MILLERS LOST THE FIRST

SAINTS WON OPENING GAME AT LEXINGTON PARK

Wright Was Batted Freely, but Fielding Errors Were Really Responsible for the Loss of the Game — Columbus Gave Indianapolis a Terrible Drubbing, Two Pitchers Sharing the Disgrace.

St. Paul 7, Minneapolis 1.
Columbus 17, Indianapolis 3.
Omaha 6, Kansas City 3.
Milwaukee 9, Detroit 3.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Indianapolis	60	37	23	.617
*Columbus	58	35	23	.603
*St. Paul	63	38	25	.603
Kansas City	64	37	27	.578
Milwaukee	64	36	28	.563
Omaha	56	21	35	.375
Detroit	63	21	42	.333
Minneapolis	64	21	43	.328

*The exact percentages are: Columbus, .6034; St. Paul, .6032.

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TODAY.

At Minneapolis—Mpls. vs. St. Paul (a. m.).
At St. Paul—St. Paul vs. Mpls. (p. m.).
At Kansas City—K. C. vs. Omaha (a.m., pm.).
At Indianapolis—In. vs. Columbus (a.m.,p.m.).
At Detroit—Detroit vs. Milwaukee (a.m.,pm.).

After the showers came the sunshine, and after the unsatisfactory exhibition given Friday last, the St. Paul base ball club turned out at Lexington park yesterday as pretty a game of base ball as could be asked.

With Denzer in the box, the Minneapolitans were barely able to score once, the locals playing an errorless fielding game and taking advantage of every point gained with a seeming disposition to turn to the best uses every available resource.

Due perhaps to the fact that the double holiday had taken many people from the cities to the lakes to spend the resting period, the crowd was not as large as is usually the case at a Sunday game between the Twins. However, nearly 3,000 people found their way to the park, and they had little reason to find fault with the game, even though they came from Minneapolis, for the Millers time and time again went at the fight with the utmost gallantry, only to be met by failure to break into the run column.

Denzer opened auspiciously by striking out Rice, but Letcher lined a single safely over Glenalvin, and Campau sent Miller a fly. Handsome Dan Lally made his first appearance here this year only for a grounder to Glenalvin.

Manager Schmelz put in the box a young man named Wright, whom Loftus, of Columbus, touted as a find only second to the philosopher's stone, which, too, had never been found and would be drafted by the big league if it ever was. Wright has his elements of strength, but he did not know just how to go at Burke. Eddie tried to walk on the claim that a high one grazed his ear, but Umpire Mannassau seemed to think that Eddie was more scared than hurt and made him wait for four balls. Then the sprinting outfielder stole second, and went to third on Miller's grounder to Rice. Glenalvin bunted to Wright, who tried to catch Burke at the plate but threw badly. Burke scored and the others advanced proportionately. Glasscock flew out to Rice. Geier hit a short fly to Lally's garden safe and stole second. Dixon made a swing as though to throw to second, but then changed his mind, and tried to catch Glenalvin napping at third. The ball went wild.

Glenalvin scored, and Geier went to third when Lally fumbled the ball in the field. Shugart was thrown out by Trice, but the locals had scored a pair.

After Glenalvin threw Carey out, Smith lined a nice hit over Shugart's head, and stole second. Reilly's grounder to Glasscock helped one base more, but the second baseman was stranded at third when Dixon's foul was pocketed by Spies.

The St. Paul half of the second opened with the perforation of Gillen's spinal column by a pitched ball. The accident did not result fatally, however. Smith's fumble gave Spies first in safety also. Denzer sacrificed with a pretty bunt to Reilly, who had to run well in. Burke put a pop-up to the same corner of the diamond, but Miller lined out a clean drive with two on the bases and two out, and drove in the second pair of runs. Doggie stole second, but Glenalvin was thrown out by Smith.

Shugart threw out Wright, but Rice put a line fly into center field. Gillen caught Letcher's foul, but Campau drove a three-bagger well back of Miller and Rice scored. Lally flew out to Miller, and that was the visitors' only run.

St. Paul laid off in the third, Geier's base on balls, and another steal, thanks to Rice's carelessness in not touching him, being the only achievements which could be considered as positive.

Two pop-ups and a little grounder to Denzer comprised Minneapolis' fourth, and a pair of ground balls to the infield, with Denzer's fly to Lally, made St. Paul's half scarcely longer. Gillen's catch under Reilly's foul was particularly meritorious.

