

KING BREAKS TWO RECORDS

Shot Average of 217.23 and Went Thirty Frames Without a Break on the Keokuk Club Drives.

GAME NEARLY PERFECT

In Middle Game He Had Nine Strikes and Three Spares—Grand Leaders Beat Clothiers Three Straights.

Standing of the Clubs.

Grand Leaders	14	7	657
Company L	11	7	511
Drexel	12	9	571
Keokuk Club	7	11	388
Ewers-McCarthy	8	13	381
Boosters	8	13	381

The 217.23 average of Carroll Taber, made last week on the Keokuk Club alleys, fell before the deadly shooting of Harry King of the Drexel team last evening, while planning on the same drives. King hung up a mark of 217.23, which was a total of just three pins more than the previous record, and in addition set a second record by going the thirty frames without a break, being the first time this has been done during the present season.

King had one of the greatest series ever rolled on Keokuk alleys and in order to set the record he did it was necessary for him to turkey in the last game as a windup. The only open frame of the three games was in the sixth of the first, when he drew a split. The best game of the series was the second, when he sandwiched in three spares among nine strikes for a grand count of 248. Only three additional strikes would have been necessary for the perfect 300 count.

This is the first season King has shown form that attracted attention. He has practically lead the league this year and the big average last night will boost him up to a good margin over the other players. King is a former member of the Keokuk Club and Olympia teams.

Drexels Take Two.

The Drexels took two games from the Booster aggregation, dropping the second game when Jacobs of the Boosters shot 222 and his team-mates had good games.

The Grand Leaders made it three straights from the Ewers-McCarthy team, topping the Clothiers by the bare margin of one pin in the first and seven pins in the second game. The Ewers-McCarthy bunch became disorganized in the last game and failed to finish it. The scores:

Boosters.

	1	2	3	Avg.
Helenthal	154	145	152	150.1-3
Sohl	104	189	170	151.1-3
Publsky	166	185	113	154.2-3
Azinger	129	188	180	169
Jacobs	160	222	135	172.1-3
Handicap	24	24	24	

Drexel.

	1	2	3	Avg.
King	200	248	205	217.2-3
Barber	128	135	128	130.3-3
Schmidt	117	177	147	147.3-3
Cook	183	176	135	164.2-3
Palmer	167	140	135	148.1-3
Maas	144	152	187	161

Grand Leaders.

	1	2	3	Avg.
Burk	148	167	142	152.1-3
Watson	147	134	159	146.2-3
Azinger	159	171	206	178.2-3
E. Scott	159	188	186	177.2-3
Kirchner	178	169	198	181.2-3

Ewers-McCarthy.

	1	2	3	Avg.
Erickson	152	185	152	163
Publsky	157	183	152	164
Franks	159	161	169	163
D. Scott	143	136	151	143
Hiller	151	119	151	140
Handicap	28	28	28	

CALLAHAN PLACED ON RULES COMMITTEE

Manager of White Sox Given Important Post With Umpire Tom Connelly.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Jimmy Callahan, manager of the White Sox, today received notice of his appointment to the rules committee of the American league and was informed of a new plan by President Johnson concerning the personnel of that important committee. Johnson intends to name a manager, a club owner and an umpire as members. Tom Connelly has been named as the umpire member, but the club owner has not yet been picked. The American league rules committee will shortly confer with a similar body of the National league.

Waddell Joins Thespian Colony.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] HICKMAN, Ky., Dec. 20.—It is Thespian Waddell—not "Rube" now, if you please. The eccentric twirler left today to join a stock company which will play river stations. Waddell said he expected to tread the boards until spring training time.

WILLIE RITCHIE TO MEET KOHLER

Coast Lightweight Who Held Freedy Welsh Safe, Will Fight New Year's Night.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—Willie Ritchie, the coast lightweight who fought Freedy Welsh to a standstill on Thanksgiving, was today matched with Paul Kohler of Cleveland. The bout will probably be pulled off in the Ohio city New Year's night.

See White Hope in Willie.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Those who saw John White's victory over Andy Morris, of Boston, last night, declared today the Chicago heavyweight would have to be reckoned with in listing the best of the white hopes.

Cross and Brown Fit.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Both Leach Cross and Knockout Brown are calling themselves as fit for their ten round battle tonight at the Empire A. C.

Oshkosh Boy Fights Morrow.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Eddie McGorty, Oshkosh middleweight, fights Howard Morrow here tomorrow night.

Auto Races Opposed.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—Determined opposition has arisen to the holding of further automobile races in Fairmount park, and it is probable the annual race there, the last important event in the east, will be called off next year.

4,000 Birds at New York Show.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—More than 4,000 birds have flocked together in the Madison Square Garden exhibits in the twenty-third annual show of the New York Poultry and Pet Stock Association.

