# TULSA GOES INTO SECOND PLACE BY WINNING FROM OMAHA

## Bennett Holds Omaha Safe; Ray Nagle Aids in Victory

New Outfielder Secures Two Hits, One a Double, and Scores Two Runs.

### ROURKES NEVER THREATEN

Tulsa's Right Hander Easily Holds Opposition While Mates Bat Hard.

By CHARLES E. BRIGG.

Hard luck, which has followed the Jackson's Omaha aggregation all season, did not desert the team yesterday in Tulsa. The Oilers at Mc-Nally park yesterday afternoon, it was just their luck to find the Oilers recovered from a cooling change and Joe Bennett feeling right. As it is said they were forced to take the consolation end of an 8 to 2 score and furthermore there was little about the contest that would encourage them to believe that good fortune would smile upon them at all during their stay in the oil capital city.

Just a little game enough to the closing round would have given Bennett a shutout. But with the bases loaded through a single, a base on balls and a hit batsman, he walked Gislason and Jackson forcing over a couple of markers.

Meanwhile, throughout the previous innings, the home lads had been treating both Mr. Townsend and Mr. Kopp, as they were introduced by Mr. Umpire Dailey, exceedingly rough. They drove Mr. Townsend to the shower in the second inning after scoring once in the first, and three in the second and then, after fooling along with Mr. Kopp's offerings for three resultless rounds, they battered him hard in the sixth, five hits, assisted by a wild pitch and an error resulting in three markers. They eased up somewhat in the seventh and then gave him a farewell salute in the eighth which produced Tulsa's eighth tally.

Wichita was heaven and the Oilers went back into second place.

**Oilers Soon Clinch Contest.**

With the same kind of an assault as characterized their play during their recent road trip when they won 14 while losing but six, the home team put the large crowd of hopeful fans on easy seats without loss of time. They got busy just as soon as they could down three of the visitors in the opening round.

Jimmy Burke started things going Townsend being a southpaw. James switched over from his accustomed stand to bat right handed. He missed his first slice, but his second drove a hard one just out of Jackson's reach for a single. Wuffli boosted him along at the sacrifice of his own life, a passed ball planted him on third and he scored by a splendid sprint when Slattery drove a hard liner into Shinkle's hands in center.

Again in the second round Bennett turned the invaders back with neither hit nor run, again the home boys fattened their batting averages at the expense of Jackson's side-wheeler. Cleveland opened up with a long double to center. Davis rolled one down toward third, tied Barbeau's throw at first and continued to second while Cleveland scored when Barbeau's bad throw bounded off the right bleacher wall. Tierney's hard smash to left landed Davis at third. He was unable to score on Manion's bounder to Hemmingway, but Bennett made it easy for him by lifting a two-bagger far over Lee's head in left. There the bombardment stopped. Burke and Wuffli being tossed out at first.

This round saw the elimination of Townsend and the advent of Kopp, a righthander with speed to burn and no disposition toward conservation. As a result there was nothing doing during the third, fourth and fifth sessions.

**Get After Kopp.**

In the sixth, however, the Oilers cut loose once more. Joe Slattery opened up with a terrific smash to right which for a while seemed ticketed for the Midland Valley right-of-way, but it trickled through a mat of telegraph wires and dropped inside the inclosure, a two-bagger. This give Dutch Nagle, the outfielder just secured by Spencer Abbott, a chance to show what he can do in a pinch. After fouling one and missing one, he connected squarely with the next, driving the ball against the centerfield fence scoring Slattery. He raced to third on Cleveland's single to right. Meanwhile Cleveland was caught trying to make second on Spellman's throw to third. Ahead off the filing Dutchman On Davis' single Nagle scored and Davis went to second when Shinkle let the ball get by him. Turner's effort was a liner to Lee in left for the second out. Then Manion, batting for his last time before joining the Tigers in the American league, scored Davis with a hit to center.

Nagle's double and Davis' single added one in the eighth.