Dixon hit a bounding ball straight down the diamond. Denzer took it high over his head. Wright flew out to Shugart and Rice fanned.

Reilly had thrown out Miller and Wright struck out Glenalvin before Glasscock's grounder through short was followed by a nice drive by Geier, which bounded over Reilly's glove. Shugart, though, flew out to Campau.

For a third successive inning the Millers went out one, two, three, and Gillen popped an easy one to Rice. Spies, however, hit one at Wright that was too hot to field. Wright tried it and found that out, while Spies was getting to the base. Then Roger bunted and Wright failed to get that either. Dixon, however, caught Denzer napping at first and Spies was stranded when Burke gave Smith a fly.

But when the seventh opened with Carey's grounder through Shugart's sand patch, and Smith followed it with a clean single across second base, the Millers' adherents had a transport, although it was not really continuing. Reilly tried to sacrifice, and Denzer caught a cute little fly. Dixon hit a pop-up, and while Glenalvin caught it, the infield fly rule put him out anyway. Wright struck out, and the runners could not score.

Wright, disconcerted, walked Miller. Glen bunted to Carey, who first tried to cover the bag himself and then tossed the ball to Wright, who muffed it. Two runners were safe, and then Glasscock hit safely to left field, Miller scoring. Geier struck out, but Shugart's two-base drive over Letcher's head hammered in two more runs, and cinched the game. Gillen's high liner Rice caught and shot back to second before Shugart could regain his equilibrium.

Rice struck out a third time, and Letcher was thrown out by Shugart. Campau's two-base drive was wasted in the eighth, Lally only giving Glenalvin a fly.

Wright threw out Spies, but Denzer hit a clean grounder down the left foul line. Burke put a clean one into Lally's section, too, and when Dan muffed Miller's fly, after a run for it, it filled the sacks with Apostolic runners. But Glenalvin hit in the air. Rice and Smith collided and the ball reached the ground, but the batsman was out anyway under the infield fly rule. Rice threw out Glasscock, with the bases full.

Carey opened the ninth with his second clean hit, a fine drive into Burke's field. Smith, however, sent Miller a fly, and Carey was thrown out by Glasscock on Reilly's grounder. Shugart tried to get it back for a double, but Reilly slipped into the sack. Dixon lined a hard drive over Glenalvin's head and sent Reilly to third. Philippe was put in to bat in Wright's place, but he only hit a short one to Denzer and was thrown out. The score:

St. Paul.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Burke, lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Miller, cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Glenalvin, 2b	4	2	0	2	2	0
Glasscock, 1b	5	1	2	11	1	0
Geier, cf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Shugart, ss	4	0	1	2	2	0
Gillen, 3b	3	1	1	2	1	0
Spies, c	3	1	1	5	0	0
Denzer, p	2	0	1	1	4	0
Totals	32	7	9	27	10	0

Minneapolis.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Rice, ss	4	1	1	3	5	0
Letcher, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Campau, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Lally, lf	4	0	0	2	0	2
Carey, 1b	4	0	2	11	1	0
Smith, 2b	4	0	2	3	0	2
Reilly, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Dixon, c	4	0	1	2	1	1
Wright, p	3	0	0	0	2	2
*Philippe	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	1	9	24	12	7

St. Paul	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	*—	7
Minneapolis	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—	1

*Batted in ninth.

Two-base hits, Shugart, Campau; three-base hit, Campau; stolen bases, Burke 2, Geier 2, Miller, Smith; sacrifice hits, Denzer 2, Spies. Glenalvin; double plays, Rice and Smith; bases on balls, off Wright 3; hit by pitcher, Gillen; struck out, by Denzer, Rice 3, Wright; by Wright, Geier, Glenalvin; left on bases, St. Paul 9, Minneapolis 8; time, 1:40; weather, cloudy; field heavy; attendance, 2,600; umpire, Mannassau.

AFTERNOON GAME HERE.

This Morning the Two Clubs Play in Minneapolis.

The St. Paul and Minneapolis clubs will play two games today, as they have each year since the Saints came into the league.

This year the local club gets the afternoon game, and it is expected that between 5,000 and 6,000 fans will turn out.

The opposing batteries are not definitely determined.

The morning game will be at Nicollet park, Minneapolis, and will begin at 10:30, to reach which St. Paul fans should leave the Ryan hotel by 9:15, or, if they take the new Como interurban, perhaps a few minutes earlier.

The afternoon game will be at 3:45, which is the usual week day hour at Lexington park.

