FIVE OUT OF NINE

ST. PAUL TAKES THE ODD GAME OF THE MINNEAPOLIS SERIES.

COULD NOT BAT TOGETHER.

MILLERS WENT DOWN BEFORE THE SUPERIOR PROWESS OF COMISKEY'S MEN.

INDIANAPOLIS IS COASTING.

Milwaukee Defeats the Watkins Team in a Hard-Fought Contest, Score Being 3 to 1.

St. Paul 9, Minneapolis 4.
Milwaukee 3, Indianapolis 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
St. Paul	29	21	8	.724
Milwaukee	27	17	10	.630
Indianapolis	25	15	10	.600
Columbus	23	12	11	.522
Detroit	25	13	12	.520
Minneapolis	28	11	17	.393
Kansas City	28	9	19	.321
Grand Rapids	25	7	18	.280

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TODAY.

Detroit at St. Paul.
Columbus at Minneapolis.
Indianapolis at Milwaukee.
Grand Rapids at Kansas City.

St. Paul worsted Minneapolis again, and now, after meeting five of the seven other clubs in the Western league, it has a majority of the season series so far in each case, besides being practically 125 points ahead of its nearest competitor in the pennant race.

The Millers, to give them credit, are playing in hard luck. They made one hit more than the Saints yesterday, and only scored four times, in one of which they were assisted by an error. The Saints, on the other hand, made but seven singles, and scored nine times, with the assistance of only two errors by the Millers.

In a vain endeavor to shake the hoodoo they recited all sorts of incantations, writing releases for weak players on pretty tinted paper, which had been singed around the edges in the fluttering flame of a perfumed candle. They gave the base sacks a three-card-monte shuffle to see if they could not find the element of bad luck contained somewhere there. They finally sent the Saints to bat first, knowing that they would be first in batting at the end of the season anyway. But it was all in vain. They lost the game.

They are going to try and get a game from Columbus today, and, failing in that, they will hang the pennant wrong side up, abolish their salary list and let the street railway company put in a summer opera company, for they do say the street railway company gets ten cents each for a number of the fans who go out to the park daily on passes.

McBride did not seem to be afraid of shouldering the hoodoo when he went to bat in unusual order, although it did look suspicious when Harvey, the auburn-haired hurler from the Pacific slope, hurled a hot one into the funny bone of the Apostolic centerfielder. Mac went to second as soon as he had revived from the chaotic condition which the blow superinduced in his medulla oblongata. Nyce went in then while Tim O'Rourke took care of the bats in the check room. Charley waited for four of Harvey's wildest. George forced Nyce out, but McBride scored on Glasscock's grounder to Pickett. Parrott hit the ball, but it went straight for the center field. "Oh, ho! you're out," was heard in exultant hapsody from one of the sixteen Minneapolis fans, who had purchased seats in the grand stand, the rest being dead heads and St. Paul people; "Wilmot won't do a thing to that, I guess."

The ex-Chicagoan poised himself on tip toe as if meditating whether he had better play it down the cushion or four times around the table. Then he let his heels down and danced a few bars of an ancient dime museum turn. He smiled haughtily. The ball was coming right toward his waist. It seemed to be drawn that way. Walter's waist was not checked either, although they say he is great on drawing checks. The ball had reached its highest elevation. Parrott, chasing along toward first, watched it with a look of despair upon his face. In a majestic curve the sphere descended.

"Oh my Walter'll get it," proudly and confidently exclaimed a fair fan as she waved another fan.

From far across the park could be heard the kerchug of a falling body striking some tangible obstacle; the eye observed a few frantic clutches reminiscent of Ophelia trying to pick lawn mowers out of her hair, the ball rolled a few feet in the gravel field, and from the parched throats of the Minneapolis fans came a hoarse "Oh!"

It was not the exultant rhapsody of the wedding march; it was the funeral measure of a dirge. Walter had muffed a fly.

George was resuscitated, having fallen in a faint at third at the horrible fumble, and rushed across the plate. Shugart got a base on balls, but Hollingsworth hit the ball high and gave Dan Lally, who, it was whispered about, was playing his last game with the Millers, a chance to show how much better he was than the supposed "real thing" in center.

