City at Louisville.
Minneapolis at Columbus.
St. Paul at Toledo.

Braves Lose Last Home Game Of Season, 9-5

Robins Pound Cooney and Townsend Freely — Cubs Even Series With Reds.

Boston, Sept. 28.—Boston lost its last home game of the season today to Brooklyn, 9 to 5, the visitors hitting Cooney and Townsend freely. Olson hit Cooney's first pitch for a home run. Ruether's long drive bounded into a hole in the left center field scoreboard for a home run in the ninth. Score:

BROOKLYN.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	BOSTON.	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Olson, 2b	6	2	4	4	Powell, cf	5	1	5	0
J'nst'n, 3b	5	2	3	2	Ch'bury, 2b	2	0	2	2
Griffith, rf	5	1	3	0	Barbare, 2b	2	1	1	2
Wheat, lf	3	3	2	0	S'worth, rf	3	2	4	0
Neis, lf	1	0	0	0	Nixon, rf	2	0	0	0
Myers, cf	5	2	2	0	Cruise, lf	3	1	1	0
Sch'dt, 1b	5	2	6	1	Ni'olson, lf	1	0	0	0
J'nvrin, ss	4	0	4	2	Boeckel, 3b	3	0	0	1
Taylor, c	5	2	3	1	Holke, 1b	4	1	7	2
G'donier, p	1	1	0	1	Ford, ss	4	1	3	4
Ru'ther, p	2	1	0	0	O'Neill, c	4	1	3	0
xKilduff	1	0	0	0	Cooney, p	2	0	1	2
					To'nsend, p	2	0	0	1
Totals	43	16	27	11	Totals	36	5	27	14

xKilduff batted for Gordonier in sixth.

Brooklyn .....1 1 1 0 0 4 1 0 1—9
Boston .....1 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0—5

Summary—Runs: Olson, 2; Johnston, Griffith, Wheat, 2; Taylor, 2; Ruether, Powell, Southworth, 2; Cruise, Boeckel. Errors: Christenbury, Ford, O'Neill, Neis, Janvrin. Two-base hits: Johnston, Holke, O'Neill, Powell. Three-base hits: Southworth, 2; Cruise, Wheat. Home runs: Olson, Ruether. Stolen base: Myers. Double plays: Olson to Janvrin to Schmandt; Ford to Holke; Ford to Barbare to Holke. Left on bases: Brooklyn, 12; Boston, 7. First base on balls: Off Gordonier, 3; off Cooney, 3; off Townsend, 1. Hits: Off Gordonier, 5 in 5 innings; off Ruether, 3 in 4 innings; off Cooney, 11 in 5 1-3 innings; off Townsend, 5 in 3 2-3 innings. Hit by pitched ball: Griffith by Townsend. Struck out: By Gordonier, 1; by Ruether, 1; by Cooney, 1. Winning pitcher: Gordonier. Losing pitcher: Cooney. Umpires Brennan and Emslie. Time: 1:41.

Cubs, 3; Reds, 1.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Chicago evened the series with Cincinnati today by winning the last game of the season here, 3 to 1. Score:

CINCINNATI.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	CHICAGO.	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Bohne, 2b	4	1	0	4	Tinsley, rf	4	2	4	0
Crane, ss	4	1	4	5	Ell't, ss	3	0	3	4
Klum'k, 3b	3	0	0	1	K'gm'n, 2b	3	0	3	1
Kopf, lf	4	1	1	0	Deal, 3b	4	1	1	3
Fns'ca, 1b	4	0	13	0	Barber, lf	2	0	0	0
B'sler, rf	3	1	2	0	Thomas, cf	2	0	3	0
D'ncan, cf	3	3	1	0	Grimes, 1b	3	0	11	0
D'glas, c	3	0	3	2	O'F'rell, c	3	1	4	5
D'nohue, p	2	0	0	2	Martin, p	1	0	0	2
xWingo	1	0	0	0	xFlack	1	1	0	0
Geary, p	0	0	0	0	K'tman, p	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	8	24	14	Totals	27	5	27	14

xWingo batted for Donohue in seventh.
xFlack batted for Martin in fifth.

Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1
Chicago .....1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 x—3

Summary—Bohne, Twombly, Grimes, O'Farrell. Errors: Crane, Klugman. Two-base hits: Duncan, Crane. Stolen base: Twombly. Sacrifice hits: Klugman, Kimmick, Barber. Double play: Bohne to Crane to Fonseca. Left on bases: Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 4. Base on balls: Off Donohue, 2. Hits: Off Martin, 4 in 5 innings; off Kaufman, 2 in 4 innings; off Donohue, 5 in 7 innings; off Geary, 0 in 1 inning. Struck out: By Donohue, 3; by Martin, 2; by Kaufman, 1. Winning pitcher: Martin. Losing pitcher: Donohue. Umpires: Holmes and Quigley. Time: 1:32.

Good Racing Staged At Hayes County Fair

Hayes Center, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—The Hayes County Fair association closed its 34th annual fair at Hayes Center, with one of the best attendances on record. Exhibits were as good as ever shown in southwest Nebraska. The races, which consisted of only running races were very hotly contested. On Friday, Palisade day, the Palisade derby race of a mile for a purse of $150 was tied by Rickarts and Domine Robert's horses of Imperial.

The Hayes Center High school boys defeated the Chase county High school basket ball team by the score of 21 to 9, but the Hayes county girls were defeated by the Chase county girls by the score of 10 to 11. These games were played after the race program on Friday evening. The Saturday racing was very good, and the base ball game was one of the hottest ever played here, the home team nosing out Wallace in the last of the ninth by the score of 6 to 7. Pilot J. R. Garver was here with his 3-passenger Laird Swallow plane, and gave one of the best exhibitions in stunt flying ever pulled off in this part of the state.

Stecher beats Santel

San Francisco, Sept. 28.—Joe Stecher of Nebraska, former heavyweight champion, was awarded a decision on points over Ad Santel, light heavyweight champion, here last night. They wrestled for two hours without a fall.

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McGraw Has Won Six Pennants ★ ★ ★ Won His First Series in 1905 ★ ★ ★ Speaker Most Magnetic Leader

By FREDERICK G. LIEB.

GIAN John McGraw, manager of the Giants, shake off the jinx which so relentlessly has pursued all graduates of the old Baltimore school of base ball in world's series competition? That is the question of the hour. The defeats which have been administered in world's series to teams piloted by former members of the famous Orioles have been uncanny in their regularity.

McGraw and his chief lieutenant, Hughie Jennings, alone have suffered seven world's series defeats. Wilbert Robinson, the crack catcher of the old Baltimore champions, has lost both of his world's series in Brooklyn, while "Kid" Gleason, pitcher and second baseman on the Orioles, was leader of the White Sox when they went down to their infamous defeat in 1919.

This will be the seventh National league championship for John McGraw, a new record for big league managers. Prior to this year, McGraw and Mack were tied with six league championships. However, defeat in another world's series would take much of the joy out of setting a new managerial record.

Tris Speaker

McGraw won his first world's series in 1905, when the great Mathewson shut out the Athletics three times in a week. Since then the team, led by New York's little Napolean, have been defeated by the Athletics in 1911, by the Red Sox in 1912, again by the Athletics in 1918 and by the White Sox in 1917.

The Giant leader is known to base ball as a snap judgment manager. In other words, he usually decides plays on the spur of the moment rather than mapping out a difficult campaign in advance. He is a hard driver of his players when things go bad, though he hasn't used the whip on his present team the way he did with the three-time champions of 1911, 1912 and 1913. There were players on that club who did better when ridden hard and McGraw used the whip and spur freely.

Players on Giant teams, however, have the greatest respect for McGraw's leadership and knowledge of base ball. They may differ with his judgment at the time, but in the end will admit McGraw was right.

In Tris Speaker, the Indians have one of the most magnetic chieftains in base ball; a playing manager who can make his players work for him like Frank Chance of old. Speaker, however, is of a different type than the growly old bear who used to lead the Cubs to victory in numerous pennant and world's series' wars. Personally Speaker is far more popular with the Indians than Chance ever was with the Chicago players. The reverence and love which the Cleveland players feel for the great "Spoke" seldom has had a counterpart in base ball.