Force of habit is a big thing. A forlorn-looking water spaniel drifted out on the field yesterday and ambled down toward the plate. "Get out of the grounds," yelled Umpire Mannassau. And the spaniel slunk out like a dog.

Rice, the Millers' short stop, is considered by many one of the finds of the year.

Glasscock was Johnny on the spot yesterday first, last and all the time.

Perry Werden, formerly the Millers' first baseman, was in the grand stand with a delegation of Minneapolis fans. It is not likely that the big fellow will be able to play this year, as his knee still bothers him. He insists, however, that his batting eye is as good as ever, and claims to have been out at the park trying it Saturday.

The Saints are getting back into batting form.

The umpire was not once abused. It was rather a singular occasion for an intercity game, and with a Sunday crowd at that.

There has been a general bracing up in play. Perhaps the financial misfortunes of the other Western association, with the prospective addition of many star players to the army of the unemployed, has had something to do with this.

INDIANS BADLY BEATEN.

Base Hit Column Tells the Story of the Columbus Game.

COLUMBUS, O., July 3.—The base hit column tells the story of today's game. Wolverton's batting was a feature, his record being a home run, triple and single out of five times at bat. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Columbus	4	2	4	1	0	1	0	9	0—	17	17 1
Indianapolis	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1—	3	7 5

Batteries, Scott, Foreman and Lynch; Jones and Buckley.

BEATEN BY BABES.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 3.—Thirty-five hundred people saw the Nebraskans outfield the Blues this afternoon. The errors of the home team were more disastrous than those of the visitors. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Omaha	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2—	6	12 3
Kansas City	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—	3	7 6

Batteries, Fisher and McCauley, Meredith and Wilson.

BREWERS WON.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 3.—The Brewers won from the Tigers today, because the Michigan men could not hit Terry when men were on bases. On the other hand, the Brewers batted in timely fashion. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Milwaukee	3	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	*—	9	12 3
Detroit	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1—	3	8 3

Batteries, Terry and Speer; Irwin and Wilson.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Isbell Saved the Day for the Orphans by His Batting.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Cincinnati	67	44	23	.657
Cleveland	62	38	24	.613
Boston	63	38	25	.603
Baltimore	60	35	25	.583
Chicago	65	37	28	.569
Pittsburg	63	33	30	.524
New York	62	31	31	.500
Philadelphia	58	27	31	.466
Brooklyn	60	26	34	.433
Washington	63	25	38	.397
Louisville	66	22	44	.333
St. Louis	67	22	45	.328

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TODAY.

At Baltimore—B'more vs. Phila. (a.m.,p.m.).
At Chicago—Chi. vs. Cleve. (a.m.,p.m.).
At Cincinnati—Cin. vs. L'ville (a.m.,p.m.).
At New York—N. Y. vs. Boston (a.m.,p.m.).
At Pittsburg—P'burg vs. St. L's (a.m.,p.m.).
At Washington—Wash. vs. B'lyn (a.m.,p.m.).

CHICAGO, July 3.—Long and timely hitting, with a little the better of the fielding, won the game today for the Orphans. Capt. Clark hit Thornton safely each time up, while Isbell led the locals with four hits out of five chances. Attendance, 5,800. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	*—	7	12 2
Louisville	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0—	4	9 3

Batteries, Thornton and Donahue, Frazer and Kittredge.

TWO FOR REDS.

CINCINNATI, O., July 3.—The Reds won both games today by superior fielding and timely batting. The Browns made gallant finishes, but could not reach. Miller's batting and a one-hand catch by Steinfeldt were the features. Attendance, 8,204. Score first game:

									R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	1—	7	9 3
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1—	5	12 1

Batteries, Damman and Vaughn, Sudhoff and Clements.

Second Game— R.H.E.

Cincinnati	3	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	1—	10	17 1
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	0—	7	13 2

Batteries, Hill and Vaughn, Esper and Sugden.

BEAT THE CHAMPIONS.

St. Paul Athletics Took a Game From Jordan Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon the St. Paul Athletic club played at Jordan and added another game to their list of recent victories, beating the Jordan team, who are leaders in the Tri-County league.

This was the first defeat sustained by the Jordans this season, and they put up a snappy article of ball.

Swanson was in the box for the Athletics and pitched a remarkable game, allowing the hard-hitting locals but five scattering hits and shutting them out until the end of the ninth inning, when, after two men were out, a base on balls was scored by a chance hit over third base.

