

# Clinton Here for Series Wednesday

## TRIBE WINS ONE IN DOUBLE BILL

Wins First Over Galesburg, 3 to 2, While Second Goes to Visitors, 17 to 8 in Slugging Match.

## HRUSKA BADLY HURT

Catcher is Hit Over Ear by Pitched Ball—Taken to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Galesburg and the Indians paired a double-decker here yesterday. Sweet's boys took the first after a hard fight, by a score of 3 to 2. Tommy Giffin had been benched by Genins and McCollough placed at second, while Whittaker was sent to right field in the second game, the fray was turned into a joke. Ten errors and fifteen hits gave the Galesburgers seventeen runs. The Indians made the same number of hits but many of them came when they did no good and the final score for the game was 17 to 8.

Faircloth pitched his last game here in the first, and, although he was a little wild, he would have had a shut-out to his credit had not all three errors made by the tribe in this game come in the one inning when the Eganties made their two runs.

Hruska, Galesburg catcher, was struck on the head by a pitched ball while at bat in the second inning. The ball struck him over the right ear and fractured a bone. The catcher was taken out of the game at once and moved to the St. Joseph hospital. His condition is said not to be serious and it is believed he will be able to get back in the game within a week.

Drohan, Egan's choice for the mound in this game, seemed to have the Indian sign on the tribe for the first five innings. After that, however, they got to him, touching him for five hits in the last three rounds.

Visitors First to Score. The visitors scored first in this game, getting both of their two runs in the third. Jack lead off the period and reached first safely on a wild throw by Hensling. Kensef attempted a sacrifice, but was safe at first when Marshall dropped the ball. Senef singled, placing Jack on third and Kensef at second. When Sweet threw to third to catch Jack off the bag, the throw went through Hensling and both Jack and Kensef scored.

The Indians scored their three runs in the sixth. Sweet lead off with a single which was followed by Hensling and Giffin being issued free transportation. Dall grounded out but Marshall smashed a long triple to right field, driving in the three runs. The first game was played in the short time of 1:15.

McIntyre Starts Second. McIntyre started the second game but was relieved by Welsh in the third. With the aid of an error by McCollough, the visitors counted one off Mac in the first, while the same combination gave them two runs in the next round.

Tommy Giffin was benched by Genins in the first inning when Tom protested against being called out at second on an attempted steal. Giffin claimed the second baseman dropped the ball. With Tommy out, it was necessary to bring McCollough in to second place from right field. Bill Whittaker was placed in right in Mack's place. Errors made by these two pitchers seemed to have a bad effect on the other members of the tribe who made a total of ten during the game.

Twelve hits were made off Welsh in the last seven innings. These, together with the errors that were made behind him, brought in fourteen runs. Wilkus, pitching for Galesburg, got by fairly well until the sixth. Five hits, three of them doubles, made off his delivery in this period, netted four runs. One more was made in the eighth and two in the ninth.

The score, first game:  
Keokuk AB. R. H. PO. A. E.  
Hensling, 3b ..... 3 1 0 3 0 2  
Giffin, 2b ..... 3 1 2 2 0 0  
Dall, cf ..... 4 0 0 0 0 0  
Marshall, 1b ..... 3 0 1 6 0 1  
McGee, ss ..... 2 0 0 4 3 0  
Wetzel, lf ..... 3 0 1 4 0 0  
McCollough, rf ..... 3 0 1 0 0 0  
Sweet, c ..... 3 1 1 8 3 0  
Faircloth, p ..... 3 0 0 0 0 6  
Totals ..... 27 3 5 27 14 3

Galesburg AB. R. H. PO. A. E.  
Sohn, lf ..... 4 0 0 0 0 0  
Jack, 2b ..... 4 1 0 4 3 0  
Kensef, ss ..... 2 1 0 0 2 0  
Senef, rf ..... 4 0 3 1 0 0  
Nowold, 1b ..... 4 0 0 11 0 0

