THE FEDERAL CRUDE OIL CO.

This Beaumont Fuel Oil underlying Spindletop Heights gushes from the earth in quantities almost surpassing belief.

The 14 acres of gusher ground owned in fee simple by the FEDERAL CRUDE OIL COMPANY are on Spindletop, 1,420 feet from these enormous oil producers.

One pound of coal evaporates 10.14 pounds of water.

One pound of Beaumont fuel oil evaporates 17.31 pounds of water.

Who will buy this fuel oil? It cuts the price of fuel in two. What consumer will refuse it?

This field is at tide water, and has the cheapest transportation facilities of any oil field on earth. The market for this oil is as certain as the market for coal. The most expensive oil acreage in the world to-day is located at Beaumont, in the tract of which the Lucas and Higgins gushers and the land of the FEDERAL CRUDE OIL COMPANY is the center. $75,000 per acre was paid a few days ago. It now costs $100,000 per acre. East and south of the FEDERAL it has sold for from $40,000 to $65,000 per acre. These are not fictitious values. Capital has awakened to the enormous earning capacity of these gushers. The output of the Higgins is valued at $25,000 per day, that of the Lucas $35,000 per day. The fake promoter cannot operate in this territory. Land costs too much. FEDERAL is but 1,420 feet from the Higgins, 1,885 feet from the Lucas. FEDERAL is good for at least fourteen wells—one per acre—in fact, the oil body is so large that four wells per acre could be easily sustained. From this an idea can be formed of the immense earning possibilities of FEDERAL. This is why FEDERAL stock is a good, safe investment for the conservative investor. It has tangible value behind it. Since the FEDERAL COMPANY was organized, with a capital of $450,000, the value of the land has advanced far beyond the capitalization.

Many companies have been floated on outside acreage, where oil MAY be found some time; but FEDERAL is located on Spindletop, where oil has ALREADY BEEN FOUND in quantities that have amazed the world. Which is the better place to invest?

THERE IS NO STOCK ON THE MARKET SO NEAR THE GUSHERS, WITH SO MUCH GUSHER GROUND, THAT CAN BE BOUGHT AT SUCH A LOW FIGURE AS FEDERAL. The subscription price is 30c net, but the company reserves the right to advance this without notice, owing to the constant advance in the value of the property.

The market for cheaper fuel exists. It always has. Fuel Oil has now been discovered. The only problem remaining is to connect the two. Transportation. What will the Standard Oil Company do? Nothing serious. This is fuel oil, and does not come in competition with Standard Oil. Besides, this oil is in Texas, and the Standard Oil Company cannot trifle with Texas.

The location of FEDERAL is in itself a guarantee of success, so near as it possibly can be without a flowing well. When it gets its flowing wells its stock, that is now offered at 30c, will be from $2.00 to $3.00 a share.

Already Beaumont oil has made several millionaires, others have become rich, and hundreds have been raised from a life of toil to one of comfort and ease. If this has been done already, what will be the result when the product reaches the market?

If you cannot afford to buy a gusher or land at $100,000 per acre, buy the stock of the FEDERAL CRUDE OIL COMPANY. That's the next thing to it, and participate in this enormous natural wealth. Be a producer. The closer you get to the gushers the surer you are to produce. SO FAR SPINDLETOP HAS NOT PRODUCED A DRY WELL. Wells immediately adjoining FEDERAL were only recently started, and have not had time to reach the oil.

FEDERAL has two derricks up, and the boring machinery was shipped from Chicago May 6. In 70 days the oil body should be reached.

Capital, $450,000. Par value, 30c, full paid and nonassessable. Treasury fund for development purposes, cash $50,000. Stock, 150,000 shares.

The company is officered by well-known and successful business men, which insures economical and intelligent management.

President, D. A. DUNCAN, Cashier and Director Beaumont National Bank.

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REDS WIN AGAIN FROM ST. LOUIS.