Nolden also pitched a good game, having eight strike-outs. The other features of the game were the all-around fielding of the Athletics, especially Marshall at third and Mitchell at short, each having five assists without a skip. Casey, of the local team, also distinguished himself at second. Score:

Athletics.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Harvey, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Delaney, 2b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Martin, 1b	3	3	1	15	0	0
Marshall, 3b	5	1	1	1	5	0
Claytor, c	5	1	2	8	1	1
Mitchell, ss	4	0	1	0	5	0
Jahnke, cf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Swanson, p	4	1	1	0	4	0
Murphy, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	39	8	10	27	16	1

Jordan.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Casey, 2b	5	0	0	1	4	0
Schmitt, 1b	1	1	1	9	0	1
Busch, lf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Helland, ss	5	0	0	1	3	0
Korlock, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Schaefer, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Jackson, c	3	0	0	10	1	1
Nolden, p	3	0	0	0	4	1
Speck, 3b	3	1	2	2	1	1
Totals	32	2	5	27	13	4

Athletics	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	5—8
Jordan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—2

Two-base hits, Busch, Martin, Marshall; double play, Marshall to Martin; bases on balls, off Swanson 6, off Nolden 4; struck out, by Swanson 4, by Nolden 8.

AMATEUR BASE BALL.

The St. P. A. C. Colts will play the Rush City club this afternoon at Rush City. Lehmann and O'Maily will be the battery for the Colts. Players are requested to be at the union depot at 8:30 sharp.

BASE BALL BRIEFS.

"Whitewings" Tebeau found so much fault with the umpire yesterday that he fined him $10 and subsequently put him out of the game. The Columbus team has indulged in an excess of "rag-chewing" in all the games they have played here this week and the spectators were heartily tired of Tebeau's tactics. It was about time for Daily to exhibit some sand and put an end to the discourse.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Hulen's injury will keep him out of the game for several days, but Sullivan makes so capable a substitute that the Columbus team is not weakened by Hulen's absence.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Van Buren is expected to join the Milwaukees this week at Detroit, and if Nicol is unable to play then the new outfielder will play in center, and Barnes will be used on the slab again.

Fuller, catcher, and Elliott, pitcher, have been released. "Bull" Wilson has wired his acceptance of terms with Detroit, and will join the club at Milwaukee on Sunday. He is a good catcher, a fair batter, but is possessed of a temper that mars his usefulness. He will strengthen the team, for Twineham is throwing poorly.—Detroit Journal.

A report has reached Milwaukee that three National league clubs are scrambling to purchase the release of Jack Taylor, Milwaukee's crack pitcher. And it is also stated that a National league team is after the services of Fred Barnes. The rumor was announced to President Killilea, and he stated that there was truth in the statement, but refused to say what teams were seeking Taylor. President Killilea said: "It is only a question of time before we shall lose the clever twirler. Taylor is not only a proficient pitcher, but he fields his position in perfect form and bats as strong as any man on the team, which is unusual for a pitcher."—Milwaukee Journal.

Frank Dwyer and Vic Willis may have to shake dice for the booby prize in batting. The Bostonian has a shade the best of it. His last average was .045, while Old Geneva had an .083 credit.—Baltimore Herald.

Rowdy base ball has killed the game in two league cities, says Ren Mulford, and when the bell taps next year for the opening of the season it would not be surprising to see the circuit cut down to ten clubs. Baltimore and Cleveland have not been playing to enough money at home to keep up stock in a banana stand.

The Sporting News, speaking editorially, says: The success of the Kansas City club is a source of rejoicing to Manager Manning's many friends throughout the country, and of congratulation to the Western league magnates, who are sharing in the increased gate receipts at Kansas City. A combination of good team, good town and good fellow ought to be a winner in any league.

Is Jack Crooks coming into the Western league? St. Louis is to release him, as well as Russ Hall and "Kid" Carsey, it is understood. Joe Quinn will be the regular second baseman of the Browns, though Crooks may be carried for a utility man.—Detroit Free Press.

George Carey has been released by Louisville to Minneapolis. This means a cut in Carey's salary, as he has been playing with the Millers under his Louisville contract.—Indianapolis News.