Lally's base on balls, a single, and a fumble by Shugart gave the Millers one, and they were somewhat reassured. It's getting so, when they score one run, they don't feel so lonesome as when the nine are all goose eggs.

Spies pounded a hard one into right field, near the line, and, after Phyle forced him out, McBride waited for four. Nyce pounded another into Doggie Miller's district, and Phyle scored. George hit to Cassidy, well off first base. Harvey went to the bag, but before he could reach it and turn around, Cassidy had thrown the ball over Harvey's shoulder. George went to second and McBride scored.

Phyle gave Boyle and Harvey bases, but Shugart and Glasscock made a beautiful double on Ball's savage grounder, which fully retrieved Shugart's initial error, the only one, as it turned out, chargeable to the Saints through the day.

Shugart struck out, and, while Spies was hit with the fourth bad ball, he did not score.

Lally opened the third with a fine single over Nyce's head, but the next two hit them in the air, and Dan was left on the bases.

The Saints went out one, two, three, but Cassidy hit for two bases, a nice drive into Parrott's corner. Kuehne hit to Shugart and advanced the first baseman, who tried to score on Boyle's weak hit to Phyle, who played at the plate. Cassidy started back. Spies threw it to Nyce. Cassidy came on again, with Nyce chasing him down the line. He was pretty near the plate before Nyce threw the ball to Spies, and Cassidy slid in. It was a close decision, but Umpire Ebright declared the runner out.

Two foul flies to Cassidy and Shugart's strike-out sent the Saints out in a hurry. Ball got first on four, but succeeding batsmen hit it in the air, and he was left.

Hollingsworth and Spies were out when Phyle hit a hard fly. He was beyond first base when it dropped six inches outside the right foul line. But he came back, and the next one he hit went to the fence in center field, and he made three bases on it. That was the signal. Harvey gave McBride four bad ones. Nyce and George followed with clean singles over the heads of the infield, and three more runs were scored before Glasscock sent a fly to Miller.

Pickett hit a liner to Nyce, who reached up and took it, a pretty stop, tossed the ball to Phyle, and said: "Let the game go on." Two were out when Kuehne hit for two bases, but Boyle could not push him around.

The seventh saw St. Paul batting high ones, and no runs resulted.

Harvey struck out. Ball hit a hot one to Hollingsworth, who made a fine stop. Lally nearly took off the hand that Nyce stuck down to stop the ball Shugart got it when its force was broken somewhat, but both runners were safe. A fly to Shugart was followed by a nice single by Miller, which sent in two runs. Miller himself scored on Pickett's two-bagger, a high fly that dropped barely inside the left foul line and gave Parrott a hard chase after it rolled out. That made the score 7 to 4.

The eighth was uneventful, each side going one, two three.

Harvey gave Nyce and George bases, and Glasscock sacrificed. Parrott poked another of his timely hits into right field, and the score was 9 to 4. Two flies sent St. Paul to the field for the final half, in which Ball struck out. Lally sent a fly to center that looked as though it was safe, but McBride went clear to the fence and lunched on it. John Goodnow's purchasing agent bunted the ball to Glasscock, who trotted across the bag as though he had been in the game but a day or two.

The score:

St. Paul.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
McBride, ss	2	3	0	2	0	0
Nyce, 3b	3	2	2	2	2	0
George, rf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Glasscock, 1b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Parrott, lf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Shugart, ss	5	0	0	3	6	1
Hollingsworth, 2b	5	0	0	0	3	0
Spies, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Phyle, p	3	2	1	0	1	0
Totals	34	9	7	27	13	1

Minneapolis.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Ball, ss	4	1	1	2	3	0
Lally, lf	4	2	2	4	0	0
Wilmot, cf	5	0	1	2	0	1
Miller, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Pickett, 2b	4	0	1	0	6	0
Cassidy, 1b	4	0	1	14	0	1
Kuehne, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Boyle, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Harvey, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	35	4	8	27	15	2

St. Paul	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	2—9
Minneapolis	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0—4

Earned runs, St. Paul 1, Minneapolis 3; two-base hits, Cassidy, Pickett, Kuehne; three-base hit, Phyle; bases on balls, off Phyle, Ball, Lally, Boyle, Harvey; off Harvey, McBride 2, Nyce 2, George, Shugart, Spies; hit by pitcher, by Harvey, McBride; double play, Shugart and Glasscock; struck out, by Phyle, Harvey 3, Ball, Kuehne; by Harvey, Shugart 2; sacrifice hit, Glasscock; left on bases, St. Paul 7, Minneapolis 8; time, 2:05; weather, clear; field, dry; attendance, 600; umpire, Ebright.