Zybsco Has Arrived.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Stanislaus Zybsco, Polish wrestling champion, who meets Giovanni Rafoevich, Italian champion, Christmas night, has arrived to complete training.

Hockey Teams to Open Season.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The first important local hockey match of the season will be played tonight when Yale meets the unusually strong team from St. Pauls, of Concord, N. H. Tomorrow night Princeton and Williams meet.

Wedell May Captain Harvard.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] BOSTON, Dec. 20.—There was every indication today that Percy Wendell, all-American half back, will be elected captain of the Harvard football team this afternoon.

BOY WAS KILLED AT KAHOKA, MO.

Body of Lad Run Over By Car a Week Ago Is Identified.

ROCK ISLAND, Dec. 20.—Samuel Montgomery, 16 years old, was killed by a train at Kahoka, Mo., last Tuesday, according to identification made today. He was the son of Andrew Montgomery, a farmer of this county. The boy was a student at Port Byron academy and had suddenly taken a desire to see the world. He was returning home when he met his death.

Keokuk Due For Growth

Indianapolis Sun: The population of Keokuk, Iowa, is due for a rapid growth some time next spring. The why is Manager Quiesser of the Keokuk ball club. He is signing players right and left and already has forty under contract.

It's a pretty safe guess that the majority of the recruits will have to walk to Keokuk if they want a tryout, because the sum total of their transportation would scare any club owner into hoisting the white flag. Quiesser is from Indianapolis and was just recently appointed to the Keokuk management. He visited here a short time ago and made the announcement that he intended signing a number of Indianapolis boys. He has made good his assertion, as he now has four of the local semi-pros under contract and is dicker with two more, an infielder and a pitcher. The players signed from this city are Babe Reinert, pitcher; Ray Ludwig and Burgelein, outfielders, and Summers, a catcher.

Reinert established a good record in the city league last summer and with an old head to coach him should be capable of sticking in the Central Association. Burgelein is also from the city league, while Ludwig and Summers are from outside independent teams.

THREE TEAMS IN TIE NECESSITATE PLAYOFF

Green, Orange and Purple all Have a Chance for Championship in Basketball.

Standing of Clubs.

Green	5	3	625
Orange	5	3	625
Purple	5	3	625
Maroon	4	4	500
Black	1	7	175

Three teams jumped into a tie in the last night's play of Y. M. C. A. basketball league at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The Green, Orange and Purple teams have a like percentage and the tie will be played off next week. By agreement the teams decided to toss for the playoff. As a result the Green and Orange quintet play on Tuesday night and the Purple aggregation will meet the winner for the championship.

The first game of the evening resulted in a victory of the Orange over Green, 23 to 11. After gaining a lead in the first half, Captain Allen put his team on the defensive in the second half and pulled a win with little difficulty.

In the second game the Maroon defeated the Black, 26 to 16, with Lumberg, who caged seven baskets, the star performer. The line-up follows:

Green	Orange
Risberg	McManus
N. Kiedaisch	Hightshoe
	Kepner

Forwards.

C. King	Allen
	Center.
Warwick	J. Kiedaisch
Kline	Seager

Summary. Field goals: Risberg, 1; N. Kiedaisch, 2; C. King, 2; J. Kiedaisch, 1; Hightshoe, 5; Allen, 1; McManus, 4. Foul goals: N. Kiedaisch, 1; Hightshoe, 1.

Second Game.

Black	Maroon
Leake	Walker
Lobbrecht	Lumberg

Forwards.

Porterfield	Coyle
	Center.
Peterson	Buchda
Parsons	Criswell

Summary. Field goals: Leake, 4; Lobbrecht, 1; Porterfield, 2; Peterson, 1; Buchda, 3; Coyle, 1; Walker, 2; Lumberg, 7. Referee—Svenholt.

CHARLESTON.

Mrs. Honor Watson whose remains were interred here Saturday was a long time resident of Charleston township and has hosts of friends who have many pleasant memories of her kindness as a neighbor and friend.

The Baptist Sunday school will render a Christmas cantata Sunday evening, December 24th. The German Sunday school will have concert exercises and a tree Monday night.

Miss Mildred Vermazen a student of the public school here, won a prize in the spelling contest at Fort Madison Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Rocky and son Earl and Mrs. M. E. Kerns were shopping in Keokuk Monday. Fred Kirchner returned from Niota, Ill., Thursday where he had been for the past month husking corn.

Mrs. Maria Pickering returned from a visit with relatives in Keokuk Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Wahrer were shopping in Donnellson Saturday. John Wicke and son made a business trip to Keokuk Saturday.

Maurice Wahrer and Alfred Weber visited the past week in Fort Madison. Miss Ella Bertzinger and little sister Edna were over Sunday visitors in Donnellson where they were rehearsing to take part in the Christ-

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mas exercises at the G. E. church there.