Pitcher Hahn's Splendid Work Secured the Third Game for Cincinnati.

HEIDRICK OUTDID HIMSELF.

Breitenstein Relieved by Sudhoff After First Inning—Corcoran's Brilliant Work in the Field.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

National League. Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.	American League. Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	9	5	.643	Detroit	11	4	.714
Pittsburg	9	5	.641	Chicago	10	4	.714
Boston	7	5	.583	Baltimore	7	4	.636
New York	6	5	.545	Boston	7	5	.583
Brooklyn	7	7	.500	Washington	5	6	.455
St. Louis	7	8	.467	Philadelphia	4	8	.333
Philadelphia	6	9	.400	Cleveland	4	10	.286
Chicago	3	12	.294	Milwaukee	4	10	.286

Yesterday's Games.

National League.	American League.
Cin. 9, St. L. 3.	Chi. 4, Cleve. 2.
Bos. 5, Brook 2.	Bos. 8, Phil. 2.
Pitts. 8, Chi. 1.	Mil. 7, Detroit 6.
N. Y.-Phil. game postponed on account of rain.	Balt.-Wash. game postponed on account of wet grounds.

To-Day's Schedule.

National League.	American League.
St. L. at Chicago.	Wash. at Baltimore.
Phil. at Boston.	Phil. at Boston.
Brook. at N. Y.	Chi. at Cleveland.
Cin. at Pittsburg.	Detroit at Milwaukee.

Rain at New York.

New York, May 9.—The Philadelphia-New York game was postponed on account of rain.

Western Association.

At Toledo—Toledo-Dayton postponed—rain.
At Indianapolis—Indianapolis-Marion postponed—wet grounds.
At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids 4, Columbus 3.
At Fort Wayne—Fort Wayne 1, Louisville 6.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Cincinnati, O., May 9.—Theodore Breitenstein was relieved by Sudhoff after the first inning to-day, when the Reds had scored six runs, enough to win the game.

It was really a featureless game. Corcoran was the only man to distinguish himself by brilliant work in the field.

Hahn, as usual, pitched a splendid game of ball. In only one inning did the visitors score, and that was in the seventh, when "Noodle's" seemed to have lost temporary control of the ball.

Sudhoff was hit very hard in every inning that he pitched, yet he was lucky enough to allow but three runs to score. He had men on the bases in every one of them, but just when an apparent hit was leaving the bat it was found to be right into some waiting fielder's mitt, and so it was that Sudhoff was saved the humiliation of receiving a severe pounding.

The Reds scored in but two innings, the first and second. "Breit." started by giving McBride a pass. Harley bunted and beat it out. Beckley, in trying to bunt, hit a little fly to Breitenstein and a double play resulted. Crawford hit safely into left and Harley went to third. A wild pitch scored him. Steinfeldt and Irwin walked and Corcoran drove in a brace of runs with a clean single. Wallace should have retired the side on Peitz's grounder, but he fumbled it. Hahn walked and McBride hit safely and six runs were over the pan before Harley was retired.

Sudhoff was hit hard in the second. Beckley opened with a double over Heidrick's head and Crawford hit safely, scoring Beckley. Steinfeldt sacrificed, but Irwin forced Crawford at the plate with a grounder to Wallace. Corcoran hit for two bases, bringing Irwin home and scored himself when Peitz hit for three bases to deep center.

It looked like St. Louis would score in the third when Schriver opened with a hit to the new grand stand, after which Dick Harley limped. An ordinary runner would have been around the circuit twice if necessary, but Bill was lucky to reach third. Sudhoff flied out to Peitz and Burkett's tap to Hahn resulted in Schriver's being caught off third. Burkett was forced by Heidrick and no runs resulted.

Dobbs, who took Harley's place, made a double in the Reds' half, but runs did not come of it.