Every club in the league is pulling against Indianapolis, and the cranks in the other cities rejoice in the defeat of Allen's men. The players in the other teams play just a little bit harder ball when they meet the Hoosiers, and the umpires never see a play through Indianapolis eyes. With this handicap against them, the local players should have hearty support at home. They will need it before the season is over. So far the team has done more than was expected of it, and if the men can keep up the good work they will surprise the majority of the cranks in this city. With pleasant weather the two games Monday in this city between the Hoosiers and Discoverers should prove record-breakers in point of attendance. Columbus has always been as hard a proposition for Indianapolis as St. Paul. The cranks have not forgotten the well-deserved trimming Allen's men gave the Saints on Decoration Day, and they are in line to do the same thing to the Discoverers on the Fourth. The Western league race has narrowed down to four clubs, and of the three which Indianapolis will have to beat out Columbus is a shade the strongest. Two victories on the Fourth will do much to strengthen the position of Indianapolis in the league race.—Indianapolis News.

FACE ON FIRE

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CYCLISTS GREET FARADAY

CHAIRMAN OF CENTURY ROAD RECORDS COMMITTEE HERE

He Pronounces the System of Cycle Paths in and Around the City One of the Finest He Has Ever Seen —In the Afternoon He Took a Trip to Minnetonka—Interesting Talk by Mr. Faraday.

As the guest of the local officers of the Century Road Club of America, Walter Faraday, chairman of the road records committee of that organization, spent Sunday in the city and was entertained by the wheelmen, who did everything to make the visit of the distinguished cyclist a memorable one.

Mr. Faraday arrived in the city yesterday morning from Chicago and was met at the depot by Vice President Mace, State Centurion Dr. C. H. Hunter, Local Centurion Archie Matheis, and several other well known century riders. The party went direct to Mr. Mace's residence on College avenue, where they breakfasted. After the repast a couple of hours was spent in receiving wheelmen who called to greet Mr. Faraday. Quite a number called and it was nearly noon before Mr. Faraday was taken on his initial trip over the cycle paths of the Twin Cities.

After covering the upper town paths, a short spin out the Maryland avenue path was taken. On the return the party continued in its course to Minneapolis, where they dined in the afternoon with Dr. C. H. Hunter, state centurion.

Mr. Faraday was highly pleased with the system of cycle paths in and about the Twin Cities, and so expressed himself in no uncertain manner. When seen yesterday by a Globe reporter he talked interestingly of some of the well known century riders of the United States.

"We look for some great things this year from the C. R. C. members. At the opening of the season there was a material addition to our membership rolls in the various states, and there is no question in my mind but what this will be the greatest year in the history of the club for century and long distance rides.

"Thomas, the New York rider, will attempt to break the road record between New York and Albany. He started last week but was compelled to give up the trip on account of the continued rains. I might say that the rains, which have been plentiful in the East, have interfered somewhat with road riding. So far this season four of our members have ridden three triples each and dozens have ridden double centuries.

"Eddie O. Cragness, the plucky little San Francisco rider, is now on his way from San Francisco to New York, with a view to breaking the world's transcontinental record. He is undoubtedly the hardest rider in the West, and is in a fair way to make good his promise.

"R. E. O'Connor, the Illinois state centurian, is the owner of one of the longest strings of century bars, in the possession of any of our members. Why, he gets up in the morning and rides half his century before breakfast. One morning I found him on the front steps of my home playing with the children. I supposed he had just come down from his residence, but he informed me that he had completed seventy-five miles of his century.

"Minnesota is one of a trio of states which are accredited with having the best and most effective organizations in the Union, Illinois and New York being the other two. I think no city in the country has as complete a cycle path system as I have seen here. The scenery around St. Paul is certainly superb, and there is every reason why the St. Paul wheelmen should be enthusiastic over the cycle paths, and the beautiful country which they explore.

"The Lincoln Bicycle Club of Chicago, which formed the nucleus of the C. R. C., is one of the most active local clubs in the city, and its meets and road races have materially aided in keeping the records of Chicago wheelmen near the top.

"There is a lively contest on between a half-dozen Eastern riders' century and mileage championship, for 1898. John H. George, of Philadelphia, won the American mileage championship for 1897, with 32,479 miles to his credit, and John M. Nobre, also of Philadelphia, holds the century championship for the same year. He rode 253 centuries.

"There is also an interesting contest on in each of the states for the state championship. The mileage of the competitors is not announced until the close of the season, which does justice to all interested."

At Lake Calhoun Mr. Faraday was met by a company of Minneapolitans. The party was made up as follows: Mrs. Haraday, M. L. Knowlton, state consul L. A. W.; Dr. C. H. Hunter, state centurian; C. W. Snyder, C. H. Vanderhoof, Frank H. Williams, A. Underwood, local centurion, of Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Matheis, Mr. and Mrs. Thayer, Mrs. Speachley, A. L. Mace, St. Paul. Mr. Faraday and Mr. Mace rode tandem. The party went direct to Deephaven, Lake Minnetonka, where they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Woodward. The return trip was made during the evening.