Cleveland's great spurt after Speaker's accident in St. Louis early in the month showed how the spirit of Tris could keep the Tribe in the winning column.

"We've got to keep winning for Tris' sake," was the battle cry of the Indians in the east.

Keeps Team Fighting.

Speaker handled the Indians cleverly in the 1920 world's series with Brooklyn, and continually kept his fighting team on its toes. He has met the Giants twice in post-season clashes. In 1909, when the Giants and Red Sox both finished third, Speaker beat New York almost singlehanded, while Tris was a big factor in Boston's narrow victory over the Giants in the world's series of 1912.

In the event that the Yankees win the American league pennant and play the Giants, Miller Huggins, the midget manager of the Yanks, will have his first opportunity to shine as a world's series tactician.

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Here's the World Series Dope—Can You Figure Out Who Will Be This Year's Hero of Base Ball Diamond?

New York, Sept. 29.—Billy Wambsganss, Stanley Coveleskie were last year's outstanding stars; will they repeat? Every world series produces its hero.

Some player is always greeted by Dame Opportunity and takes advantage of the chance to make his deeds stand out above those of his team-mates and the players of the opposing team.

Last year Billy Wambsganss, with an unassisted triple play to his credit, was hailed as the hero of the big series by many critics, but the most consistent outstanding star was Stanley Coveleskie.

Who will be the hero of this year's classic? Will he be a pitcher? Pitchers have monopolized the hero roles in the past. Will he be an outfielder? Or will he be a catcher or an infielder? The playing of the series alone can decide.

In series of the past pitchers have hogged the limelight. Bill Dineen started it in 1903 when his great pitching enabled the Red Sox to come from behind and defeat the Pirates in five out of eight games. "Big Six" followed Dineen's lead in 1905 and set a world's series shutout record when he hurled three shutout victories for the Giants against Philadelphia, shutting the Mackmen out, 3 to 0, 9 to 0 and 2 to 0.

George Rohe, third baseman of the White Sox, was the hero in 1906 and Harry Steinfeldt came along to grab the glory in 1907. Frank Chance, whose all-around playing marked him as the hero of the 1908 series, is the only first baseman who ever starred in the big fall classic. Other world's series heroes were Babe Adams, Jack Coombs, Hod Eller and Urban Faber, pitchers; Frank Baker and Buck Herzeg, third basemen; Eddie Collins, second baseman; Hank Gowdy, catcher, and Duffy Lewis, Harry Hooper and Herb Whiteman, outfielders.

Next to the pitchers the third basemen have starred most consistently. Rohe, Steinfeldt, Baker and Herzog share the glory of upholding the importance of their position in the big October joust. And there is a good chance that the battle may center between Buck Weaver and Heinie Groh this year.

Certain it is that Dame Fortune will smile on somebody, though she is a fickle old girl at best.

Pennock Effective In Pinch and Wins

Boston Red Sox Nose Athletics Out of 5 to 4 Victory.

Philadelphia, Sept. 28.—Pennock was more effective in the pinches than Naylor, and Boston defeated Philadelphia today by 5 to 4. In the seventh inning, C. Walker made his 24th home run.

BOSTON.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	PHILADELPHIA.	AB.	H.	O.	A.
Leibold, cf	5	1	2	0	Witt, rf	5	1	3	0
Foster, 3b	5	0	1	1	Dykes, 2b	3	1	3	2
Pratt, 2b	4	4	6	3	Walker, lf	5	2	0	0
M'T'nis, 1b	1	0	10	0	Welch, cf	5	1	2	0
Collins, rf	4	1	0	0	Gallo'y, 3b	5	3	1	1
Pit'ger, lf	4	0	0	0	Callo'y, ss	5	1	1	5
Scott, ss	4	0	1	4	Walker, 1b	4	1	15	0
Walters, c	4	0	6	1	Myatt, c	3	1	1	0
P'nnock, p	3	1	0	1	xJohnson	1	1	0	0
					Naylor, p	2	0	0	0
Totals	34	7	27	10	Barrett, 1b	1	0	1	0
					Freeman, p	0	0	0	1
					Totals	38	12	27	18

xJohnson batted for Myatt in eighth.