In the seventh St. Louis scored. After McGann had fanned, Wallace hit for a base. Childs walked and Dobbs muffed Kruger's long fly after a hard chase. Kruger, however, was caught between bases and run down by Crawford's good throw, while Wallace scored. Schriver followed with a single. Sudhoff walked, filling the bases. Burkett scored a pair with a clean rap, but Nichols, who took Heidrick's place because the latter sprung a charley-horse, flied to Crawford.

With two out in the ninth, Burkett and Nichols, singled, but Manager Donovan fanned the air and ended the contest.

CINCINNATI.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McBride, l. f.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Harley, l. f.	1	1	1	0	0	0
Dobbs, c. f.	3	0	2	0	0	1
Beckley, 1b.	5	1	2	9	2	0
Crawford, r. f.	5	1	2	3	1	1
Steinfeldt, 3b.	3	1	1	3	2	0
Irwin, 3b.	4	2	0	1	1	0
Corcoran, s.	4	2	3	3	5	0
Peitz, c.	4	1	2	3	0	0
Bergen, c.	1	0	0	3	1	0
Hahn, p.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	34	9	14	27	15	2

ST. LOUIS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Burkett, l. f.	5	0	2	1	0	1
Heidrick, c. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Nichols, c. f.	2	0	1	2	0	0
Donovan, r. f.	5	0	0	5	0	0
McGann, 1b.	4	0	0	6	0	0
Wallace, s.	4	1	1	1	4	1
Childs, 3b.	2	1	2	3	0	-
Kruger, 3b.	4	0	1	0	1	0
Schriver, c.	4	1	3	5	2	0
Breitenstein, p.	0	0	0	1	2	0
Sudhoff, p.	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	35	3	9	34	12	3

Cincinnati 6 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—9
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2

Earned runs—Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 2. Two-base hits—Dobbs 1, Corcoran 1. Three-base hits—Peitz 1, Schreiver 1. Stolen bases—Corcoran 1. Double plays—Breitenstein and Wallace 1; Hann, Corcoran and Beckley 1. First base on balls—Off Hahn 3; off Breitenstein 4; off Sudhoff 1. Hit by pitcher—Sudhoff 1. Struck out—By Hahn 6, by Sudhoff 4. Wild pitches—Breitenstein 1. Time of game—One hour and forty minutes. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance, 1,800.

BOSTON 5, BROOKLYN 2.

Pittinger Allowed Champions Only Seven Hits and Struck Out Seven.

Boston, Mass., May 9.—Pittinger pitched a beautiful game for Boston to-day, striking out seven men, and allowing only one base on balls. A difficult running catch by Crollus in the ninth was a feature. Attendance, 2,000. Score:

Boston.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Ham'ton, cf.	3	3	3	0	0	Keeler, rf.	4	1	2	0	0
Tenny, 1b.	3	1	9	0	0	Sheckard, lf.	4	2	1	1	0
Demont, 3b.	4	1	2	3	0	M'Creery, cf.	4	0	0	0	0
Long, s.	4	0	1	2	0	Farrell, 1b.	4	2	10	1	0
Crollus, rf.	3	2	2	0	0	Daly, 3b.	4	1	1	2	0
Gam'ons, lf.	1	1	1	0	0	Dahlen, s.	4	0	5	2	0
Lowe, 2b.	3	0	3	4	0	Gatins, 3b.	4	1	1	1	2
Kittredge, c.	4	0	6	2	1	McGuire, c.	2	0	2	0	0
Pittinger, p.	3	0	0	1	0	McCann, p.	3	0	0	5	0
Totals	27	8	27	12	1	Totals	33	7	24	12	2

Boston 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—5
Brooklyn 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—2

Earned runs—Boston 3, Brooklyn 1. Two-base hits—Crollus 1. Home run—Farrell 1. Stolen bases—Hamilton 2, Lowe 1. Base on balls—Off Pittinger 1, off McCann 3. Hit by pitcher—Crollus 1. Struck out—By Pittinger 7, by McCann 1. Time—One hour and forty minutes. Umpire—Nash.

