

Indians Drop Last, 9-5—Company L Beats Japs—New Pitcher

SWEEP BOARDS IN SECOND SERIES

Ottumwa Makes It Six in a Row From Belt's Indians by Taking Last Through Sloan's Ineffectiveness.

OVERCOME BIG LEAD

Fighting From Behind Packers Assault Keokuk Flinger and Pound Out Five Runs in Single Inning.

[Special to The Gate City.]

OTTUMWA, Iowa, July 14.—After only a few days' intermission between series, winning an uphill fight, 9 to 5, ed another clean sweep of the Indian series, winning an uphill fight, 9 to 5. The victory closed the series and made it six straight from the veteran Belt's men.

Keokuk looked dangerous during the first half of the game, but the home contingent got to Sloan in the fifth when six hits coupled with two walks and Belt's bat tossed to first netted Ottumwa five runs and really clinched the victory.

Cavanaugh, Keokuk's catcher, retired from the game in the fourth inning when a foul broke his finger nail. Pennington was banished from the going in the seventh when he disputed a decision by Kennedy. These two changes brought a shift in the visiting line up. Boothby went to left to replace Hilly, who was brought in to play third. Belt took Cavanaugh's place.

Keokuk hit the ball hard enough to win and a better defense would have made the victory soft. Keokuk got away with a three run lead in the second inning, but did not score again until the eighth, counting in both the eighth and the ninth rounds. Belt's wild toss was the only misplay the visitors made. The score:

Table with columns: Ottumwa, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Kessel, Russell, Johnson, Wall, Senno, Gard, Wise, Lank, Plympton.

Table with columns: Keokuk, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Hilly, Pennington, Boothby, Reiche, Palster, Jensen, Kinser, Murray, Moore, Cavanaugh, Belt, Sloan.

Score by Innings. Ottumwa 000 050 21x-9. Keokuk 020 000 011-5. Summary. Home runs—Gard, Kessel, Boothby. Two base hits—Wall, Palster, Sloan. Stolen bases—Wall, Senno, Johnson, 2, Pennington, Boothby. Double play—Kinser to Painter. Struck out—By Plympton, 10; by Sloan, 8. Wild pitches—Plympton, 2. Base on balls—Off Plympton, 2; off Sloan, 5. Time of game—1:55. Umpire—Kennedy. Attendance—263.

BELT SIGNS A NEW PITCHER

McCray From Kansas State League to Come—Kinser, Right Fielder Released.

Manager Frank Belt, struggling to maintain his feeble grip on third place, is doing quite a lot of experimenting in the way of new ball players and is again striving for a winning combination that he was able to once secure only to lose again. As a result today he announced the signing of McCray, a flinger who comes from Larned in the Kansas State League. He will arrive Saturday or Sunday.

To make room for the new man Kinser, the right fielder, has been released. It is thought that Bresnahan will sign again with Keokuk when in condition.

The Burlington club opens a series here today. Rohn has one of the best clubs in the league and should furnish a good article of ball.

—Read The Daily Gate City.

PRESSY TWIRLS ONE-HIT GAME

Not Until Ninth Could Womouth Make Impression on Blants of Big Twirler for Kewanee.

12 INNINGS AT MUSCATINE

Pitchers Battle Between Grogan and McGee Resulted in Hannibal Victory—Hawk Goes Well.

[Special to The Gate City.]

KEWANEE, Ill., July 14.—Bill Pressy came into his own and pitched one of the games that has made him famous throughout the Central association circuit. Not until one man had been retired in the ninth did Womouth get any semblance of a safe one. Then Finney hit one over second base that sailed to the fence for a triple and Finney scored. Womouth's only run, while Kennedy was being retired from Kilpatrick to Webster.

In the seventh inning Blauser was put out of the game for asking Umpire Atkinson a question about a third strike and a moment later Pitcher Burge, in his efforts to stop a hard hit ball from Kilpatrick's bat had the thing finger of his pitching hand badly lacerated and it will force him out of the game for a number of days.

By winning today Kewanee for the first time this season won a whole series. The score:

Table with columns: Kewanee, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Berghammer, Kilpatrick, Patterson, Lober, Andrews, McManus, Webster, Kurke, Pressy.

Table with columns: Monmouth, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Winney, Kennedy, Blauser, Walters, Dowers, Stark, Irmscher, Lage, Manion, Damaree.

Score by Innings. Kewanee 000 000 011-3. Monmouth 000 000 001-1. Summary. Stolen base—Berghammer. Two base hits—Lober, Berghammer. Three base hit—Finney. Home run—Pressy. Struck out—By Pressy, 4; by Burge 1. Base on balls—Off Pressy, 2; off Burge, 2. Hit by pitcher—Finney. Sacrifice hits—Kilpatrick, Kurke, Pressy. Attendance—310. Time of game—1:15. Umpire—Atkinson.

Hawk Pitches Great Game

BURLINGTON, Iowa, July 14.—Hawk's wonderful pitching in yesterday's game with Galesburg, which Burlington won 2 to 0, will be the ball talk of the fans for some time to come. Burlington's star hurler gave but one hit, in the nine innings. For seven innings he held the Pavers hitless, not a man reaching first base. His fellow players gave him great support, no errors being marked against them. It was a great exhibition of ball playing all through and made the third straight victory from Bert Hough's aggregation.

Table with columns: Burlington, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Ellis, Burton, Watson, Rohn, Lowthers, Lamb, Clifton, Griffith, Hawk.

PLAY EARLIER IN CHICAGO

Fans Want Games to Begin at Three O'clock and Arrangements Have Been Made.