Boston .....2 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—5
Philadelphia .....0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 1—4

Summary—Runs: Leibold, Foster, Pratt, 2; Pennock, Witt, C. Walker, 2; Galloway. Errors: Pratt, Dykes, Galloway, 2. Two-base hits: Leibold, Pennock, C. Walker. Three-base hit: Galloway. Home runs: Pratt, C. Walker. Stolen base: Galloway. Sacrifice hits: McInnis, 3. Left on bases: Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 10. Base on balls: Off Pennock, 2. Hits: Off Naylor, 7 in 8 innings; off Freeman, 0 in 1 inning. Hit by pitched ball: Galloway, by ePnnock; Pennock, by Freeman. Struck out: By Pennock, 5. Losing pitcher: Naylor. Umpires: Moriarity and Wilson. Time: 1:55.

Semi-Pro and Amateur

Sutton, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—Sutton was a little too fast for Grand Island. Grand Island brought practically the same team that played on its home grounds several weeks ago, but the hits Sutton got off of the pitcher were more effective in this game. Sutton played the same team that has been performing during the past month and the teamwork was very effective. Melhalf, whose game during the first part of the season was not up to the usual standard, played a star game. Sutton won the game by some very effective batting. In the fourth, Lilliodel knocked a home run with a man on base, making two scores. In the eighth Lotz swatted one into the creek, netting him three bags and bringing a man home. It was in this play that the Grand Island fielder got the ball out of the creek bed in such record time that most of the fans figured that there must have been an extra ball brought into play. The fielder claimed the ball hit the limb of a tree and bounded part way up the bank.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Sutton .....0 1 0 2 0 0 0 1 x—4 10 1
Grand Island .0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1 4 2

Batteries: Sutton, Lotz and Sharkey; Grand Island, Ziomke and Linderkamp. Struck out: By Lotz, 14; by Zolmke, 8. Base on balls: Off Lotz, 2.

Eagle Trounces Weeping Water.

Weeping Water, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—Eagle clawed its way to victory over the local town base ball team here this afternoon, in the first game of a base ball tournament, by a score of 8 to 4. The visitors annexed 14 hits off the delivery of Pitcher Buckmaster, while Weeping Water chalked up a half dozen bingles off the offering of Hurler Dyke. Cra3tree was behind the bat for the winners, while Zradobille was the local backstop. Each team made two errors. Eagle, Weeping Water, Elmwood and Greenwood, all Cass county teams, are playing in the tournament. Tomorrow Elmwood and Greenwood play. Saturday a double-header will be played. The winner of the Elmwood-Greenwood contest will play Eagle.

Kearney U. C. T. Teams Wins.

Holdrige, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—The Kearney U. C. T. team defeated the Holdrege ball club here by the score of 6 to 5 in a 10-inning contest. The feature of the game was a triple play by the locals. Batteries: Kearney, Heiraeli and Brown; Holdrege, Morrison and Hodges. Umpire: Wisser.

Oakland Wins Two.

Oakland, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—Oakland defeated Scribner on the local diamond in the longest game of the season by the score of 5 to 4. The winning run crossed the plate in the last half of the 16th inning. It was a pitchers' battle between Sullivan of Oakland and Korb of Scribner. The score:

Score by innings:
Oakland 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—5
Scr'ner 0 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4

Batteries: Scribner, Korb and D. Oraemel; Oakland, Sullivan and Eggert.

Oakland defeated Herman in a one-sided game here today, the score being 14 to 0, Wiggington having no trouble whatever in holding the Herman batters under control, Herman not being able to get a man past second base. The feature of the game was the batting of the Oakland players, who knocked the colored sensation from Bennington off the mound in the sixth inning, scoring seven runs. The score:

Score by innings:
Herman .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Oakland .....2 0 1 1 3 7 0 0 x—14

Batteries: Herman, Harris and West; Oakland, Wiggington and Eggert. Hits: Herman, 1; Oakland, 15. Struck out: By Harris, 9; by Wiggington, 11.

Bloomfield Wins.