PITTSBURG 8, CHICAGO 1.

Pirates Made It Four Straight at the Windy City.

Chicago, Ill., May 9.—Errors by Chicago's infield at critical stages, two bases on balls and a few well-played hits gave Pittsburg an easy game to-day, the fourth straight. Beaumont mauled McCormick's high fly in the ninth, King following the misplay with a long two-bagger, scoring Chicago's only run. Attendance, 400. Score:

Chicago.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Pittsburg.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Hartsell, lf.	4	1	4	0	0	Leach, 3b.	4	1	1	3	0
Dolan, rf.	4	1	2	0	0	Hitchey, 3b.	4	1	4	1	0
Dexter, cf.	4	2	4	0	0	Beaumont, cf.	5	2	4	0	1
Doyle, 1b.	4	0	12	1	0	Wagner, rf.	3	1	0	0	0
Childs, 2b.	4	1	2	2	1	Bransfield, 1b.	5	1	12	1	0
Raymer, 2b.	4	0	1	2	1	Tannehill, lf.	4	2	1	0	0
M'Cormick, s.	4	2	0	3	2	Ely, s.	5	2	1	4	1
Kling, c.	4	1	2	4	0	Zimmer, c.	3	1	4	1	0
Menefee, p.	4	1	1	1	0	Phillipi, p.	5	0	0	6	0
Totals	36	9	27	11	4	Totals	39	12	27	16	2

Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1
Pittsburg 0 0 0 1 5 0 0 0 2—8

Left on bases—Chicago 5, Pittsburg 10. Two-base hits—Zimmer 1, Kling 1. Sacrifice hits—Ritchey 1. Stolen bases—Hartsell 1, Beaumont 1, Wagner 1, Doyle 1, Ely 1. Double plays—Ritchey and Bransfield 1. Struck out—By Menefee 1, by Philippi 4. Bases on balls—Off Menefee 4. Wild pitches—Menefee 1. Hit by pitcher—Wagner 1. Time of game—One hour and thirty minutes. Umpire—Dwyer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Milwaukee 7, Detroit 6.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 9.—Owen pitched a good game until a ball from Friel's bat struck his hand in the eighth inning, and after that the home team batted him hard, winning out in the ninth inning with but one man out. Score:

Milwaukee.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Detroit.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Waldron, rf.	5	3	1	1	0	Casey, 3b.	4	1	1	4	3
Gilbert, 2b.	4	1	3	2	0	Barrett, cf.	5	3	1	1	0
Hallman, lf.	4	1	3	0	0	Gleason, 2b.	4	1	5	0	0
Anderson, 1b.	5	0	11	2	0	Holmes, lf.	4	1	1	0	0
Conroy, s.	5	1	3	4	1	Dillon, 1b.	4	0	10	3	0
Duffy, cf.	5	3	1	0	0	Elberfeldt, s.	4	3	1	6	0
Burke, 3b.	3	1	1	4	0	Nance, lf.	4	2	2	0	0
Leahy, c.	5	2	3	3	0	Buelow, c.	4	2	2	0	0
Reidy, p.	2	0	1	3	0	Owen, p.	3	1	3	4	0
*Friel	1	1	0	0	0						
Hustings, p.	1	1	0	0	0						
Totals	40	14	27	19	1	Totals	36	14	26	18	3

*Batted for Reidy in the eighth inning.
†Winning run scored with one out.

Milwaukee 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 1 3—7
Detroit 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0—6

Earned runs—Milwaukee 7, Detroit 4. Number hits made off each pitcher—Off Reidy 13, off Hustings 10. Two-base hits—Nance 1, Elberfeldt 1, Owen 1, Leahy 1, Conroy 1. Three-base hits—Nance 1. Stolen bases—Glibert 1, Duffy 1. Base on balls—Off Owen 4. Passed balls—Leahy 1. Wild pitch—Owen 1. Struck out—By Reidy 1, by Owen 2. Double plays—Conroy, Gilbert and Anderson 1, Leahy and Conroy 1. Sacrifice hits—Casey 1, Owen 1, Gleason 1, Burke 1. Left on bases—Milwaukee 12, Detroit 6. Innings pitched—Reidy 8, Hustings 1. Umpire—Connelly. Time—One hour and forty-five minutes. Attendance, 1,000.