Callahan, cf ..... 4 0 0 1 0 0  
Mulligan, 3b ..... 4 0 2 3 4 0  
Hruska, c ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0  
Link, c ..... 3 0 1 3 1 0  
Drohan, p ..... 2 0 0 0 1 0  
xWilkins ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals ..... 32 2 6 24 11 0  
xBatted for Drohan in the ninth.  
Score by innings:  
Keokuk ..... 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 x-3  
Galesburg ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0-2

Summary.  
Two base hits—Mulligan, Link.  
Three base hits—Marshall.  
Sacrifice hits—Kensef.  
Stolen bases—Sohn.  
Struck out—by Faircloth 6; by Drohan 3.  
Bases on balls—off Faircloth 3; off Drohan 3.  
Hit by pitched ball—by Faircloth, Hruska.  
Double plays—Mulligan-Nowold.  
Time of game—1:15.  
Umpire—Genins.

Second Game.  
Keokuk AB. R. H. PO. A. E.  
Hensling, 3b ..... 6 1 3 0 1 1  
Giffin, 2b ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0  
Whittaker, rf ..... 4 0 2 2 1 0  
Dall, cf ..... 5 0 1 0 0 0  
McGee, ss ..... 4 1 3 3 2 2  
Marshall, 1b ..... 5 2 2 11 0 0  
Wetzel, lf ..... 4 2 1 3 0 1  
McCollough, rf, 2b ..... 5 0 1 2 0 3  
Sweet, c ..... 5 1 1 6 1 1  
McIntyre, p ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0  
Welsh, p ..... 5 1 1 0 2 0  
Totals ..... 43 8 15 27 9 10

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Jack, 2b ..... 4 2 2 3 1 0  
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Senef, rf ..... 5 1 2 2 0 0  
Nowold, 1b ..... 6 1 2 0 4 0  
Callahan, cf ..... 4 1 0 4 0 0  
Mulligan, 3b ..... 5 1 2 1 2 0  
Link, c ..... 5 2 0 8 1 0  
Wilkins, p ..... 5 2 3 0 1 0  
Totals ..... 47 17 15 27 8 5

Score by innings:  
Keokuk ..... 0 0 1 0 0 4 1 2-3  
Galesburg ..... 1 2 3 5 1 0 0 5-17  
Two base hits—Hensling, McCollough, Wetzel, Sweet, Sohn, Wilkins, 2.  
Three base hits—Marshall.  
Sacrifice hits—Senef.  
Sacrifice flies—Callahan.  
Stolen bases—Hensling, Nowold.  
Hits—off McIntyre, 3 in two innings.  
Struck out—by Welsh, 4, by Wilkins, 6.  
Bases on balls—off McIntyre 1, off Wilkins 3.  
Time of game—1:40.  
Umpire—Genins.

RED SOX TWIRLER DROPS LONG BATTLE  
Baichley and Zackert Fight Thirteen Rounds—Former Whiffs Fourteen, Latter Thirteen.

BURLINGTON, Iowa, July 27.—The Pathfinders lost an eleven inning pitchers' duel to Muscatine, 2 to 1. Baichley got fourteen strikeouts, while Zackert whiffed thirteen. The score:  
Burlington . . . 000 019 000 00—1 4 3  
Muscatine . . . 000 000 001 01—2 10 2  
Batteries: Baichley, McGlade and Rolleg; Zackert and Brennan.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, July 27.—Marshalltown protested yesterday's game because Gude was called out for taking third when Richards, who had been forced at second, ran the bases and drew a throw to the plate. The score:  
Marshalltown . . . 000 010 211—5 8 4  
Cedar Rapids . . . 003 120 02x—8 12 6  
Batteries: Harter and Andreen; Mellinger, Brown and Lingie.

