## SPORTS OF THE DAY.

SAINTS LEAVE FOR OMAHA

WILL OPEN THE SEASON THERE TOMORROW

Hollingsworth, Fricken and Carney the Only Men Left Behind-Den-Will Do the Twirling in the Series of Eight Games to Be Played at

The Western league base ball sea-

The Western league base ball season opens tomorrow.

Manager Comiskey, with twelve men, left last night for Omaha and will arrive there this morning, in plenty of time for a practice today.

Thursday afternoon the new grounds of the Omaha club, out near the exposition buildings, will be dedicated with appropriate exercises, in which the mayor of Omaha and the city officials will participate.

The Saints, who will ride in carriages in the big parade, in addition to their thanager, are Denzer, Cross, Phyle and Mullane, pitchers; Spies, catcher; Glasscock, first base; Glenalvin, second base; Shugart, short stop; Gillen, third base; Miller, right field; Preston, center field; Burle, left field.

Hollingsworth, Fricken and Carney will remain home and keep the grass from growing on the base lines at Lexington park.

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Tony Mullane's trip to Omaha will probably be his last as a Saint. He artived in town yesterday morning, but with the knowledge that Manager Comiskey the rot need him. He is anxious to go to Omaha, but Manager Fisher is a little afraid of the arm that has done duty for so many years. Tony will pitch one of the games in the Exposition City, and will show Fisher what he can do, and it is altogether likely will win his way to a place on the team. Tony feels that his arm is still all right, and that a chance is all he needs to convince Fisher of that fact.

with his team as it is constituted at present, Manager Comiskey should at least win three of the four games at Omaha. As a matter of fact Omaha has no license to win any one of the games, but a base ball game is not altogether unlike a horse race, and any old thing is liable to happen.

The Omaha team is not by any means a first-class one. Coming into the league as it did with the Grand Rapids' franchise, and such players as that team beasted of last fall, it was certainly at a disadvantage. Mike O'Brien did all he could to gather together a good aggregation of players, but he was not altogether successful, and with the exception of a very few his men was not altogether successful, and with the exception of a very few his men are those who for various reasons sould not hope to hold permanent berths on other Western league teams. As the season advances, of course, Fisher will strengthen the team and Omaha may be in it before the season closes

ur games will be played at Omaha after which the team will go to Kan-sas City for another series of four. Here, too, the Saints should win a ma-Here, too, the Saints should win a majority of the games, but not with as much ease as at Omaha. Jimmy Manning had plenty of experience with gold bricks last year, and although he has expended considerable money this season, he has used it more judiciously and has gathered around him a better class of ball players. On paper his team is not by any means as strong as it was at the beginning of the season of 1897, but on the field it promises much better results.

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Base ball men, who have paid strict attention to the doings of other Western league clubs this spring, concede that with the exception perhaps of Milwaukee, Comiskey has the best aggregation in the league. Connie Mack's team is not one whit stronger, however, but it would be taking long chances to say it was not up to the standard of the Saints.

On paper and on the field, Comiskey's team has a big mortgage on the pen-

has a big mortgage on the pen-The men will begin the season good or better condition, individually, and as a team, than any other team in the league. If they will play the ball they certainly can play and stay away from the wine of reddish hue, they will be all right, but if not, the story of previous years will be repeated next fall. In any event fans should be satisfied with the tan as it stands at present. The first opportunity they will have

of seeing them in a league game will be Friday, April 29, Arbor day, when the team will return and open the sea-son with Kansas City at Lexington

CHAUNCEY FISHER IN CHARGE.

O'Brien Disappears Omaha in a Hurry.

OMAHA, Neb., April 19.—Mike O'Brien, who has been doing the preliminary work for the Omaha Base Ball team in preparation for the opening of the Western league tion for the opening of the Western league season in this city, has left for Chicago from all accounts without leaving a word for President Schuman. From now on the team will be in charge of Captain and Manager Fisher, who is to be seconded in all his efforts to place a winning team in this city by President Schuman, according to the statements made by the latter last night.

President Schuman said he, being detained in Chicago on personal business, had no knowledge of how things were going on in

## EGZEMA FROM BIRTH

Baby's Arms Neck Hands and Face Broken out with Red Pimples. Terribly Inflamed.

Had to Wear Soft Mittens to Keep Her from Scratching. Suffering Was Terrible.