Chicago 4, Cleveland 2.

Cleveland, O., May 9.—Earl Moore, Cleveland's new pitcher, held the Chicagos for nine innings without a hit and gave only one base on balls. In the meantime both teams had scored two runs—Cleveland on hits and Chicago on an error by Moore. In the tenth two singles gave Chicago the game. Score:

Cleveland.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Chicago.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Picker'g, rf.	4	2	2	0	0	Hoy, cf.	3	0	5	0	0
McCarthy, lf.	3	0	2	0	0	Jones, rf.	4	0	3	0	0
Genins, cf.	4	1	4	0	0	Merten, 2b.	3	1	2	2	0
Lachance, 1b.	4	1	15	1	0	Isbell, 1b.	4	0	11	0	0
Bradley, 2b.	4	0	1	1	0	Hartman, 2b.	4	1	1	2	0
Beck, 2b.	3	0	3	2	1	Shugart, s.	4	0	2	4	0
Shay, s.	4	0	0	6	0	McFar'd, lf.	4	0	3	0	0
Wood, c.	4	2	2	0	0	Sullivan, c.	4	0	3	0	0
Moore, p.	3	0	1	3	1	Katoll, p.	3	0	0	3	0
*Yeager	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	34	6	30	13	2	Totals	33	2	30	11	0

*Batted for Moore in tenth.

Cleveland 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Chicago 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2—4

Earned runs—Cleveland 2. Two-base hits—Pickering 1. Sacrifice hits—McCarthy 1, Mertes 1. Stolen bases—Isbell 1. First base on balls—Off Moore 1, off Katoll 1. Left on bases—Cleveland 6, Chicago 1. Time of game—Two hours. Umpires—Sheridan and Manassau. Attendance, 400.

Boston 9, Philadelphia 3.

Boston, Mass., May 9.—Boston won to-day by bunching hits with Philadelphia's errors. Captain La Joie was benched by the umpire for protesting too vigorously in the first half of the first inning. Fultz replaced him at second, Seybold went to left and Morgan Murphy covered first. Attendance, 3,500. Score:

Boston.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Philadelphia.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Dowd, lf.	5	3	1	2	0	Hayden, rf.	4	1	7	0	0
Hemp'l, rf.	4	2	1	1	0	Geier, cf.	4	1	3	0	0
Jones, cf.	5	0	3	0	0	Fultz, 2b.	4	2	0	3	0
Collins, 3b.	4	1	1	3	0	Murphy, 1b.	3	1	7	0	1
Freeman, 1b.	3	0	15	0	0	Seybold, lf.	4	1	3	0	0
Parent, s.	4	0	2	6	1	Cross, 3b.	4	2	2	1	0
Ferris, 2b.	3	0	0	3	1	Lockhead, s.	4	0	1	2	2
Criger, c.	4	1	5	1	0	Powers, c.	3	1	1	2	0
Cuppy, p.	3	1	0	3	0	Fraser, p.	4	0	0	1	0
Totals	35	8	27	19	2	Totals	35	9	24	7	3

Boston 2 0 0 0 2 0 3 2 .. —9
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0—3

Earned runs—Boston 3, Philadelphia 1. Two-base hits—Collins 1, Dowd 1, Seybold 1. Three-base hits—Dowd 1. Stolen bases—Murphy 1, Dowd 1, Freeman 2, Ferris 1. Sacrifice hits—Murphy 1. First base on balls—Off Fraser 3. Hit by pitcher—Powers 1. Struck out—By Cuppy 4. Wild pitches—Fraser 1. Time—Two hours and ten minutes. Umpire—Haskell.