CLINTON, Iowa, July 27.—Clinton bunched hits with errors and won the first game this season from Waterloo, 6 to 5. The Jays' rally in the ninth fell short. The score:  
Clinton ..... 300 200 01x—6 9 1  
Waterloo ..... 010 000 103—5 10 3  
Batteries: Mitchell and Rains; Blenner, Hollenbeck and Asklund.

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

FEDERAL LEAGUE.  
Standing of the Clubs. Games  
Club. W. L. Pct. behind  
Chicago ..... 51 37 .580  
Baltimore ..... 47 38 .553 2 1/2  
Brooklyn ..... 44 37 .543 3 1/2  
Indianapolis ..... 45 40 .529 4 1/2  
Buffalo ..... 41 42 .494 7 1/2  
Kansas City ..... 41 49 .456 11  
Pittsburgh ..... 36 47 .434 12 1/2  
St. Louis ..... 37 52 .416 14 1/2

Yesterday's Results.  
Kansas City, 9-12; Indianapolis, 5-11-2 (called at the end of the eighth inning to allow teams to catch a train). Batteries—Packard, Stone and Easterly; Mullin, Mosely and Tetter.  
Open date for other clubs.

Where They Play.  
St. Louis at Brooklyn.  
Kansas City at Pittsburgh.  
Indianapolis at Baltimore.  
Chicago at Buffalo.

Western Amateur Golf.  
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 27.—The western amateur golf championship tournament opened on the Kent Country club course here today with an eliminating round of 18 holes. The lowest 64 scores will qualify to continue on the following day when 18 holes more will be played. The lowest thirty-two score in this event will qualify for the first match which will be played the same afternoon. The second and third matches, the semifinals and finals will be played at 36 holes on succeeding days. The winners will receive a gold medal and his club will be awarded possession of the George B. Thorne trophy for one year.

## Base Ball Results

### CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

Standing of the Clubs.  
Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct.  
Waterloo ..... 51 34 .600  
Muscatine ..... 46 32 .590  
Burlington ..... 48 38 .558  
Cedar Rapids ..... 41 39 .513  
Clinton ..... 39 41 .488  
Keokuk ..... 39 46 .459  
Marshalltown ..... 33 48 .407  
Galesburg ..... 31 50 .383

Results Yesterday.  
Keokuk, 3; Galesburg, 2; (first game).  
Keokuk, 8; Galesburg, 17; (second game).  
Burlington, 1; Muscatine, 2.  
Marshalltown, 5; Cedar Rapids, 8.  
Clinton, 6; Waterloo, 5.

Games Today.  
Galesburg at Keokuk.  
Muscatine at Burlington.  
Waterloo at Clinton.  
Marshalltown at Cedar Rapids.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs. Games  
Club. W. L. Pct. behind  
New York ..... 51 32 .614  
Chicago ..... 51 37 .580 2 1/2  
St. Louis ..... 49 41 .544 5 1/2  
Boston ..... 40 45 .470 12  
Cincinnati ..... 40 48 .455 13 1/2  
Philadelphia ..... 38 46 .452 13 1/2  
Pittsburgh ..... 37 47 .440 14 1/2  
Brooklyn ..... 36 46 .439 14 1/2

Yesterday's Results.  
No games scheduled, all teams in the east.

Where They Play.  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.  
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.  
Pittsburgh at New York.  
Chicago at Boston.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Clubs. Games  
Club. W. L. Pct. behind  
Philadelphia ..... 55 32 .632  
Boston ..... 50 40 .556 6 1/2  
Washington ..... 47 41 .534 8 1/2  
Detroit ..... 47 44 .516 10  
St. Louis ..... 45 43 .511 10 1/2  
Chicago ..... 45 44 .511 10 1/2  
New York ..... 36 51 .414 19  
Cleveland ..... 29 60 .328 27