Even Help Her. Tried CUTI-

2 Leading Physicians Could Not CURA. Immediate Cure.

Our little daughter, now fifteen months old, was troubled from her birth with Eczema. Her face, arms, hands, and neck would break out with red pimples, the parts afflicted would swell and become terribly inflamed, water would ooze out like great beads of perspiration, finally this would dry up and the skin would crack and peel off. She suffered terribly. Had to wear soft mittens on her hands to keep her from scratching. We gave two of our leading physicians a good trial, but neither of them helped her in the least. I purchased Cuticura Soat, Cuticura Cointent, and Cuticura Resolvent, and comnent), and CUTICURA SOAP, CUTICURA (ointenent), and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, and commenced using them as follows: After bathing I wiped her with a soft linen cloth, applied CUTICURA (ointment) freely, and gave her the RESOLVENT regularly. She improved at once and is now never troubled, although we have used less than one bottle of RESOLVENT, three hoves of SALVE, and of course CUTICURE. boxes of Salve, and of course Cuticura Soap. The statements I have made are abso-SOAP. The statements I have made are absolutely true and not exaggerated in any way. Would also say you have my permission to publish this, should you wish.

March 1, 1898. ROB. A. LAPHAM,

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this city, and had been receiving reports from O'Brien that everything was progressing finely. He knew nothing about the fact that no team was being gotten together until rumors began to reach him a few days ago. He came here to investigate, and thus first became acquainted with the true condition of affairs. He at once started on a hunt for O'Brien and failed to find him. Later he was informed at O'Brien's lodgings that he had gone to Chicago.

The president expressed himself as regretful of the state things are in, but says that he intends to do all he can to secure a winning team. He has given instructions to Manager Fisher to get the best material he can. The latter has now several strings out, and hopes to land some good men. A start in this direction has already been made. Last night a telegram was received from President Johnson, of the league, that Daub, a Brooklyn pitcher, had been signed for Omaha. Daub has been with Brooklyn for several years, and Fisher, who played with him, says that he is all right. Another new man coming is Schrall, an outfielder of Cincinnatt, who is also said to be good.

WESTERN SEASON.

Game at Indianapolis if the Weather Will Permit.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 19.-Indianapolis and Detroit open the Western league season here tomorrow. The prospects are for frigid weather, but the teams will play if a possible chance is afforded them. The 1897

possible chance is afforded them. The 1897 championship pennant will be unfurled by the Indianapolis team and Mayor Taggart will make the presentation speech and will also pitch the first ball over the plate.

A parade will precede the game at the park and there will be a band concert and a gala time generally. With good weather a crowd of 5,000 will witness the game.

Manager Allen is well satisfied with the team that will defend the championship, the full team is now under contract with the exception of one fielder, who wil be signed within the next ten days. The batteries for Indianapolis will be Phillips, "awley and Kahoe and for Detroit Irwin, Waddell and Twineham.

PUT ONE GAME PLAYED.

Big League Contests Stopped by Wei Weather.

BOSTON 14. NEW YORK 2. STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Played. Won. Lost.

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

BOSTON, Mass., April 19.—The New Yorks pened strong today, but the effort lasted only ne inning. On the other hand, Doheny was bounded out of the box and the game result

ed in a walk-over for the home team. Score:

R.H.E.

Boston ... .0 7 3 2 0 0 1 1 \*-14 18 2

New York ... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 -2 4 3

Batteries, Nichols, Lewis and Bergen; Doheny, Gett'g and Grady.

Games Called Off. PHILADELPHIA, April 19.-Tcday's Brook yn-Philadelphia base ball game was post-

n-Philaderphia base ban band on account of rain.
Baltimore, April 19.—The Baltimore-Washacton game scheduled for this afternoon was ngton game scheduled for this arternoon macoostponed; rain, wet grounds.

St. Louis, April 19.—No game today on account of wet grounds.