Crack Amateurs Form a League.

The Commercial League, composed of six clubs, made up from the best amateur baseball talent of St. Louis, will open the season Saturday afternoon, May 11, when the clubs will play as follows: M., K. & T. vs. Bank of Commerce at the Bank's grounds in Forest Park. Wabash vs. St. L. A. A. at the A. A. A. grounds in Forest Park. Office Men's Club vs. E. C. Van Nort's at Christian Brothers College campus. They play a regular schedule of fifteen games, to be played on Saturday afternoons, and as all the clubs seem to be pretty evenly matched the games promise to be very warmly contested, and a great interest is being taken by all the amateur players. Each club in the League has many admirers, who will find a pleasure in the success of their favorites.

American Landed the Winner.

London, May 9.—At the third day's racing at Chester to-day the May Plate was won by Lord Buchan's Rose of Jeddah, ridden by J. Reiff. Five horses ran.

The Wynu, 2-year-old selling plate, was won by R. T. Hermon-Hodges's bay filly Grims Dyke, but the horse was disqualified for fouling and the race was awarded to Argia, with J. Reiff in the saddle.

Three I League.

At Evansville—Evansville 2, Rockford, 0. Stopped at end of third on account of rain.
At Terre Haute—Terre Houte 18, Rock Island 4.
At Bloomington—Bloomington 3, Davenport 14.
At Decatur—Decatur 0, Cedar Rapids 8.

Western League.

Kansas City, Mo., May 9.—St. Paul won the fourth game of the series to-day by timely hitting and errorless fielding. Kansas City was unsteady at critical stages. Attendance, 750. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Kansas City	3	0	6
St. Paul	7	9	1

Batteries: Kansas City—Weimer and Beville. St. Paul—Knepper and Wilson.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 9.—Minneapolis won a seven-inning game to-day and left at 5 o'clock for Denver. Wiggs pitched good ball until the sixth inning, when he went to pieces, and Milton was substituted. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Joseph	5	8	2
Minneapolis	8	8	2

Batteries: St. Joseph—Wiggs, Milton and Doolin. Minneapolis—Wadsworth and Kinlow.

Will Fight to Retain Hulswitt.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 9.—Manager Bealle of the Minneapolis team to-day began a hard fight to prevent Shortstop Gus Hulswitt from further playing with the Saints. Beall says that he engaged Hulswitt last fall. President Hickey ruled against Beall to-day. The matter will be taken into court.

Van Dyke Didn't Appear.

Charles Van Dyke failed to show up last night to play his pool match with Jones, as per schedule, and the enthusiasts were disappointed. The game to-night will be between McGowan and White, and will positively be played.

Culver Makes a Big Run.

Harry Culver yesterday established a new record for amateurs at the Grand Billiard Hall. Culver made a run of 109 at straight-rail billiards. This is the most points ever made in a run by an amateur on a Grand table.

Amateur Baseball Club Notes.

—The St. Louis Commission Merchants' baseball club will play the Wayside team Sunday afternoon at Carondelet Park. The teams will line up as follows: St. Louis Commission Merchants: Reedy, 1b.; Duff, cf.; Quinn, rf.; Shanks, c.; McNolte, 2b.; Sulze, 3b.; Whoerlin, s.; Stratman, lf.; Heffernan, p. Waysides: Hogan, 1b.; Herye, cf.; Nolte, rf.; Thomas, c.; Stacks, 2b.; Dugan, 3b.; Minahan, s.; Bouch, lf.; Henry, p.

—The Shamrocks would like to hear from all teams in the 11 and 13 year old class. There line-up is as follows: J. Curran, c.; J. Butler, p.; J. Connors, 1b.; T. Wolfort, s.; W. Coady, 2b.; P. McGovern, 3b.; A. McCarty, lf.; R. Reilly, rf.; C. Zowmski, cf. For games address Joseph Conners, 1129 North Sixth street.