DETROIT HERE TODAY.

Tigers Will See How the Saints Play Ball.

St. Paul must do battle with the Detroit team, which will open a series of four games at Lexington park today at 3:45. The club has some strong players in it, among them "Hunky" Hines, formerly of Minneapolis and later of Kansas City, Burnett, Dungan and Big Lew Whistler, all of last year's team, the talkative catcher, Mike Trost, a new third baseman, named Steinfeldt, of whom many praises are sung, while at short is the new captain, Bob Allen. George Stallings will be missed in the outfield, although Deady is said to have been doing some creditable work.

In the pitching staff are Egan and Thomas, of the last year's team, while the young phenomenon, Hahn, and another twirler, named Treadwell, are rattling around in the shoes of Fifield, who was drafted by Philadelphia.

It is probable that Egan will pitch for the Tigers today, while the veteran Mullane will do the similar honors for St. Paul. Nyce will probably remain at third.

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Sammy Nichol, having no box office cares to burden him yesterday, was back on the coaching lines. He has not lamed his voice saying "fifty cents in the stand," and was quite entertaining.

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Lally goes to St. Louis, and was to start this morning. Hutchison is expected to join the Millers before the close of the Columbus series.

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Crooks, Daniels and others, of the Columbus team, occupied seats in the stand yesterday.

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Harvey, barring his wildness at times, showed signs of coming efficiency. In an atmosphere where there are less of the discouraging, nig-nagging influences that there are at work in the Minneapolis team this year, he would no doubt develop rapidly.

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President Goodnow yesterday released Outfielder Partridge, Catcher Moran and Pitchers Kagey and Philippi. Moran and Kagey, it is said, are provided with jobs.

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With Lally going away, it would look as though the Millers were going to run a cheap team until something occurs to bring the crowd back. With Ball, Kuehne, Cassidy and Pickett on the bases, it looks as though Wilmot, Reserve Catcher Miller and a pitcher would have to fill in the outfield. If Boyle should be disabled, and he is unlucky, then it means two pitchers in the outfield. Certainly the pitchers will earn their money then.

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McBride's work in center field is one of the hits of the 1897 team.

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George's throw to third to catch Lally was a beautiful exhibition and there was doubt in many minds as to whether Ebright had not made a mistake in declaring Dan safe.

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Jack Pitckett covered everything from first to second in a way that must have brought many remembrances to Jack Crooks as he sat in the stand.

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Hollingsworth did not make a hit, the first game he has missed it. He was all broke up over it, too.

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Shugart played a fast game at short. He played all around Ball.

GEO. A. VAN DERBECK.

George A. Van Derbeck, president and owner of the franchise of the Detroit club, of the Western league, is a New Yorker by birth, first seeing the light of day on Sept. 21, 1867, at Rochester, N. Y., and is one of the few base ball managers who has not only gained a reputation for himself through his theoretical ideas, never having a practical knowledge of the game, but has fully demonstrated that he is capable of handling its affairs in a very clever manner. When the present Western league was organized in the winter of 1893 and 1894, Mr. Van Derbeck secured the franchise for a club at Detroit and has retained it ever since. As a base ball legislator he has achieved considerable renown, and when an opportunity presents itself for his gaining a point that will prove advantageous to his interests he never fails to take advantage of the situation. He personally looks after his ball team each year, engaging and releasing players as the case may be, though he entrusts his captain with the sole charge of the men during the playing season. Many players have gained renown under his management.

HOOSIERS DROP BACK.

Milwaukee Club Moves Up Into Second Place.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 24.—Indianapolis could not bunch hits and the Brewers gave Barnes errorless support. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Milwaukee	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	*3	7	0
Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	8	2

Batteries, Barnes and Spear, Phillips and Wood.

HUTCH COMING BACK.