Yesterday's Results.  
Washington, 2-8; St. Louis, 0-1-2.  
Batteries—Ensel, Ayers and Henry; Wellman and Agnew. Second game—St. Louis, 4-7; Washington, 1-4-0.  
Batteries—James and Agnew; Johnson, Bentley and Almsmith and A. Williams.  
New York, 1-5-0; Chicago, 0-4-0. Batteries—Cole and Sweeney; Walsh and Schalk. Second game—Chicago, 7-11-1; New York, 3-9-3. Batteries—Faber, Cicotte and Schaik; Brown, McHale, Pleh, Fisher and Nusamaker.  
Philadelphia, 8-14-2; Detroit, 6-7-4. Batteries—Shawkey, J. Bush and Schang; Covalleskie, Daus and Stange and McKee.  
Boston, 4-8-2; Cleveland, 1-9-0. Batteries—Shore and Cady; Morton and O'Neill.

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

### TENNIS TEAMS ARE GETTING READY

German and Australasian Teams Practice at Pittsburgh—Match May Have to be Postponed.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 27.—Both the German and the Australasian tennis teams in competition for the Davis cup, were on the courts of the Allegheny Country club today, practicing for their contests on Thursday, Friday, Saturday next. There was a possibility that matches would have to be postponed because of the Austria-Serbian situation. Lieutenant Otto Froitzheim, one of the German team, holds a commission in the Kaiser's army. He was given four weeks leave of absence to play tennis but has already cabled his superiors advising them that he is ready to return at once if needed as a result of the complications affecting Germany.

### Tennis at Lake Forest.

LAKE FOREST, Ill., July 27.—Play in the mens doubles of the Western tennis championship was slated to begin this afternoon on the Onwentsia club courts.

### INDIANS TO PLAY AT CENTERVILLE

The Indians go to Centerville, Iowa, Tuesday for an exhibition game. The double-header yesterday was scheduled to give Egan an off day Tuesday to prepare for the opening game at Galesburg. When the manager of the Centerville team learned the tribe would have an off day Tuesday he immediately wired for the date.  
The Centerville team is a semi-pro organization, about half of the players receiving regular salaries. The team has won thirteen straight games from other semi-pro clubs in various parts of the state and is considered one of the best in the middle west. They should be able to give the tribe a hard fight.

### PLAY FOR WESTERN AMATEUR GOLF TITLE

Field of 220 Lead off Today at Kent Country Club Links—Sky Cloudy and Rain Threatens.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 27.—The first gun in the battle for the western amateur golf title was fired at 7:45 o'clock this morning on the Kent Country club golf links when Perry Adair of the Atlanta Country club, and J. W. Hubble of Des Moines Country club, teed off. They were followed at four minute intervals by the remainder of the field, numbering 220. The day will be spent in qualification in 18 holes of medal play to continue Tuesday morning. All scores greater than lowest shall apply for treasurers, directors and committees' cups, sixteen to qualify for each cup.  
In contrast to the ideal day of Saturday, when the Olympic trophy was won by the Chicago district golf association quartet over ten rival fours, representing as many golf associa-

## Sporting Views

By the Editor

With Faircloth gone, the local club, including Manager Harry Sweet, is composed of but eleven men—four under the limit of the league. The need for more men is pressing, but it probably will be several days before any more men are obtained. Jones, a pitcher from Kansas, who was with Topeka this year, very likely will take the place of Faircloth and is expected soon. A search for a good second baseman is being made, it being Sweet's intention to shift Giffin back to first base and play Marshall in right field.

Reports to the effect that Whitey Hensling has been "laying down" are now going the rounds among local fans. While the great majority of fans here would never believe any such report, there are some who accept it as true. The reason for these reports is that Hensling has not been hitting like he did several weeks ago and that he has dropped several thrown balls at third when the error proved costly. It is only fair to Hensling to say that there is the best reason in the world for his batting slump and for his errors. In the last series at home before the present one, Hensling, while at bat in one of the games, was struck on the right hand by a pitched ball. The blow came with terrific force and had the blow hit the back of his hand instead of the side it would no doubt have broken several bones. As it was his hand is still so badly bruised that it hurts him to use it and it is impossible for him to grip his bat. Whitey's style of batting is to choke his bat, grip it tightly, and chop at the balls. With his hand injured, it is impossible for him to grip the bat, so he holds it loosely and swings at the balls. In swinging at them, he occasionally strikes at a bad one, something he hardly ever does under ordinary circumstances. The bad hand also affects his play at third, although, as everybody knows, Whitey has always made many errors. Hensling's hand is getting better now and he hopes to get back to his old style of hitting soon.