Having the game seemingly tucked away, Bennett grew careless when the visitors came to bat for their last time. Spellman nicked him for a single to right. Shinkle however knocked his chance into Turner's hands in center. Barbeau and Bennett got out of a jam as the locals were loaded when Hale, who had gone to right when Spellman went to bat, flied to Brown to 3 of the place a few minutes previously, on one of the wrigs. Kopp whiffed, throwing wild. Bennett passed Gislason for his fourth free ball, forcing in Spellman and repeated when Jackson came up, but beat being erased over. The end came when Cleveland struck. Fred grounded at third and stopped on the bag, forcing out Hale.

### The Official Score

| TULSA | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Burke, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Wuffli, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Slattery, 1b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 0 |
| Nagle, lf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cleveland, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Davis, rf | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Tierney, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Manion, c | 3 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Bennett, p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| Totals | 32 | 8 | 12 | 27 | 14 | 2 |
| OMAHA | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
| Gislason, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Jackson, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Lee, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Hemmingway, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 |
| Spellman, rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Shinkle, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Barbeau, 3b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Brown, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hale, rf | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Townsend, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Kopp, p | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 2 | 5 | 24 | 16 | 2 |

Score by innings:

| | |
|---|---|
| Omaha | 000 000 002—2 |
| Tulsa | 130 003 01x—8 |

Summary: Two-base hits, Slattery, Nagle, Cleveland, Bennett, Jackson; sacrifice hits, Wuffli, Slattery; bases on balls, off Bennett 5; struck out, by Bennett 7, by Kopp 4; hit by pitched ball, Hale by Bennett; runs, off Townsend 4 in 2 innings, off Kopp 4 in 6 innings; left on bases, Tulsa 2, Omaha 9; wild pitch, Kopp; passed ball, Brown; umpires, Daily and Fitzpatrick; time, 1:30.

**Notes of the Game.**

That puts the Oilers in second place again.

Oklahoma City proved unequal to the task of stopping the Saints.

Again Des Moines is threatening to get back into the race.

Nagle appeared a trifle nervous at his debut in Tulsa uniform but looks like a valuable addition. He played the first half of the season in the Virginia State league where he hurled .336. Then he quit that league and has been playing independent ball since. He formerly was a Western association star and never has hit less than .300 since he entered organized baseball eight years ago.

Tierney went high in the air to spear Jackson's drive in the eighth.

A new pair of umpires made their debut in the Western league at McNally park yesterday, Dailey and Fitzpatrick, who come from the Three I league. They look like an improvement over most of the indicator handlers who have operated here this season.

Umpire Dailey has a style that is all his own. For instance, in announcing the batteries or a change in the lineup, he puts a "Mr." to the players' names.

Wuffli was the only Tulsan to fail to secure at least one safety and he spoiled the best chance when he sacrificed in the opening round.

## SINCLAIR WINS FROM TEXAS BY BIG SCORE

Effective Pitching and Hard Hitting Nets Sinclairs Easy Victory Over Texas.

Hard hitting and errorless support behind Hays' effective pitching gave Sinclair an easy victory over Texas in the City Oil league last night.

The score:

| Texas | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Schiff, 1b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 0 | |
| Mahaffey, ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Daniel, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Hollis, c | 3 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 0 | |
| Kidd, 3b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Nicholson, lf | 3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | |
| Fullerton, rf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| Holman, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Hayes, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Totals | 27 | 3 | 6 | 27 | 8 | 7 |

| Sinclair | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mathews, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | |
| O'Donnell, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | |
| Haigh, c | 3 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 0 | |
| Hayes, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | |
| Dixon, 1b | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | |
| Manford, rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | |
| Martin, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | |
| Zinsley, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Totals | 31 | 6 | 9 | 14 | 9 | |

Summary:

| | |
|---|---|
| Sinclair | 100 100 4—6 |
| Texas | 100 000 1—3 |

Summary: Two-base hits, Hays 2, Mathews, stolen bases, Smith, Hall, O'Donnell, Davidson, Martin, bases on balls, off Hays 4, off Chancellor 2, struck out, by Hays 7, by Chancellor 1, hit by pitcher, by Chancellor, Miller, left on bases, Texas 7, Sinclair 6, umpire, Higbee. Time, 1:15.