Wilmot Trades Lally for Willie Bill.

Willie Bill Hutchison drew his pay and bade good-by to Chris Von der Ahe yesterday and boarded a train for Minneapolis. Tonight Dan Lally will draw his pay and bid good-by to the Millers and board a train to join the Browns.

The deal whereby Hutchison returns to Minneapolis was consummated yesterday. Wilmot has been after Hutch for several days past, but Von der Ahe would only let him go on one condition. Money wouldn't buy him. Chris wanted Dan Lally, and if Wilmot thought more of Hutch than he did of Lally then he could have the former. For two days Von der Ahe's offer remained open, and during those two days Wilmot kept the wires warm in an effort to secure a man for the left garden who, while he might not hope to be as popular with the fans as has Dan, would fill the position satisfactorily. Such a man was found yesterday, and the offer of the St. Louis magnate was immediately accepted. The new man for the left garden will arrive in Minneapolis tonight or tomorrow morning, but in any event, in time to participate in tomorrow's game. Who it is Wilmot would not say, but it is understood that he is a good all around man.

What Brewers Thought.

The Detroit club, as seen by the Milwaukee Journal:

In Allen and Steinfeldt Detroit has two fast infielders. The double play, assisted by Steinfeldt yesterday, was a brilliant feature of the game.

Deady's work was away off color. Allen needs some new fielders and two good pitchers before he can get into the race.

Whistler has not forgotten how to play first base.

Steinfeldt is a clever player and he makes a good impression.

Trost talks too much while he is behind the bat.

Nothing gives a team so much of an amateur appearance as lack of uniformity in its uniforms. Blue's uniform yesterday was so different from those of the other Detroit players as to be disgraceful. They wore grey suits and he wore black-colored trousers. In this connection some attention should be paid to undershirts in cases, like that of Detroit, where the players use half-arm sleeves. Under these conditions the contestants become part of the uniforms, and yesterday among the Detroits there were green arms, white arms, blue arms, brown arms, and even red arms.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

The Colts Not Able to Get Rid of the Hoodoo.

New York, 4; Chicago, 1.
Brooklyn, 6; Cincinnati, 4.
Boston, 5; Louisville, 3.
Cleveland, 9; Philadelphia, 8.
Washington, 13; St. Louis, 7.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	25	19	6	.760
Pittsburg	23	16	7	.696
Cincinnati	28	19	9	.679
Boston	25	15	10	.600
Cleveland	25	14	11	.560
Louisville	24	12	12	.500
Philadelphia	26	13	13	.500
Brooklyn	26	12	14	.462
New York	21	9	12	.429
Washington	24	8	16	.333
Chicago	26	8	18	.308
St. Louis	27	5	22	.185

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TODAY.

New York at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
Boston at Louisville.
Baltimore at Pittsburg.
Washington at St. Louis.

CHICAGO, May 24.—A very small audience saw the Giants win a pitchers' battle from the Colts today. A base on balls and three hits in the fourth did the business. The outfielders on both sides had a busy day, nineteen batsmen perishing by that route. Weather cloudy and very cold. Attendance, 900. Score:

Chicago.	R	H	P	A	E	N. Y.	R	H	P	A	E
McC'k, 3b	0	0	1	4	0	Van H., cf	0	1	6	0	0
Dahlen, ss	0	0	2	3	0	Tier'n, rf	0	0	4	0	0
Lange, cf	1	1	4	0	0	Joyce, 3b	0	0	1	3	0
Thor'n, lf	0	1	2	0	1	Davis, ss	0	2	0	3	0
Ryan, rf	0	1	2	0	0	Glea'n, 2b	2	1	3	1	1
Decker, 1b	0	1	13	0	0	Holmes, lf	1	0	1	0	0
Con'or, 2b	0	0	0	3	1	Clark, 1b	1	1	9	0	0
Kitt'ge, c	0	1	2	0	0	Warner, c	0	2	2	0	0
Griffith, p	0	0	1	2	0	Meekin, p	0	0	1	0	0
						Sulliv'n, p	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	1	5	27	12	2	Totals	4	7	27	11	1

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1
New York	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0—4

Earned runs, Chicago 1, New York 2; left on bases, Chicago 9, New York 7; two-base hit, Clark; sacrifice hits, Decker, Gleason; stolen base, Gleason; struck out, by Griffith 2, by Sullivan 2; bases on balls, off Griffith 2, off Sullivan 3, off Meekin 1; hit with ball, Thornton, Joyce; time, 1:40; umpires, McDonald and O'Day.

