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A CLEAN STEAL FROM INDIANS

By All Rules of Baseball, Except Those Which Govern, Keokuk Was Entitled to Open with Kewanee.

3 TO 1—ELEVEN INNINGS

Blue Jacket Went Nine Innings Without Allowing a Hit, and But Few Balls Were Hit to the Outfield.

Blue Jacket was invincible until the eleventh inning, when he weakened and allowed the visitors to bunch hits and win the game, 3 to 1.

But the game should never have gone more than the allotted nine rounds. Keokuk had chances galore which were misplaced by failures to hit the ball, or sharp fielding by the visitors.

Noe, the hard luck pitcher, and Blue Jacket opposed each other. The visitors were on the defensive during the entire game, Keokuk's eleven hits being scattered through ten innings in such a way that the Indians were always within reach of home plate.

The Freak Play. Kewanee should never have tied up the game in the seventh and it was on a freak play that they did. Lewis walked with one down and stole second.

During the eighth, ninth and tenth but three men in each inning faced the pitcher. In the eleventh "Pa" Connors started things with a single to left, and was advanced to second by a sacrifice.

Chances Not Accepted. Keokuk had golden opportunities in every inning except the first, the only time that Keokuk failed to get a runner to first. The one score came in

Central Association.				
Clubs—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Quincy	41	29	12	.707
Hannibal	41	25	16	.610
Ottumwa	43	25	18	.581
Galesburg	42	23	19	.548
KEOKUK	39	18	21	.462
Kewanee	38	15	23	.395
Monmouth	42	16	26	.381
Burlington	44	14	30	.318

National League.				
Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	
Chicago	30	16	.652	
New York	29	19	.604	
Cincinnati	24	21	.533	
Pittsburg	22	22	.500	
St. Louis	22	26	.458	
Brooklyn	22	26	.458	
Philadelphia	19	25	.432	
Boston	18	31	.367	

American League.				
Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	31	14	.689	
New York	29	15	.659	
Detroit	33	19	.635	
Boston	24	22	.522	
Cleveland	18	22	.450	
Washington	22	28	.440	
Chicago	17	27	.386	
St. Louis	10	36	.217	

Three-Eye League.				
Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.	
Springfield	26	13	.667	
Bloomington	23	19	.548	
Waterloo	24	20	.545	
Rock Island	22	19	.537	
Davenport	20	22	.476	
Peoria	20	22	.476	
Dubuque	18	29	.383	
Danville	15	25	.373	

the sixth when Bresnahan doubled and came home when Lewis fell down on an easy chance, by throwing wild to first.

In the first Miller got around to second, but there remained. In the fourth Reichle made third and Bresnahan was perched on second awaiting Jacket, first up in the seventh, was nursed around to third, and there remained to die. And so it went on results, but nothing was done. Blue from inning to inning.

In the eleventh Belt walked and after two had gone down Ahring hit. With Miller up fans called for something, but Ahring was caught napping at the initial bag and the game was over.

Tabulated Score.						
Keokuk—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Morris, lf	6	0	1	0	0	0
Ahring, ss	6	0	2	2	4	0
Miller, 1b	5	0	1	16	6	0
Reichle, cf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Grodnick, 2b	5	0	1	2	1	0
Bresnahan, 3b	4	1	2	1	6	0
Hildebrand, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Belt, c	4	0	1	2	0	0
Blue Jacket, p	5	0	2	0	4	1
Totals	44	1	11	33	17	1

Kewanee—					AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Overtaker, lf	4	0	2	3	0	0				
Kesling, lf	4	0	0	6	0	0				
Lewis, 2b	4	1	0	4	3	1				
Morris, 3b	3	0	0	1	3	0				
Newman, ss	4	0	0	1	4	0				
Connors, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0				
Clair, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0				
Dilger, c	4	1	1	6	1	0				
Noe, p	4	1	0	1	1	0				
Totals	34	3	4	33	12	1				

Score by innings—
Kewanee000 000 100 02—3
Keokuk000 001 000 00—1

Summary.
Two base hits—Reichle, Bresnahan, Blue Jacket.
Base on balls—Off Blue Jacket, 3; off Noe, 3.
Struck out—By Blue Jacket, 7; by Noe, 4.
Stolen bases—Overtaker, (2); Lewis, Noe, Ahring, Miller, Grodnick, Bresnahan, (2); Hildebrand, Grodnick, Dilger, Morris, Clair.
Passed ball—Dilger.
Time of game—2:10.
Umpire—Eddinger.
Attendance—176.

KEOKUK GOLFERS PLAY AGAINST PAR

In Tom Morris Memorial Competition They Found Themselves Up Against a Hard Proposition.

McFARLAND DOES BEST

After Being Nine Down First Round He Halved Four Holes the Second Round—Not a Hole Was Won.

Keokuk golfers competing as a team in the Tom Morris Memorial Trophy competition yesterday, found themselves up against the most strenuous proposition of their golfing careers, when they attempted to play effectively against par. To those not familiar with the meaning of par for a hole in golf, it is easily explained. Par is the number of strokes it would take a player for each hole providing he played perfect golf.

The Keokuk team was 129 out of a possible 144 holes down on par. The best work of the day was done by C. F. McFarland, who halved four of the holes. Following are the results:
C. F. McFarland14 down
J. F. Elder15 down
B. L. Auwerda15 down
G. W. Cox16 down
E. R. Cochrane17 down
L. H. G. Bouscaren17 down
J. N. D. Dickinson17 down
M. Meigs18 down
Totals—129 down

Los Angeles May Win.