—The Early Stars will play the Carondelet Patch Sunday.

—The Globes have an open date for Sunday and would like to hear from some first-class club out of the city. Address C. J. Bartley, Seventh and Franklin avenue.

—The Evans Sign Company club has organized for the season and will play its opening game with the Hannan & Bakers at Athletic Park Sunday morning. The Evans would like to arrange games with all strong teams in the city. Address J. S. Mitchell, 308 North Seventh street.

—Arthur Gorman, the veteran second baseman, has been released by the Dodson-Brauns. They would like to sign a good man. Address H. B. Deaton, 2710 Leffingwell avenue.

—The Pinkeys defeated the Carlan Sluggers Sunday by a score of 27 to 10. The feature of the game was the heavy batting of Elliff and Griffin. They have signed Joe Schweppe to pitch and Henry Mangel to catch for them. For games address W. Griffin, 1510 Singleton street.

—The O. K.'s will play the Carletons at Waterworks Park next Sunday.

—The Anchor Juniors would like to hear from all teams in the 11 and 12 year old class. Address Daniel Carries, No. 616 O'Fallon street.

—The Strauss & Samish club will play the Rosenthal-Sloan team at Forest Park next Sunday morning. The line-up follows: Rosenthal, Sloan; McKenna, c.; Nelson, p.; Mansfield, 1b.; Ewright, 2b.; Jaeger, 3b.; Werner, s.; Aldrich, rf.; Henry, cf.; Levy, lf. Strauss & Samish: Robinson, c.; Young, p.; Mellow, 1b.; Harrison, 2b.; Pheifer, 3b.; Lou Klein, s.; Summers, rf.; Bube, cf.; Nat Klein, lf.

—The Frisco Juniors defeated the strong Kirkwood Military Academy team last Saturday by a score of 17 to 10. The Frisco Juniors will cross bats with the Wabash Juniors at Forest Park next Saturday. Anyone wishing games will please address Manager G. W. Philley, No. 728 Century building.

—The Burlingtons leave Saturday night to open up the season with the Bevier Reds at Bevier, Mo. They will take along the following players: W. Parr, lf.; Cahill, s.; Fogerty, 2b.; Johnson, 2b.; Flaherty, 1b.; Reed, c.; Cato, cf.; Orcott, rf.; Northcott, sub.

—The clerks of the City Collector's office have organized for the season of 1901, with the following players: F. W. Aller, c.; E. Stamm, p.; Ed Colbrun, 1b.; E. Schmind, 2b.; W. L. Zepp, 3b.; H. Hecker, s.; A. E. Zott, cf.; Otto Hammer, lf.; H. C. Menne, rf.; Rudolph Koerper, official scorer, and G. D. Nischwitz, John Shaab and T. A. Scott, subs. Address all challenges to Captain W. L. Zepp, care of City Collector's office.

—The Bank of Commerce and M., K. & T. will play Saturday afternoon on the bank's diamond in Forest Park. The teams will be lined up as follows: Bank of Commerce: Steeche, p.; LeCron, c.; Louis, 1b.; Robinson, 2b.; Hicks, s.; Kimsella, 3b.; Morehead, lf.; Hoffman, cf.; Lyons, rf. M., K., & T.: Riley, p.; Geyer, c.; Coutwell, 1b.; Schneider, 2b.; Shannon, J., s.; Daly, 3b.; Tebeau, lf.; Nichols, cf.; Shannon, W., rf.

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YOUNG WIFE SEEKS MISSING HUSBAND.

James Donnelly, Married but Two Months, Suddenly Disappears for the Second Time.

DESCRIPTION OF JAMES DONNELLY.

Height, about 5 feet 6 inches.
Weight, about 135.
Hair, turning gray on sides of head.
Mustache, long and light in color.
High forehead.
Aged, 35.
Wore black clothing and carried electrical union cards in his pockets.