Genins received a vicious panning from the fans in both games yesterday. He certainly made up for it, though, when he sent Tommy Giffin to the bench in the first round of the second game. To the fact that he canned Giffin easily, can be attributed the loss of the game. The errors made by Whittaker in right field and by McCollough at second were the most costly of any. With the boys getting to Wilkus the way they did, toward the end of the game, it would have been an easy win with Giffin at his regular position.

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## TO GIVE TRINKETS FOR MELTING POT

Local Suffrage Workers Are Heading Call Which Was Sent Out From Headquarters to Help, Recently.

## TO CONVERT INTO FUNDS

Money Will Aid Sweatshop and Slum Girls in Their Fight for Life and Honor.

Some of the old silver cups and gold bracelets and rings which the suffrage workers of Keokuk were keeping for prospective grandchildren are going to be put into the melting pot. A call has been sent out from the national headquarters for this sacrifice. Every state in the union is to have a melting pot and the suffragists of the state will send or take their trinkets to it.

The plan is to convert these silver cups and gold and silver jewelry into bullion, and to expend this in the seven states voting on suffrage this fall. The thought is, also, that it may help girls in industry from the greed of employers, exploiters and the like breed of vermin which they have to fight in the sweatshops and slums.

The official call which has been sent out follows:  
"Women of America, generations ago a country stood in need. Her treasure chests were empty. It was a time of stress and peril. In her hour of extremity the women of the land were called upon to give their ornaments of gold.

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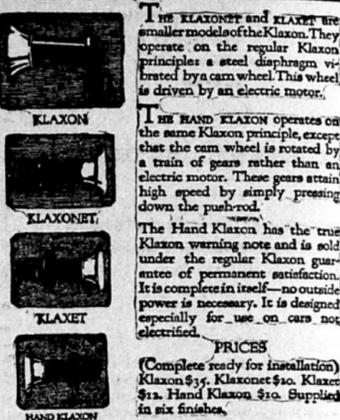
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## "The Public Safety Signal"

tions, the sky is heavily clouded and rain threatens to fall before evening.

## THIRD BIG LEAGUE SUGGESTED AGAIN

Visit of Johnson and Barrows to Cleveland Gives Rise to Rumors of Third League.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 27.—Despite denials to the contrary, local baseball authorities today put down the Sunday visit here of Ban Johnson and Ed G. Barrows, respective heads of American and International leagues as a move in furtherance of a third major league to fight the Federals.

The magnates conferred with President Somers of the Naps. Somers agreed to do his part, it was reported today. An eight club circuit will form the third major league, according to current rumors. Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Washington, Indianapolis, Buffalo, Columbus, Rochester, Louisville, Detroit, Toronto and Cleveland are being considered as third league cities, according to the same report.

## GOVERNMENT TO OWN BASEBALL LEAGUES

Professor of Missouri University Says It's Coming—Precedent Found in the History of Rome.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] COLUMBIA, Mo., July 27.—Here's a plank for some party's platform—Government ownership of baseball leagues and the privilege of seeing Ty Cobb at cost.

Prof. Jesse Wrench, history instructor at the University of Missouri says it's coming and the crafty politicians should get next. The professor has been reading Roman history and learns that when the Blues and Greens, rival chariot racing gangs, got into a squabble the government stepped in and took control. History repeats itself, etc.

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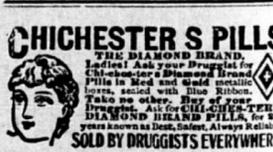
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