Pretty Contest Between the Flour City and Kansas Lads.

pecial to The St. Paul Globe. ATCHISON, Kan., April 19.—The game day between Atchison and Minneapolis was a very pretty game to look at. Both teams flelded finely. Jones, the colored pitcher of the home team, pitched fine ball. It was the the home team, pitched fine ball. It was the first speed the Millers had gone up against this season, and he had them on the run for three innings, then Parrott opened the fourth with a triple to deep center that started the fireworks. It was easy after the fourth. Figgemeler, Cook and Phillippi pitched three innings apiece. McNealey played third base, as Reilly's ankle is in bad shape yet. The same teams play again tomorrow, and the Millers leave tomorrow night for Kansas City to open the season the 21st. Score:

Atchison . . . . 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 3
Minneapolis . . . 0 0 0 2 1 0 2 1 \*-6 9 1
Three-base hits, Strickler, Brockway, Campau, Parrott; bases on balls, Atchison 2, Minneapolis 2; struck out, Minneapolis 3, Atchison 4; stolen bases, Atchison 1, Minneapolis 3; umpire, Morton

CINCINNATI, O. April 19.—There was another accident at the Queen City track today. Carlsorona, in the first race, fell with her rider, L. Scott, on the back stretch and broke her neck. Dominis also went down with Jockey Campbell, and the latter was so badly injured that he had to be sent to the hospital, although no bones were broken. Jockey Scott escaped without injury.

Racing at Epsom.

LONDON, April 19.—At the first day's racing of the Epsom spring meeting today, Sir Scott's four-year-old bay co't, by History, won the great Metropolitan stakes of 1,000 sovereigns. Lord Ellesmere's Villiers was second and the Prince of Wales' Oakdene third.

Game for Harvard. WASHINGTON, April 19.—Harvard 14, Cath-olic university 3.

BASE BALL BRIEFS.

Manager Billie Barnie, of Brooklyn, made a record during the training season. It was too wet for base ball in Alaire one day, and he divided his players into elevens and played football.

Pitcher Harry Keener, of the Columbus club, did his early training in the gymnasium and on the campus at Lafayette college at Easton, Pa.

Frank Foreman has signed an Indianapolis contract with President Golt, having come to terms with the management, and he expresses himself as well pleased with the prospect of staying there. It is also announced that Dammann has been turned over to Indianapolis by Cincinnati. That leaves Motz as the only hold-out.

To New York City, Via the Burlington, first-class, only \$14.00. Ticket office, 4.0 Robert street (Hotel Ryan).

M'LEOD MISJUDGED HIS MAN

FAILED TO SECURE THREE FALLS FROM DWYER

One Fall, and That in 341 Min--Challenges Dwyer to

Dan McLeod, the champion heavy weight wrestler of Chicago, found an opponent worthy of all of his skill and strength in the local middleweight, M. J. Dwyer, in the catch-as-catch-can bout at Conover hall last evening, when he was able to throw Dwyer but once in the hour in which he undertook to secure three falls, and thereby lost

the match to the local wrestler.

The match was unquestionably the fastest and most skilled exhibition of fastest and most skilled exhibition of wrestling seen by lovers of the sport in the several contests which have taken place in St. Paul during the present season, and while Dwyer's victory stamps him a wrestler of undisputed ability, it does not belittle McLeod, who proved himself a Hercules in strength, possessing remarkable agility and a past master in the science of the game. Many of those who witnessed the match saw tactics and holds new to their knowledge of wrestling, as gained from other contests. From start to finish the match aroused the spectators to enthusiastic applause, which was made almost continuous by the vigorous struggle of the contestants and skillful tactics employed by each.

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opponent dangerously near a fail, and though McLeod showed his superiority by frequently getting Dwyer into apparently almost inextricable positions, the wiry middleweight, with one exception, succeeded in thwarting his opponent. It was a spectacular erablition of strength and skill of unflagging interest but clearly demonstrating that interest, but clearly demonstrating that McLeod had undertaken too much of a task, a fact which McLeod acknowledged at the conclusion of the match, by practically rating Dwyer his equal in an offer to wrestle the local man a return match without a handleap imposed upon himself. posed upon himself.

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The match was for a purse of \$200, offered by the St. Paul Athletic club, and a side bet of \$100. Capt. Frank Whitmore was the referee.

The articles of agreement stipulated that McLeod was to throw Dwyer three falls within an hour, or lose the match. There was no qualification in case Dwyer should throw McLeod. This gave rise to a dispute, which was finally adjusted by McLeod agreeing that if Dwyer secured a fall the local man won the match.