Even matrimonial ties do not seem strong enough to prevent the disappearance of James Donelly, an electrician, who left his home, No. 827 Hickory street, April 11, telling his wife of but two months that he was going to Sedalia to work.

Six years ago Donnelly suddenly disappeared. His relatives obtained the co-operation of the police and a search for him was made. He was not located then. Two years later he returned to his home and stated that he had been managing an electric light plant at Cambridge City, Ind.

In February, Donnelly was married to Miss Carrie Lawrence, an orphan, who lived with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Klein, at No. 827 Hickory street. That there was no trouble between the husband and his wife, who is but 18 years old, all agree.

Donnelly's second disappearance, on account of his recent marriage, is taken in a more serious light than his first. His wife cannot be dissuaded from her belief that something has befallen him. They had been sweethearts for two years, although she was a lass of 16 and he 33 years old when they first met. His relatives say he is not addicted to the use of intoxicants and his employers at the Imperial Electric Light Company's plant give him a good recommendation for sobriety and industry.

Donnelly is an expert in his line, and is a member of a local electrician's union. Its members are aiding in the search for him.

Mrs. Donnelly has found employment in a South Broadway establishment, and has given up hope of ever seeing her husband again. His sisters and others, however, believe he will return. Friends at Sedalia say he it not there, and Buffalo, N. Y., acquaintances declare they have not seen him.

SHORT TALKS WITH GUESTS AT THE HOTELS.

"Prescient statesmanship, true patriotism and intelligent regard for the advancement of civilization alike demand of us more amicable understanding of and fraternal relations with our immediate neighbors of Mexico and Canada," said Major John M. Burke, general manager of the Wild West Show, at the Southern yesterday. "I spent much of the past winter in mixing with the Mexicans and Canadians.

"For the perpetuation of peace and prosperity on this great Continent, harmony between these three factors is necessary. Isolated from the rest of the world as we are by a great ocean on each side of us, it would hardly be practicable for even the combined world to effectively harm us by invasion if the neighbors on our borders were also our friends. In assured peace and safety, possessed as we are of incalculable resources in our fields, forests, mines, fisheries and manufactories, with infinite diversity of climate, and animated by love of personal liberty, regard for social freedom and conservative good government, the highest attainment in the evolution of humanity may well be ours if we maintain amity with those whom the providence of God has most closely associated with us in that evolution."

"Have you seen Frank Elsmore Jones of New York?" asked George W. Hukill of Cincinnati at the Planters yesterday. "No? Well, see him and then go blind. Talk about Berry Wall and all the dressers on earth! This man Jones, who is here and has with him all the spring toggery, has them beat a whole city block. He is an iridescent dream in clothes. He is a sartorial X ray, and with his perfectly groomed person and faultless attire he is a thing of beauty and a joy forever. He looks like a piano tuner, but has a bushel of sense and the manners of a Chesterfield. He is the only man on earth who can strut sitting down."

"We will soon have our new friend with us, who became fully developed last season and whose name is 'electro-fanitis,'" said Doctor H. L. E. Johnston of Washington, D. C., at the Lindell, yesterday. "What is 'electro-fanitis'? It is a new hot-weather ailment that has whirled into existence. It is a sneezing, coughing cold in the head, caused by the germ-laden breezes of the electric fan. Unless properly cured, the 'electro-fanitis' may develop into two other diseases of the same family—tonsilitis and bronchitis. Being caused by artificial atmospheric conditions, it is much more difficult to cure than an ordinary cold. The principal reason why the air-currents produced by an electric fan so readily cause inflammation of the mucous membranes of the head is that the drafts are sudden, and easily impress the system of the patient whose vitality already has been lowered by the heat. Furthermore, those currents of air are not the fresh waves of ozone which are in circulation outdoors. The artificial breezes are nothing but impure air forced into motion."

"The State of Arkansas has done the