CHICAGO, June 17.—The Los Angeles Country club will probably succeed the Denver Country club as the holder of the Tom Morris memorial trophy, according to official returns in the second annual competition today. The Los Angeles team of eight finished, 34 down against par.

Oakmont club, of Pittsburg, was second with 41 while the Denver and Memphis Country clubs tied for third at 42 down. Ex-moor club of Chicago is fifth with 47 down. Practically all the prominent clubs of the Western Golf association were represented. The trophy will remain in possession of the winning club for a year. It will become the permanent property of the club winning it five years, not necessarily in succession.

The trophy is a tribute to "Grand Old Man" of golf, on the anniversary of his birth. The conditions are the same as last year except for the elimination of half strokes from par figures. According to the new regulations par for holes up 215 yards was 3; from 216 to 400, 4; 401 to 575 yards, 5; and from 576 and upwards 6. Each club is represented by eight men playing 18 holes each against par of the respective courses. The trophy was presented by Peter Dawson, of Scotland.

The score of some of the middle west clubs: Omaha, Happy Hollow club, 112 down to par; Country club, 78; La Crosse, (Wis.) Country club, 76; Milwaukee Country club, 56; Blue Mound, 84; Woodmount, 116; Des Moines Golf and Country club, 65; St. Paul Town and Country club, 54; Sioux City Boat club and Golf club, 102 holes; Duluth and Northland Country club, 84; Rock Island, (Ill.) Arsenal Golf club, 73 holes down on par; Minneapolis-Minnelkadda Golf club, 70; Chicago-Exmoor, 47; Jackson Park, 54; Skokie, 57; Midlothian, 59; Glen View, 78; Windsor, 81; South Shore, 91; Beverly, 96; La Grange, 97; Ridgemoor, 113.

Central Association Results.				
At Quincy—In a pitchers' battle, Quincy shut out Ottumwa, 1 to 0.				
Score— R. H. E.				
Quincy	1	8	1	
Ottumwa	0	6	0	
Batteries—Tretter and Clark; Dunn and Severoid.				

At Hannibal—Spencer held the Burlington team to three hits and shut them out. Cadigan, a catcher secured from Moberly, caught his first game for Hannibal. R. H. E. Burlington0 3 1 Hannibal5 7 1 Batteries—Wolverton and Eng for Burlington; Spencer and Cadigan for Hannibal.

At Monmouth—Clark won out in a pitchers' battle with Tonjes in an evenly contested game. R. H. E. Galesburg1 7 2 Monmouth3 7 1 Batteries—Tonjes and Shea for Galesburg; Clark and Lage for Monmouth.

At Philadelphia—The home team hit the visitors' pitchers hard, while Ewing was a complete puzzle to his former team mates. R. H. E. Philadelphia10 12 0 Cincinnati0 6 2 Batteries—Ewing and Moran; Beebe, Doyle and McLean. All other games postponed on account of rain.

American League.

At Chicago—Coombs held Chicago to one scratch hit. R. H. E. Chicago000 000 100—1 1 3 Philadelphia000 010 001—2 6 2 Batteries: Young, Scott and Payne; Coombs and Donohue.

At Cleveland—Koenstner started his first American league game and kept the hits scattered. R. H. E. Cleveland020 002 10x—5 7 0 New York000 011 010—3 7 2 Batteries: Koenstner and Easterly; Quinn, Hughes and Sweeney.

At Detroit—Boston played a ragged game in the field and Detroit hit both pitchers hard. R. H. E. Detroit130 041 30x—12 15 3 Boston003 000 000—3 8 9 Batteries: Mullin and Stange; Arrellanes, Barberish, Carrigan and Kleinow.

At St. Louis—The visitors outplayed the locals. R. H. E. St. Louis000 001 10x—2 9 4 Washington024 000 000—6 7 0 Batteries: Bailey, Gilligan and Stephens; Reising and Street.

At Peoria—Ovitz strained the muscles of his pitching arm in the seventh and before relief could be sent Dubuque had the game well in hand. The score. R. H. E. Peoria300 002 010—6 12 1 Dubuque001 000 000—7 11 2 Batteries: Ovitz, Gilbert and Assmussen; Miller Faber and Boucher.

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Sporting Views

By the Editor

That new ball Blue Jacket was slipping up is certainly a beauty. It is a perfect drop, but comes almost so slow that you can see the seams. It does not seem to slow up, however, until the break comes.

Cadigan, catcher of the Moberly Signals, has reported to Hannibal, Forney and Evans are under suspension because of injuries.

Ed Reichle is, after all, one of the queerest hitters in the Central Association, and differs materially from the heavy hitters of the country. And he follows a style which undoubtedly would admit improvement. His first characteristic is to allow the first ball to cut the plate, which it invariably

does and he immediately finds himself on the defensive. But he likes to be in a hole. However, after permitting the good ones to slip by, usually only one, he very seldom waits for a base on balls, but swings at balls that are not over the plate. For this reason many of his hits are misplaced, because he cannot reach the ball easily. Give him a grove ball with two and two on him and he'll kill it, but why doesn't he do it when the first one is handed up, and he has an excellent opportunity. Reichle once said to the writer that he liked to see the first one come up and follow it intently, to get a good line on the speed and natural course of the ball.