With the call of time the men grappled each other's necks and swayed about the mat, each waiting for a chance to get a favorable hold. McLeod tried to trip Dwyer, but the latter turned the tables in a flash by sending the Chicagoan heavily to the mat with a grapevine lock. McLeod took the aggressive at once, feeling his opponent out, with alternate body and leg holds, finally going after a hammer lock, twisting Dwyer's arm well under the body before the latter broke away and jumped to his feet.

For three minutes the men measured each other with interlocked arms, when Dwyer again sent McLeod down on a leg lock. McLeod was up again almost before touching the mat, but both went to their hands and knees on Dwyer's leg hold. Dwyer took the aggressive and worked at McLeod's back for several minutes, but made little progress toward a fall. He got a half-hammer lock, which McLeod easily broke. Dwyer worked complacently, when he suddenly secured a front half-Nelson and twisted McLeod over onto one shoulder. It looked as if Dwyer would win the fall, but quick as a flash McLeod and resourceful opponent and went after him with a vengeance.

With a front half-Nelson McLeod pushed Dwyer clear across the mat, and then with sheer strength forced him to shoulder. Dwyer employed all of his strength for a moment, and then with the same head spin which had saved McLeod squirmed out of danger. McLeod went at Dwyer again, utilizing body holds and leg locks with vigor and rapidity. In les

BOSTON ROAD RACE.

Marathon Event Won in Specty
Time by Roy McDonald.

BOSTON, Mass., April 19.—Roy J. McDonald, ot the Cambridge (Mass) A. A., won the Boston Athlete association's Marathon race today, covering the distance, and the content when the state of the company of the content with the same head spin which had saved McLeod squirmed out of dangers, and the company of the Cambridge (Mass) A. A., won the Boston Athlete association's Marathon race today, covering the distance, and the content of the content of the course of

Both men were fresh at the end of the ten minute rest. Dwyer was more confident and McLeod determined. Each alternated Both men were fresh at the end of the ten minute rest. Dwyer was more confident and McLeod determined. Each alternated in aggressive tactics, realizing that he was up against a difficult task. Dwyer was after a fall from McLeod, and half a dozen times almost succeeded. McLeod, however, eluded and turned the tables on Dwyer throughout the thirty-five and a half minutes of the match, getting Dwyer in chancery almost as he liked, but falling at the crucial test to throw his opponent. The last quarter of an hour was a continuous series of brilliant work by both men, but as the minutes slipped by it became apparent that McLeod would fall in his efforts, and when time was called Dwyer was at his back trying for a hammer lock.

McLeod stated to the audience throw Dwyer three falls, he should not have been compelled to work on the defensive, as he was compelled to do. McLeod paid Dwyer a well merited compliment by requesting the middleweight to wrestle him on equal terms. In the preliminary entertainment George O'Brien gave a bag punching exhibition, Burns and Wells sparred a three-round bout and Webster and McAuley wrestled ten minutes, while Still and Wells gave a ten minutes' wrestling exhibition, in which Still won three falls.

Trap Tournament.

ST. LOUIS. Mo. April 19 Thirty-sight.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 19.—Thirty-eight crack amateurs from different parts of the country are at Dupont park, near this city, varticipating in the most important amateur rap-shooting tournament ever held in the

William E. Sergeant, the Missouri chan

pion, shot in every event, and carried off the honors in the first day's shooting with an average of 92 per cent. Graham, of Kalamazoo, Mich., was second with an average of 87 per cent, and Tripp, of Indianapolis, third, with an average of 86 per cent. Dr. Knowlton, of New York, made a run of 25 straight in the seventh event.

Cycle Meets.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 19.—The following list of National circuit bicycle meets already sanctioned with the national champlon races assigned to each has been issued:
Louisville, Auditorium, May 6, 7—One mile, five miles.
Dayton, O., Dayton Bicycle Club, Aug. 6—One-quarter of a mile.
Indianapolis, National Meet, Aug. 10, 11, 13—Two miles, one-half mile, one mile.
St. Louis, St. Louis Cycle Racing Association, Aug. 20—One mile.
Reading, Pa., Penn Wheelmen, Aug. 31—One mile.
Mahanoy City, Pa., Mahanoy City Athletic Association, Sept. 1—Two miles.
Wilkesbarre, Pa., West End Wheelmen, Sept. 3—One-half mile.
St. Louis, St. Louis Cycle Club, Oct. 15—Two miles.