Bloomfield, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—The local ball team closed the season by defeating Laurel here by a score of 9 to 1. Williford, for Laurel, struck out 11 and allowed 10 hits, while Hathaway whiffed 12 and allowed five safe ones. Laurel was shut out up to the ninth, when they scored one run on a combination of errors.

Batteries: Laurel, Williford and Tolles; Bloomfield, Hathaway and Heires.

The team played 32 games during the season, winning 19 and losing 13.

Lodgepole Beats Julesburg.

Lodgepole, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—In the last game of the Lodgepole Valley Base Ball league series, the Lodgepole warriors tramped on Julesburg on the local diamond, 16 to 2.

Wausa Loses Game.

Wakefield, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—In the final game of the season, Wakefield defeated Wausa by a score of 4 to 3 on the latter's grounds. The game was featured by the spectacular work of Eldred, Wakefield pitcher, who did not allow a hit, a run or a man to reach first base for seven innings.

	R.	H.	E.
Wakefield	4	7	2
Wausa	3	4	3

Struck out: By Eldred, 9; by Wingate, 4.

Leigh Grid Team Has Hard Schedule

Leigh, Neb., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—The Leigh High school foot ball team defeated the Fullerton team, 53 to 0, in the opening game of the season, on the Fullerton gridiron. The schedule for the season is as follows:

September 30, Stanton at eLigh.
October 7, Leigh at Madison.
October 14, Leigh at Stanton.
October 21, Columbus at Leigh.
October 28, Leigh at Columbus.
November 4, Schuyler at eLigh.
November 11, Fullerton at Leigh.
November 18, Madison at Leigh.
November 24, Leigh at Schuyler.

Revokes License of Jockey Buddy Ensor

New York, Sept. 28.—The Jockey club revoked the licenses of Buddy Ensor, Arthur Collins and G. Yeargin. Collins has been riding at Latonia, while Yeargin has appeared on Canadian tracks. No reason was announced.

French and Lamson Are Matched for Six Rounds

Presley French, 147-pounder of Central City, and Budge Lamson, 145 pounds, of Columbus, will meet in a six-round bout at Fremont, Neb., Friday night. The bout will be one of the preliminary encounters to the "Kid" Schlaifer-Harvey Thorpe 10-round tilt.

Use Bee want ads for speedy results.

"Kid" Graves to Take Team of Boxers To Sydney, Australia

"Kid" Graves, former welterweight champion, is going to Sydney, Australia, with a team of leather pushers. The "Kid" received a letter yesterday from the manager of the Stadiums Limited at Sydney asking him to bring a team of boxers to Australia.

According to Graves, several featherweights and lightweights are wanted for contests over there, with the possibility of one or two welter, middle and heavyweight scrappers. Round trip expenses are included in the offer, the fighters to take part in at least six 20-round bouts.

Joe Stecher and Ed Lewis to Meet Decision Contest

San Francisco, Sept. 28.—Joe Stecher and "Strangler" Ed Lewis, both former world's championship heavyweight wrestlers, signed articles today for a two hours' match to a decision here next Tuesday night.

Advices from Australia carry the news that Harry Sloce, former east side newsie, no longer is lightweight champion of the Antipodes. Harry lost the title to Sid Godfrey, the former Australian featherweight champion.

Ohio Commission Is Incompetent ★ ★ ★ Charged With Many Blunders ★ ★ ★ Kilbane-Frush Fight An Example

By FRANK G. MENKE.

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CLEVELAND is famous for many things—but its boxing commission is not included in the group.

In fact, that very same boxing commission is doing a lot toward making the Ohio purlieu just exactly the opposite.

One wonders, as the array of facts are reviewed, whether the commission has been simply seeking publicity for itself in misguided fashion—or whether it's a spineless outfit, lacking utterly in executive powers and fistic judgment.

Within a few months, that same commission has had charged against its account, two of the worst fiascos in boxing history. And the commission, in its efforts to shroud its stupidity, has added to the collection of boners by attempting alibis and pop-eyed decisions.

Johnny Wilson meandered into town to fight Bryan Downey. The champion insisted that Jimmy Gardner, his handpicked referee, should officiate. Gardner had no Ohio license. The Boxing commission stated bold-like that Gardner couldn't referee—that a Cleveland official must go into the ring. Wilson said: "Gardner or no fight." The Boxing commission declared "An Ohio referee or no fight."

