

SPORTING NEWS

BASEBALL FANS MEET TONIGHT

Club in Critical Financial Condition at the Present Time and Needs Support of Fans.

HAVE VALUABLE CLUB Many of Indian Players Should be Sold or Drafted—Too Valuable to Lose at This Time.

Baseball in Keokuk will reach another crisis at the meeting of fans to be held at 7:30 this evening in the superior court room.

But bad weather and other circumstances have kept the club in poor financial condition since the very start of the season.

The problem now is to arouse the fans as to the condition of the club and make them aware of the danger of losing the franchise.

Everything depends upon the success of the meeting tonight. Just what action will be taken cannot be told now.

With the team Boyle has at the present time it would be most regrettable if it were necessary for Keokuk to withdraw from the league.

While it is not probable that all of these men will be sold or drafted this year, the ones who are not sold this year will form a most valuable nucleus for the team next season.

EGAN SWAPS ROSS FOR ROJAS OF JAYS

Musky Twirler to Play with Waterloo While the Former Eganite Returns.

MUSCATINE, Ia., July 13.—Manager Ned Egan of the Muskies yesterday surprised the local baseball populace by trading Pitcher John Ross for Rojas, the young right hander with the Bluejays.

Although Ross has won the majority of his games this year, the trade is one which is expected to benefit the Muskies, as Rojas, who was with Egan at Galesburg last year, and who is considered a very promising youngster, is capable of holding his own against the best clubs in the league if given proper support.

McLean Loses Job

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] MEDIA, Pa., July 13.—Larry McLean, under suspension from the New York Giants is again without an occupation today.

Where, Oh Where, is Hazel?

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, July 13.—Carl Meyer, farmer, Dallas, Texas, today is looking for "Hazel," a beautiful blond, to whom he proposed in a taxi cab.

MAJOR LEAGUE RESULTS

Table with columns: Club, National League, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists results for Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Brooklyn, Pittsburgh, New York, Cincinnati, Boston.

Table with columns: Club, Federal League, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists results for St. Louis, Kansas City, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Newark, Brooklyn, Buffalo, Baltimore.

Table with columns: Club, American League, Won, Lost, Pct. Lists results for Chicago, Boston, Detroit, New York, Washington, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Cleveland.

Table with columns: Club, Monday's Results, National League, American League.

Table with columns: Club, Today's Schedule, Federal League, American League.

Table with columns: Club, Yesterday's Results, National League, American League.

Table with columns: Club, Where They Play Today, National League, American League.

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Central Association Standing of the Clubs—Yesterday's Results—Today's Games.

Table with columns: Club, P, W, L, Pct. Lists results for Muscatine, Burlington, KEOKUK, Clinton, Mason City, Cedar Rapids, Waterloo, Marshalltown.

SCRAPS BY BARRY FARIS

NEW YORK, July 13.—Jack Dillon, of Indianapolis, gave Johnny Howard of Bayonne, N. J., a bad beating in their ten round bout at the Far Rockaway club last night.

OSHKOSH, Wis., July 13.—Jimmy Clabby was easily the winner of last night's ten round affair with Frank Farmer, but the victory added mighty little to the Hammond scrapper's credit.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Young Weinert, who recently defeated Gunboat Smith, was matched today with Jim Savage, the veteran heavyweight, for ten rounds at Madison Square Garden, July 23.

BOSTON, Mass., July 13.—Charley White, of Chicago, and Milburn Saylor, of Indianapolis, will box twelve rounds before the Atlas A. A. here tonight.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 13.—Knockout Joe O'Donnell, of Gloucester,

HARRY THAW WILL KNOW TOMORROW

Jury Expected to Have His Case This Evening and Make Quick Report.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, July 13.—Harry K. Thaw entered today on what he and his attorneys considered the last day of his nine year fight for freedom.

By night, they said, the matter of Thaw's sanity will be in the hands of the jury from which they expect nothing but a recommendation that the slayer be liberated as a sane man.

Thaw's counsel were jubilant when court opened today. They had feared more than anything else it was admitted, the testimony of Dr. Austin Flint, the state's veteran alienist, who has figured so prominently in all the prosecutions of Thaw.