## FRIENDSHIP INDUCES NOTED ENGLISHMAN TO COME HERE

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—An unusual story of friendship between two men in high office was told here today by Lieutenant Colonel Edwards, British assistant provost marshal, following the announcement that Sir William Tyrrell would accompany Viscount Grey as his private secretary when the latter arrives here at the end of the present month to serve as British ambassador to Washington. Sir William was private secretary to Lord Grey then Sir Edward Grey, at the outbreak of the war, when he was ambassador to France, secretary for foreign affairs. When Sir Edward Grey retired, Sir William was made undersecretary of foreign affairs and held that important post throughout the greater part of the war. One of his duties was to act as the foreign minister during the absence of the foreign secretary and the latter, interrupted his calling from early life.

When he, and chief connected to go to the Lord Mayor's office, Sir Edward, Sir William and Lord Cecil, Lord Crewe and Lord Curzon, as representatives of foreign affairs, Lord Balfour, Lord Milner, Lord Hardinge, Lord Reading, Lord Derby, Lord Cecil, Lord Curzon and Lord Crewe, as representatives of foreign affairs.

Nicholson, Fullerton, Holman, Hayes, Hollis, Daniel, Mathews, Haigh, Dixon, Manford, Martin, Zinsley, Hayes.

Two-base hits, Hayes 2, Mathews, stolen bases, Smith, Hall, O'Donnell, Davidson, Martin, bases on balls, off Hays 4, off Chancellor 2, struck out, by Hays 7, by Chancellor 1, hit by pitcher, by Chancellor, Miller, left on bases, Texas 7, Sinclair 6, umpire, Higbee. Time, 1:15.

## WELSH BRANCH APPROVES MERGER OF PRESBYTERIANS

RACINE, Wis., Sept. 4.—The proposed amalgamation of the Welsh Presbyterian church with the Presbyterian church, was acted upon favorably by the general assembly of the former denomination in session here late yesterday. In order to complete the necessary arrangements a committee will meet with the standing committee of the Presbyterian church and a special assembly will be held at Columbus, Ohio, in the 1920, to receive the final report of the committee.

## "THAT LITTLE GAME" — And Then It Happened

LABOR day saw the opening of the 1919-1920 boxing season in rings of America, on that date crack battlers engaged in matches throughout the country and reports from every section indicate that the great popularity which the game enjoyed last season is here to stay.

Many bouts, in which the greatest boxers in the ring are to appear will be held this month. Of greater interest to Tulsa ring followers is the Jack Malone-K. O. Loughlin bout here September 22, in the opening card of the Tulsa Athletic club and which is also the inaugural show of a member of the newly organized Oklahoma boxing league. In Malone and Loughlin, Promoter Machen has matched two of the foremost welterweights in the game. The record of Malone is well known to fight fans while Loughlin, who has boxed here on three occasions, is one of the most popular boxers to ever appear in this city.

Malone meets a tough boy in Johnny Tillman at Minneapolis tonight. They are to go ten rounds. Ted Kid Lewis and Steve Latze are billed for 10 minutes of boxing. The show is staged at Scranton, Pa. Tommy Robson and Ralph Schappert go eight frames also at Scranton.

While boxing is enjoying greater popularity than for the past decade, there is still need for further effort in placing it on a plane with baseball and other sports. One of the vital needs of boxing is a national governing board, similar to the national baseball commission. Not until there is such recognized power which will hold absolute authority over the affairs of promoters, referees, boxers and all those connected with the game will boxing enjoy the widespread popularity which should be its lot.

State boxing commissions have done much toward eradicating many of the evils of boxing, and in putting an end to the work of the unscrupulous who care nothing for the sport and were interested merely in lucre. Often when the work of these commissions has been hampered to a certain extent by the lax laws of other states which permit any thing to go in the ring. Thus, if a bout in one commission with the sport is banned in one state, he can find refuge with locals of contiguous territory in other states, which are few now, it is true, but which still continue to be a menace to the development of boxing.

A national governing body with unlimited power could put an end to all crooked work in five years, with the sport conducted as baseball, boxing would be competing with other sports as the most popular pastime.

## SUIT AGAINST JOHNSON STARTED IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Efforts to ascertain whether Jack Johnson, ex-champion of the American, actually knew that Another Carl Mays had been traded to the Boston club in New York when he signed his contract as manager, after the Chicago manager of the New York club, last season, Johnson for manager, signed to take place, at first because of the Mays order.