Commission Backed Down.

The men fought—and Gardner was in the ring, in direct violation of the Cleveland boxing rules. The "brave" commission had backed down ingloriously. The bout ended in a near riot. Wilson apparently was knocked out. The referee gave him the fight on a foul.

The commission, thereupon, declared that Downey was champion. It tried by that move to make amends for its terrible blunder in permitting Wilson's private referee to officiate. But no one paid any attention to its decision, which was a violation of all the rules of the prize ring, which state emphatically: "None but the referee or ring judges can render decisions."

Eventually the Johnny Kilbane-Danny Frush thing came along The fighters, the promoter and the public wanted Jack Dempsey to referee. He was willing. But the Boxing commission, with haughty mein stated:

"Dempsey cannot referee. We want a referee for this fight; not a fighter."

Barred Dempsey.

By its edict the commission placed Dempsey, veteran of a hundred fights, and referee for countless others, in the class of incompetents. What an absurdity to take the position that the champion of fistic champions, who must know every twist and every angle in the rules, was not fit to referee a pugilistic battle!

The commission then named one newspaper man to referee and two others to act as judges. Kilbane approved the referee. He was opposed to the judges. The reason probably was that these men, in stories written through the months and years, either had shown a dislike for him, held him cheaply as a champion, or through articles written concerning the Frush fight already had prejudged it.

Anyway, Kilbane objected.

He was within his rights. Certainly the articles called for the naming of men "agreeable to both fighters." The two judges originally named were not approved by Kilbane He so informed the commission Thereupon the commission emitted a loud howl and added:

"You shall have those judges—and none other."

Displaced Judges.

"If you don't change the judges there'll be no fight," retorted Kilbane. "I'm not asking you to put judges in who are going to give me the best of it. I'm not trying to tell you what judges should work. I'm merely asking you to displace men whom I find objectionable. There's nothing wrong in that."

The commission then issued a flambuoyant statement. It tried to put the blame upon Kilbane—who wasn't to blame at all. But it displaced the original judges.

After the battle it was announced that the Cleveland boxing commission had suspended Kilbane. Why? Apparently because Kilbane insisted—as was his right—upon the effacement of judges whom he felt might have pre-judged his fight.

It would seem that the real move for the boxing commission to make would be to suspend itself—by the feet. For its actions seem to call for the hanging of its head in shame.

Dunn Won't Concede Yankees the Pennant

Cleveland, Sept. 28.—James C. Dunn, president of the Cleveland base ball club, has not yet given up hope of winning the American league pennant. "I will not concede the Yankees the pennant yet," he said. "Don't blame the boys if they fail to bring the pennant back. They did the best they could. Anyone who saw the last game at New York will testify they went down fighting."

Jim Barnes Sets Course Record, 68

New York, Sept. 28.—A course record of 68 was set yesterday by Jim Barnes, national open golf champion, in the opening round of the professional golfers' association championship tournament at the Inwood Country club. He defeated Hackney, Atlantic City, 3 and 2. Walter Hagen, Western title holder, and Gene Gararzen of Titusville, Pa., each had a 69.

Jock Hutchinson

Jock Hutchinson of Chicago, holder of the British open championship and defender of the tournament title was carried to the 39th hole before winning over Pat O'Hare of the Richmond Country club. In a 40-hole contest Charles Mothersole, Wee Burn, defeated John Farrell, New York.

Joe Stecher to Attend Columbus Legion Meet

Columbus, Neb., Sept 28.—(Special.)—Joe Stecher will come from California to Columbus for the Legion Athletic event on carnival day. Stecher left for California where he has a series of engagements, but before he left he promised a Legion committee that he would return here for the Armistic day event. The former world-champion is an enserv-ice man and a Legion member.

Postpone Midwest Game Because of Cold

Casper, Wyo., Sept. 28.—Today's game of the Midwest league championship between Denver and Casper was postponed because of a cold wind that swept across the field. A double-header will be played tomorrow which will decide the championship.

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