REDS DROP ANOTHER.

CINCINNATI, O., May 24.—The Brooklyns again defeated the Reds today. The visitors scored four runs in the second inning and the Reds were unable to hit Kennedy. Attendance, 3,000. Score:

Cin.	R	H	P	A	E	Brook.	R	H	P	A	E
Burke, lf	2	1	1	0	0	Grif'n, cf	0	3	2	0	0
Hoy, cf	0	0	0	0	0	Jones, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Irwin, ss	1	1	2	3	0	And'n, lf	1	1	1	1	0
Miller, rf	0	1	2	1	0	Shindle, 3b	0	0	1	2	1
Hol'd'y, 1b	0	1	12	2	0	L Ch'e, 1b	0	3	15	0	1
Irwin, 3b	2	2	1	3	0	Can'n, 2b	1	1	4	4	0
Schr'r, c	0	2	6	1	1	Smith, ss	2	0	0	0	0
Ritch'y, 2b	0	2	3	5	0	Grim, c	1	1	2	2	0
Rhines, p	0	0	0	2	0	Ken'edy, p	1	1	1	8	0
Ehret, p	0	0	0	0	0						
*Peitz	0	0	0	0	0	Totals	6	10	27	17	2
Totals	4	9	27	16	2						

Cincinnati	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0—4
Brooklyn	0	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0—6

*Peitz batted for Rhines in eighth.

Earned runs, Cincinnati 1; two-base hits, Kennedy, Irwin; three-base hit, Anderson; left on bases, Brooklyn 6, Cincinnati 7; stolen bases, Burke 2, Miller, Holliday, Irwin; double play, Anderson, Shindle to Grim; first base on balls, off Rhines 3, off Kennedy 5; hit by pitched ball, by Rhines 2; struck out, by Rhines 1, by Kennedy 1; time, 1:40; umpire, Lynch.

TOO MUCH FOR COLONELS.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 24.—Nichols was too much for the Colonels today, and the Bean Eaters won a nicely-played game. McGee pitched his first whole game for the home team, and, barring a little wildness, did good work. Attendance, 1,000. Score:

Boston.	R	H	P	A	E	Louis.	R	H	P	A	E
H'ton, cf	2	1	1	0	0	Clarke, lf	0	0	4	0	0
Tenn'y, 1b	1	1	7	2	1	M'Cr'y, rf	0	0	3	0	0
Long, ss	0	3	1	3	0	Dexter, cf	1	1	2	0	0
Duffy, lf	2	1	2	0	0	W'rd'n, 1b	1	1	7	0	0
Stahl, rf	0	0	2	0	0	Rogers, 2b	0	0	2	2	2
Lowe, 2b	0	1	2	4	0	S'ff'd, ss	0	2	2	3	1
C'l'ns, 3b	0	0	1	0	0	Wilson, c	0	2	1	3	0
Bergen, c	0	1	8	2	2	C'gm'n, 3b	0	0	3	3	0
Nichols, p	0	0	3	0	0	McGee, p	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	5	8	27	11	3	Totals	3	7	24	13	3

Boston	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	*—5
Louisville	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0—3

Earned runs, Boston 2; first base on errors, Boston 2, Louisville 1; left on bases, Boston 7, Louisville 3; first base on balls, off Nichols 1, off McGee 6; struck out, by Nichols 8, by McGee 2; three-base hit, Tenney; two-base hit, Dexter; sacrifice hit, Lowe; stolen bases, Wilson, Collins, Duffy, Long; double play, Long, Lowe and Tenney; passed ball, Bergen; time, 2:02; umpire, McDermott.

INDIANS FINISHED HARD.