The hearing began today after a long list of postponements. Attorney Charles J. Hedges, representing Johnson, said the contract was signed in Chicago, and the hearing in this city was required to be held in the Illinois metropolis. Hedges said the contract was signed, and Johnson, with good faith, had kept his part of the bargain, and he felt sure he would be upheld in his action.

## ST. JOSEPH DEFEATS OKLAHOMA IN TENTH

Leaders and Indians Battle Hard in Opening Game—Indian Errors Cause Defeat.

### DES MOINES BEATS IZZIES

Boosters and Wichita Stage Lively Free Hitting Game—Sioux City Wins From Joplin.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 4.—St. Joseph grouped two hits with a wild pitch and sacrifice fly in the tenth and defeated Oklahoma City, 4 to 3, in the opening game of the series.

The score:

| Oklahoma City | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Falk, lf | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Pitts, rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tannehill, ss | 5 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| L. Moore, 3b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Griffith, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Griggs, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Gleason, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Moore, c | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Park, p | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 36 | 8 | 10 | 25 | 9 | 2 |

| St. Joseph | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jackson, cf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Gleason, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Kelleher, c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker, lf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Williams, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Bell, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Shestak, ss | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Wilson, p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 4 | 5 | 25 | 11 | 2 |

| | |
|---|---|
| St. Joseph | 000 000 100 3—4 |
| Oklahoma City | 000 002 100 0—3 |

Summary: Runs, Hamilton, Kelleher, Walker, Bell, Park, Pitts, errors, Kelleher, Pitts, Tanner 2, Moore 2, two-base hits, Park, Walker, Williams, three-base hit, Kelleher, stolen bases, Lindamore, Bone with Walker, sacrifice hits, Pitts, Bone with sacrifice by Kelleher, double plays, Lindamore to Bennett to Griggs, Tanner to Bennett to Griggs, Bell to Kelleher to Bender, struck out, by Park 3, by Wilson 1, bases on balls, off Park 4, off Wilson 1, left on bases, Oklahoma City 4, St. Joseph 5, hit by pitcher, Park (Walker), wild pitches, Park, Williams, passed ball, Shestak, time, 2:00, umpires, Shannon and Jessie.

**Sioux City 6, Joplin 4**

JOPLIN, Sept. 4.—Sioux City took the opening game from Joplin today, 6 to 4.

The score:

| Joplin | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lower, 3b | 5 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Lalonde, 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Nolan, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Strand, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hall, rf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hurley, 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Kinsella, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Brandkes, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Cockill, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 6 | 6 | 24 | 9 | 0 |

| Sioux City | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hotan, 3b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hawkins, ss | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Hansen, lf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Lowenthal, c | 5 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 1 |
| Blackburn, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Kelly, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Barbeau, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Bell, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Bentley, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 6 | 7 | 31 | 11 | 2 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Joplin | 101 100 201—6 |
| Sioux City | 104 000 100—6 |

Summary: Runs, Strand, Hurley, Kinsella, Hotan, Hawkins, Hansen, Lowenthal, Blackburn, Barbeau, Bell, Bentley, Lower, Lalonde, Nolan, Strand, Hall, Hurley, Kinsella, Brandkes, Nelson, Cockill, Hotan, Hawkins, Hansen, Lowenthal, Blackburn, Kelly, Barbeau, Bell, Bentley, three-base hits, Hurley, Kinsella, Barbeau, sacrifice hits, Lowenthal, Bell, stolen bases, Lalonde, Strand, Hall, Hurley, Kinsella, Brandkes, Hotan, Hawkins, Hansen, Lowenthal, Blackburn, Kelly, Barbeau, Bell, Bentley, double plays, Lalonde to Nolan, Hurley, Kinsella, Hurley, Kinsella, Hotan, Hawkins, Hansen, Lowenthal, Blackburn, Barbeau, Bell, Bentley, Lower, Lalonde, Nolan, Strand, Hall, Hurley, Kinsella, Brandkes, Nelson, Cockill, Hotan, Hawkins, Hansen, Lowenthal, Blackburn, Kelly