ENGLAND'S ACT FRIENDLY

MR. BALFOUR EXPLAINS THE RECENT ACT OF MEDIATION

That Such Action Would Be Welcome and Might Result in Some Good-The Dreibund May Try to

LONDON, April 19.—In the house of commons today Mr. Balfour, the government leader and acting secretary of state for foreign affairs, replying to James H. Dalziel, Liberal, said the British ambassador at Washington, Sir Julian Pauncefote, at the end of March was authorized to "join with the other ambassadors in friendly representations to the United States, provided we were first assured that such representations were likely to be well received and useful."

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Continuing, Mr. Balfour said: "Sir Julian Pauncefote, accordingly, joined with the others, and the British charge d'affaires at Madrid, on April 9, joined with the representatives of the other powers, in verbal identical representations, expressing the opinion that the Spanish government would do well to effect a suspension of hostilities, which might lead to an honorable understanding for the peace of Cuba. No further

might lead to an honorable understanding for the peace of Cuba. No further representations have been made."

Michael Davitt, Irish Nationalist, asked whether the representations had not been resented by popular opinion in American as an unwarranted interference in the domestic responsibilities of the republic.

"I doubt that," answered Mr. Balfour, amid cheers, "and I sam sorry if it is a fact. I am sure that if such a feeling exists in any section of America, that opinion was formed under a misconception. I am certain that the instructions furnished to Sir Julian Pauncefote, which I have just given to the house, will convince both the house the house, will convince both the house and the public that we have not in-truded ourselves unnecessarily."

BERLIN, April 19.—The German for-eign office declares that Dr. von Hol-leben, the ambassador of Germany at Washington, instead of joining in re-newed representations to the United States is urging ambassadors to stop their attempts at mediation, as they are considered worse than useless are considered worse than useless

LONDON, April 19.—It is reported that the dreibund, or triple alliance (composed of Germany, Austria and Italy), acting upon the suggestion of Italy, has proposed to the powers a plebiscite, under which the population of Cuba shall be allowed to vote for the form of government under which they shall live.

CUBAN FLAGS FLYING.

The Members of the Junta Delight ed at the Turn Affairs Have Taken.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The junta displayed the American and Cuban flags side by side today, in celebra-tion of the adoption by congress of the resolutions declaring the island free

and independent.
S. T. Estrada Palma said today: "My
first duty, in the name of the brave Cubans, is to thank the stalwart, liberty and unwavering sympathy and support they have given us since the commencement of the struggle for Cuban independence and freedom.

"I thank in particular the whole press of the United States, which, with yeary few exceptions, has so ably supported us

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It Is Now Believed Will Exhaust

y Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, April 19.—The au-

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with the flag of the republic.

It was stated today that the first call for troops would be for 80,000 men, which it is believed will exhaust the entire available strength of the national guard at this time, after deducting those who are sick and otherwise incapacitated for immediate service.

The First Call for Troops Will Be for Eighty Thousand Men, Which to Name Politonal Will Exhaust.

Secretary Alger made several additional allotments from the emergency

tional allotments from the emergency fund for the war department. One million dollars was given for the quartermaster's departments, chiefly to meet extraordinary expenses in the transportation of troops and munitions of war; \$15,000 for work with balloons and \$60,000 for perfecting the army telegraphic service.

Gen. Greely, the chief signal officer, is a stanch advocate of the use of balloons at the various ports of the country and in regular field service. tional allotments from the emergency

by Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The authoritative statement was made at the war department today that on the first call for troops only the national guard will be given an opportunity to volunteer for service in war.

This statement is in accordance with those made by Secretary Alger to the national guardsmen who called upon him at the war department on Saturday, when the modified Hull bill for the expansion of the army in time of war was under consideration. Secretary Alger thinks that such a course is in keeping with sound discretion and the dictates of common sense, for the organized militia has gone to great expense and have devoted much time to perfecting its members for military duty. Any other course he believes would be destructive to the best interests of the guard.

As far as practicable the state oxganizations entering the volunteer service will remain intact, the governors of the various states being permitted, as they were in 1861, to designate the regimental officers, which will include those of the grades from second lieutenants to coloneis. The growing to appoint the staff and field officers.

Many applications have been made to the war department for permission to volunteer, and among men of all creeds, nationalities and politics there is an expressed intention and desire to

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