Table with columns: Chicago, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Fox, Scanlon, Dowling, Blauser, Jeffries, Evans, Sampson.

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Newsy Dispatches

SOUTH BEND, Ind., July 14.—Business men met today at a committee of the South Bend Chamber of Commerce and took action which may result in the purchase of the Evansville Central League franchise and ball club to replace the aggregation transferred by Bert Annis to Grand Rapids.

BOSTON, July 14.—Absolute control of the Boston baseball club of the National League is to pass into the hands of William Hepburn Russell, president of the local organization, according to announcement made in the superior court here when the litigation between Russell and L. C. Page, a minority stockholder, was called for adjudication. Page, the club's vice president, has agreed to sell his holdings to Russell.

ATLANTA, July 14.—In a deal involving two players the Atlanta Baseball Association gets Pitcher Paige from Toledo, where he was sent by Cleveland after being purchased from New Orleans.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The Sheephead Bay Club, a relic of the palmy racing days of Sheephead Bay, has been sold for \$20,000 in foreclosure proceedings in Brooklyn. The property includes the house and grounds and was at one time valued at \$100,000. There was only one bidder and he got the property at his own figure.

MILWAUKEE, Ill., July 14.—By winning yesterday's game from McLeansboro, Hopkinsville nailed down the pennant for the first half of the "Kitty" League season, which ends next Tuesday. Vincennes and Clarksville are running a close race for second honors.

CLEVELAND, July 14.—At the North Randall track yesterday Uhan (1:58 1/2) trotted a half mile in 0:57 3/4. This is said to be the fastest half-mile ever trotted. Uhan's time for the mile was 2:04 1/2. He went to the half in 1:06 1/2 and then took the pace from a runner and came home in the phenomenal time of 0:57 3/4.

Table with columns: Muscatine, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Ahrens, Johnson, Holycross, Rossion, Blake, Yeager, Walters, Hart, Grogan.

Table with columns: Hannibal, A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Rows: Jacobson, Bagwell, Beckler, Nickell, Milligan, Dang, Walsh, Shea, McGee.

Score by Innings. Muscatine 000 000 000-3. Hannibal 000 000 000-5. Summary. Stolen bases—Hart, 1; Dang, Bagwell, Nickell. Two base hits—Ahrens, Blake, Hart. Double plays—Grogan to Ahrens to Walters. Sacrifice hits—Bagwell, Beckler. Struck out—By McGee, 11; by Grogan, 2. Base on balls—Off McGee, 3; off Grogan, 1. Umpire—Glenahlin. Time of game—1:11. Attendance—600.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 14.—The upper house of the New York State legislature has passed a bill providing for local option on the question of Sunday baseball. A similar measure is pending in the lower house and its backers are confident that it will pass.

Merriam a Winner

In the tennis tournament yesterday Bernard Merriam defeated H. C. Deane, winning the first and third sets.

GOLF PLAY STARTS TOMORROW

Qualifying Round Will be Played at the Keokuk Country Club.

The visitors appeared dangerous in the second round when Robertson walked Schara the second man up. Schara struck out and Irwin fumbled Naza's roller. The runner stole second, and with two bags occupied Moto was retired on strikes.

Errors Help Company L

Keokuk's second run was a donation from the visiting contingent. Two were down when Powell was safe on Suzuki's error. A passed ball put him on second and then the champ bowler, figuring he was possessed of some speed, started to steal third. But Suzuki was caught napping by the fast throw of Oyama, the ball shooting over the bag so fast that the third sacker did not come within four feet of reaching it. Powell made third and ambled home.

Not an Experiment

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PAUL KING GETS HOMER

His Long Drive Over the Left Field Fence Was One of the Brilliant Features of the Game.

Good Display of Baseball

The game was attended by a small number of spectators, but all were pleased with the article of ball played. There were few mistakes on either side and the exhibition may be considered almost classy for semipro aggregations. The Japs displayed great weakness at the stick, but fielded well. The battery appeared to be made up of two dark skinned warriors who might have some Indian blood in them.

Show Inside Ball

The guardsmen put one over the plate in their half by clever execution of the squeeze play on the part of Stephen Irwin. Rovane was bewildered by the speed of Naza and struck out. Crimmins shot a fast roller over second and went to the midway on a passed ball. P. King scratched a high bounder over Naza's head and stole second, giving Company L men on second and third. Coming in fast on the squeeze signal, Crimmins was almost home when Irwin shot a fast bunt to short, and the first run was counted.

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Standing of the Clubs

Table with columns: Clubs, W, L, Pct. Rows: Detroit, Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, Boston, Cleveland, Washington, St. Louis.

Where They Play

New York at St. Louis. Philadelphia at Detroit. Washington at Cleveland. Boston at Chicago.

Score by Innings

Japs 000 000 000-1. Company L 11000 200x-4. Summary. Home run—P. King. Base on balls—Off Naga, 1; off Robertson, 2. Struck out—By Naga, 7; by Robertson, 10.

Stolen bases—Suzuki, Kitase, Sohara, Naga, P. King, C. King.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

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St. Louis, 6-2-3; New York, 1-5-4. Batteries—Neison and Stephens; Ford and Brockett and Sweeney. Cleveland, 7-11-1; Washington, 5-7-2. Batteries—Krapp and Fisher; Johnson and Henry. Detroit, 8-12-3; Philadelphia, 7-7-1. Batteries—Lafitte, Summers and Stange; Morgan, Bender and Thomas. Boston, 2-5-1; Chicago, 1-5-0. Bat-

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