Thaw himself, was elated. He laughingly admitted he had spent a part of the night going over maps and automobile advertisements in anticipation of his motor trip to California when freed.

Conduct on the Beach. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] CHICAGO, July 13.—Coney Island beaches may be uninteresting this year, but Chicago's north shore decidedly is not.

A stroll along north shore beaches Sunday and yesterday when the first real warm days filtered over Chicago, revealed some startling costumes.

The predominant style was an affair that was skin tight and of one piece until it reached below the hips where a filmy, clinging skirt flared out.

City fathers this year, beach censors admitted today, laid more stress on the conduct of bathers rather than on the suits.

Don't lie on the back on the sand. Don't lie with your head in your girl's lap. Don't recline on the beach unless supported by one elbow.

GUNS MADE TO BILK N. Y., SAYS MAXIM



Hudson Maxim, inventor and American authority in the realm of high explosives, in a statement today declared that some of the shells made and some of the shells cast which shall compel New York city to save itself from destruction.

"Cleveland Moffett has done a big, patriotic duty in writing the admirable serial just now appearing in McClure's, 'The Conquest of America.' What he has done is to tell a story of what has actually happened.

"Some of the guns have been made, some of the shells have been cast, and certain it is that many more are in the making, and in the casting, which shall command and compel New York city to save itself from destruction by paying the biggest gold indemnity that was ever imposed upon a community.

"The greatest welfare workers in this country are those men and women, like the members of the Navy League, the Army League, the National Security League and the American Legion, and those who are writing articles and books upon the subject of our defenseless condition.

"Every soldier who goes to war is confident he never yet been cast. We are all endowed with the gambler's hope and the gambler's faith in chance. If it were not for this we should all be cowed indeed.

wives at the Hippodrome; the members of the bands and patrols and their wives at the armory and the rank and file of the order on the new Bell street dock.

MASON CITY TAKES THREE FROM JAYS

Cedar Rapids Bunnies Take Another Game From Marshalltown—Blunk Trims Pilots.

WATERLOO, Iowa, July 13.—Mason City made it three straight from the locals by driving Baker, a recruit, out of the box in the first inning.

CLINTON, Iowa, July 13.—Blunk won a pitchers' battle from Drohan, both pitchers being effective.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 13.—In a gorgeous array of barbaric splendor, with more than 100 highly trained bands and well drilled patrols participating, all garbed in uniforms of brilliant oriental design, the imperial potentate of the Shrine order today was escorted through the streets of Seattle to the Moore theatre to open the forty-first annual session of the organization.

The council was officially opened by Potentate Swallow of Nile temple, Seattle. Addresses bidding the nobles warm welcome to the state and city were made by Governor Lister, Mayor Hiram C. Gill, Chairman J. E. Chilberg and Judge Thomas Burke, and were responded to in fitting manner by the imperial potentate, Dr. Frederick R. Smith.

The day will close with three marionette balls, all taking place at the same time on different floors. The imperial council delegates and their

conduct on the beach. They had feared more than anything else it was admitted, the testimony of Dr. Austin Flint, the state's veteran alienist, who has figured so prominently in all the prosecutions of Thaw.

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To St. Paul and Return—\$27.75 to \$36.00 (including meals and berth—no extras to pay for). A splendid trip of hundreds of miles on the water, including the ride on Lake Cooper above Keokuk, and the interesting trip through the great Keokuk lock. To St. Louis and Return—\$8.00 to \$12.00. All tickets may be used any time within the season.

Watch the Geysers Play at Yellowstone Park. That is just one of the wonders of nature's vacation spot. See Yellowstone this summer—remember it all your life. Interesting literature free. Write, call or phone now! Summer excursion tickets on sale daily to September 30th, inclusive.

Burlington Route. C. F. CONRADT, City Ticket Agent, Fifth and Johnson sts. Phone 976.

FRATERNAL CARDS

MASONIC. Third floor Masonic Temple, Seventh and Blondeau. Eagle lodge No. 12, holds its regular meeting the first Tuesday evening of each month. Gate City Chapter No. 7, R. A. M., regular meeting second Friday of each month.