CLEVELAND, May 24.—Philadelphia outplayed Cleveland at every point through eight innings, and then the Indians pounded Taylor all over the lot and won out. Attendance, 1,000. Score:

Clev.	R	H	P	A	E	Phil.	R	H	P	A	E
Sock's, rf	2	2	1	0	1	Geier, rf	1	2	3	0	0
Childs, 2b	1	3	3	3	1	Cooley, cf	1	2	2	0	0
McK'n, ss	1	1	2	3	0	Del'nty, lf	1	3	2	0	0
Burk't, lf	2	1	2	0	0	Boyle, 1b	0	2	10	0	0
Wal'ce, 3b	1	2	1	1	0	Cl'm'ts, c	0	1	3	0	0
Blake, cf	1	3	5	0	0	Cross, 3b	1	2	0	0	0
Tebeau, 1b	1	1	7	1	0	Gillen, ss	2	1	2	4	0
Zim'r, c	0	2	6	2	1	Nash, 2b	1	0	2	2	0
Young, p	0	1	0	2	0	Taylor, p	1	1	0	3	1
Totals	9	16	27	12	3	*Totals	8	14	24	9	1

Cleveland	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	—9
Philadelphia	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	—8

* No one out when winning run was made.

Earned runs, Cleveland 4, Philadelphia 1; first base on errors, Philadelphia 2; left on bases, Cleveland 8, Philadelphia 7; first base on balls, off Young, 2, off Taylor 3; struck out, by Young 3, by Taylor 1; home run, Taylor; three-base hit, Tebeau; two-base hits, McKean, Wallace, Zimmer 2; sacrifice hits, McKean, Wallace; stolen bases, Geier, Cooley, Delehanty, Boyle; umpire, Sheridan; time, 2 hours.

TAIL-ENDERS TOGETHER.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 24.—The two tailenders came together today for the first time this season, and the Senators took a loosely played game by lucky hitting. The Browns touched up McJames freely, and King was substituted in the sixth inning. Score:

St. L'is.	R	H	P	A	E	Wash.	R	H	P	A	E
D'gl's, 1b	2	0	12	1	0	Br'n, cf	0	3	2	0	2
D'wd, cf	1	1	0	0	0	Dem't, ss	2	3	1	2	0
T'ner, rf	1	1	1	0	0	Se'b'h, lf	0	1	3	0	0
H'm'n, 3b	0	1	0	3	2	M'Gu'e, c	2	2	4	2	2
M'F'l'd, c	1	2	6	3	0	Abbey, rf	3	3	2	0	0
H'm'n, 2b	1	1	4	4	0	Reilly, 3b	1	1	0	3	0
Cr'ss, ss	0	2	2	3	0	W'gl'y, 2b	1	3	3	4	0
Hart, p	0	0	0	4	1	C'tw't, 1b	2	2	12	0	0
K's'er, lf	1	3	2	0	0	M'Ja's, p	0	0	0	1	0
						King, p	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	7	11	27	18	3	*Farrell	1	1	0	0	0
						Totals	13	19	27	13	4

St. Louis	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	2	1	—7
Washington	3	0	0	0	0	4	6	0	0	—13

*Farrell batted for McJames in the sixth.

Earned runs, St. Louis 3, Washington 11; two-base hits, Abbey, Weygley; three-base hits, McFarland, Houseman, Brown; home run, Abbey; stolen bases, Dowd, Turner, Cartwright, Weygley; double plays, Cross, Houseman and Douglas, Hart, Douglas and McFarland; first base on balls, off Hart 5, off McJames 6; hit by pitched ball, Hartman; struck out, by Hart 4, by McJames 1, by King 1; time, 2:20; umpire, Emslie.

NO GAME.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 24.—Baltimore-Pittsburg; no game, rain.

Ill-health is the "Sword of Damocles" that hangs suspended by a slender thread above the heads of thousands of men. In the end-of-the-century rush and crush, men forget and neglect everything but money-getting. They forget that the facility for money-getting is in the long run dependent upon a sound mind in a sound body. The man who is too busy with his business to spare a moment to look after his health, will eventually lose both health and business. A man may be in too big a hurry. The man who would be permanently successful should take time to eat, time to digest his food, time to sleep, and time to look after the most precious endowment—his health.