Mrs. Anna Wahrer returned from Donnellson Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Swinderman and son and brothers John and Charlie Pezley spent Sunday in Fort Madison.

August Pflegerstofer was a business caller in Donnellson Monday.

Miss Lena Wahrer returned Friday from a two week's visit with relatives in Keokuk.

Mrs. J. A. Vermazen and daughter, Mildred, and the Misses Hazel and Helen Vermazen returned from Fort Madison Sunday.

Quite a number from Charleston are attending revival services at New Boston.

James Sollars spent Sunday in Fort Madison.

L. A. Bassett has purchased the store building at Warren and will remove it to the site of his former home Harry McCammon an architect from Cedar Rapids is superintending the work.

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CARTHAGE, ILL.

Harry Barnes, of La Harpe, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

Misses Josie Eckle, of Ferris, and her niece, Miss Ada Hunter of Burnside, were calling on friends in the city the first of the week.

Mr. Samuel Stigall of St. Louis, visited his mother, Mrs. Reidner last week.

Miss Rowena Calliff of Bowen, was visiting friends and relatives in the city over Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Tucker visited last week with friends in Burlington.

Miss Lanet of Warsaw was in the city Tuesday.

Geo. Thomson of La Harpe was transacting business here Tuesday. Judge Hughes of Keokuk was transacting business at the court house

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Marriage licenses.—F. C. Little, Pontoonac, 82 years; Lydia M. Landon, Camp Point, 72 years. Frank Marshall, Niota; Lela Tanner, Niota. Henry Broadhead, Tennessee; Grace E. Douglas, Plymouth. Harry L. Burling, Ferris; Geraldine Marshall, Elvanston; Fred DeHaven, Burnside; Ethelyn Flynn, Carthage.

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FRATERNAL CARDS MASONIC.

Hall, corner Fourth and Main, Eagle Lodge, No. 12—Holds its regular meeting the first Tuesday evening of each month.

Hardin Lodge No. 29—Holds its regular monthly meeting the second Monday evening of each month.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS.

Hall Seventh and Main streets. Keokuk Lodge, No. 13, meets regularly Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. John Moore, N. G.; Otto Anschutz, Recording Secretary.

Pucketchuck Lodge No. 43, meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Frank Vollers, N. G.; Geo. W. Imme-gart, Permanent Secretary.

Herman Lodge No. 116 (German), meets regularly every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. J. J. Raba, N. G.; Albert Kiefer, Rec. Sec.

Pucketchuck Encampment, No. 7, meets first and third Thursday evenings of each month. Wm. C. Kummer, Scribe.

A. O. U. W.

Keokuk Lodge, No. 256—Meets every Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock at hall over Keokuk Savings Bank, corner Fifth and Main streets. Visiting brethren cordially invited. Thos. W. Lester, M. W.; A. E. Moore, recorder.

K. of P.

Morning Star Lodge, No. 5—Meets Fifth and Blondeau, K. of P. building, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. C. G. Koepf, Chancellor Commander; J. A. Burgess, K. of R. and S. Visiting Knights fraternally invited.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SECURITY, KEOKUK COUNCIL, No. 1039.

Meets the first and third Monday of each month, at A. O. U. W. hall at 8 o'clock. O. W. Rowe, president; Ernest Best, Financier; Mayme C. Schenk, Secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA Gibbons' Hall.

Keokuk Camp No. 622—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Our latch string is out to neighbors. C. B. Lake, V. C.; J. A. Pollard, Clerk.

B. P. O. ELKS.

Keokuk Lodge, No. 106—Meets first and third Thursday nights at Elks' hall, Gibbons opera house block, Sixth and Main streets. Club rooms open daily. Visiting brethren cordially invited. W. H. Reinbold, E. R.; Leroy J. Wolf, Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF OWLS.

Regular meeting of the Independent Order of Owls the first and third Tuesdays of each month at their hall in the Hubinger building, 25 North Sixth street. Visiting Owls are cordially invited. Lee Hovey, worthy president; Ed W. Kiser, secretary.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.

Keokuk Aerie, No. 683—Meets first and third Wednesday of each month at Eagle's hall, 523 Main. Visiting brothers cordially invited. Geo. J. D. Salzer, W. President; C. A. Noakes, secretary.

W. O. W.—Gate City Camp No. 81, Woodmen of World, meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at Hawkes' hall, corner Eighth and Main streets. Visiting sovereigns cordially invited. E. E. Govern, con-sul commander; E. E. Hawkes, clerk.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

Keokuk Council No. 536 meets first and third Monday each month. Hawkes' hall, Eighth and Main. Visiting brethren fraternally invited to attend. C. M. Vogler, Regent. J. L. Annable, secy.

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