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The Packers' Base Ball club, of New Brighton, and the Eclipse Base Ball club, of Minneapolis, played the first game of ball of the season at New Brighton Sunday. It resulted in a victory for the Packers by a score of 8 to 5. Batteries were: Packers, Williams and Gahan; Eclipse, Hengen and Swanson. The Packers would like to hear from any amateur club in the state. Address F. G. Ziegler, New Brighton, Minn.

The Minnehahas defeated the Thunderbolts Sunday afternoon by a score of 14 to 5. Delaney and Berg, battery for Minnehahas, did their usual good work. Delaney struck out fifteen Bolts and allowed but five hits. Score as follows:

Minnehahas	0	4	2	0	1	3	3	1	*—14
Thunderbolts	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0—5

Earned runs, Ha Has 8; two-base hits, Widmann 2, McDonald, G. Peterson; base on balls, off Delaney 1, off McDonald 4, off Le May 3; struck out, by Delaney 15, by McDonald 6, by Le May 1; umpire, Moore. The Minnehahas would like to hear from out-of-town teams. W. McArthurs, Manager.

The Funk's Exports defeated the Clovers Sunday by the following score:

Funk's	3	0	2	3	4	3	3	0	*—18
Clovers	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—6

Batteries, Funk's, Banholzer and T. Brown, for Clovers, Williams and Lux.

The Clintons defeated the Fillmores in a close and exciting contest Sunday afternoon by a score of 8 to 5.

A very exciting game of ball was played Sunday afternoon on the Polo grounds, in which the Hamm's Exports were defeated by the Spaldings by the score of 20 to 16. The feature of the game was the Garrison finish made by the Spaldings in the seventh and eighth innings, which was led by Williams' three-base hit, with the bases full. Dahlquist, of the Spaldings, pitched an excellent game after the second inning, striking out twelve men. The score by innings was as follows:

Exports	7	2	3	2	0	1	0	1	0—16
Spaldings	0	0	8	0	1	2	4	5	*—20

Batteries, for Exports, Sullivan, Egan and Reddington; for Spaldings, Dahlquist and Hart.

The Thistles defeated the Arlingtons 14 to 10.

The Excelsiors wish to meet any club under the age of eighteen years, the Eries, New Homes, New York Journals, Finch, Van Slyck, Young & Co., Minnesota Athletic club and Maroons preferred. Would like a game for Sunday. H. W. Picha, 400 West Seventh street.

The Cubans defeated the Wideawakes last Sunday by the score of 18 to 10. The feature of the game was the catching of White and the home run made by Bennie Huntsman.

The Hub Clothing Company base ball team defeated the Gladstone Stars on their own grounds in a one-sided game, 25 to 5. The feature of the game was the pitching of Brandt, striking out fifteen men. Batteries, Brandt and Welsh, Ekstrand, Seelonver and McGinnis.

The East Seventh Street Crackerjacks defeated the Copeland camp team of the Modern Woodmen Sunday morning on the grounds of the latter by a score of 17 to 9. The features of the game were the batting of the Crackerjacks and the running catch of McManus, of the Copelands. The Crackerjacks would like to hear from any amateur team in the city. Address all communications to J. E. Fallow, 368 East Seventh street, city.

The Emeralds defeated the Rollers on Saturday by the following score:

Emeralds	1	3	2	0	1	0	1	1	0—9
Rollers	3	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0—7

The winning battery was Beuchner and McCall.

They also defeated the Rivals on Sunday by a score of 7 to 3.

Emeralds	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	*—7
Rivals	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—3

Battery for Emeralds, Brozek and McCall.

The Emeralds will cross bats with the Duke Street Stars Saturday next on the latter's grounds.

The New Homes succeeded in taking the second game of the series with the Young Cyclones. The feature of the game was the pitching of Bell, who struck out eleven men. Score:

New Homes	2	2	3	2	1	8	1	4	*—23
Young Cyclones	0	2	1	3	3	3	1	2	2—17

Batteries, New Homes, Bell and Pilgren; Young Cyclones, Ghering and Salvis.

STATE FIELD TRIALS.

Minnesota Dogs to Be Run Out August 25.

The Continental Field Trials club, after consultation with many sportsmen of the Northwest, in sections hereafter mentioned, will give two stakes—a Derby, to be called the Minnesota Derby, and an all-age stake, known as the Northwestern stake, entries confined to the states of North Dakota,