A. L. Mace, of this city, who was elected second vice president of the Century Road Club of America last May, received a telegram from the official head of the organization yesterday announcing his promotion to the first vice presidency.

C. W. Fourdrinier, of Boston, handed in his resignation as first vice president late in the week on account of the stress of business not permitting him to give his time to the affairs of the club.

Mr. Mace is the first representative that has been elected east of Chicago on the executive board, and his promand.

The run to Stillwater, planned for yesterday by the Capitol City Cycle club, was for the fifth time postponed, owing to the poor condition of the roads, the rain of Friday having made enjoyable wheeling an impossibility. Another trial will be made next Sunday.

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TOURNAMENT OF THE SHARPSHOOTERS' ASSOCIATION

Fifty Prizes, Which Aggregate in Value More Than Thirty Thousand Dollars, Are to Be Distributed Among the Successful Marksmen at New York—Only a Few Men Entered From the West.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The second tournament of the Schuetzenfest of the National Sharpshooters' association began today at Glendale Park, Long Island, and will be continued daily until Monday, July 11.

Three years ago the association held its initial tournament on the same grounds and ranges, but the entries for this year's festival are almost double the number on the list in 1897. This year the association is backed by a guarantee fund of $200,000 and the cash prizes alone amount to nearly $30,000. Other prizes, consisting of solid silver trophies as well as medals, have been presented by the association for the leaders in the several contests, and altogether over $50,000 will be expended in prizes.

The two principal events are the Honor target, Columbia, otherwise known as the ring target and the Germania or Stitch target. In the first named event, the Columbia, the first three prizes of $500, $300 and $200 have been guaranteed by the national union. The first, second and third prizes in the target Germania, are $300, $200 and $100. Similar sums have been guaranteed for the contests in the target ring contest; $1,200 will be split up among the high scores at the man target, and the point target and fifty cash prizes, amounting in all to $1,000, will be distributed among the successful shooters at the American standard target.

Three years ago over a dozen experts with the rifle, came on here from San Francisco and made an excellent showing, taking back with them to the Pacific coast, three first, one second and several minor prizes. This year the extreme West is represented by five shapshooters, only one of whom was here before. They are Fred O. Young and D. W. McLaughlin, of the Columbia Rifle club, San Francisco; R. Stettin and J. D. Heise, of the San Francisco Scheutzen-Verein, and Joseph Singer, of Los Angeles.

Among the visitors who faced the target today were: V. R. Ohmsted, C. Gloddard and J. H. Rheinhard, of Philadelphia; Joseph Stehl and H. M. Hope, Hardford; Conn., and the famous Zeitler Rifle club, with its membership roll of champions.

The attendance of shooters today was rather limited, but it expected that visitors from out of town will all have arrived tomorrow. Among the most notable of local marksmen who have arrived are Fred Ross, who earned the title "Shooting King" three years ago; G. W. Plaisted, G. W. Nyak, D. Phalanson, Gebhard Klaus, C. Boyce, C. W. Hearn Jr., Dr. Heitsheimer, Val Horn, O. F. Bozen, C. T. Rhner, Capt. Mercer, Gerhardt Goehle and F. Fabarius. The last named is eighty years of age, but takes as keen an interest in the sport as the youngest marksman on the ground. Shooting Masters Gus Nyak and Gerhardt Klaus, after many days of hard work, had everything in order today, and at 9 o'clock the first shot of the tournament was fired.

Charles Beyer, of the Empire Rifle club of this city, scored the first bullseye, and Hans Boeker, of Newton, L. I., scored the last win. The shooting was ended at 7 o'clock tonight. At the Point target C. Work and Louis X. Flach won gold medals, each having scored 150 points. Forty of the shooters won festival silver medals with twenty-five points each. The scores up to date in the other events are:

Ring Target—A. E. S. Pillard, 71; M. H. Popo, 70; E. C. Gonzoh, 69, F. C. Rose, 63; B. Busse, 64; R. J. Bodentab, 61.

Man Target—C. E. Garsch, 87; W. A. Hicks, 82; C. W. Horne Jr., 80; H. M. Popo, 80; Ignatz Martin, 69.

American Standard Target—G. Work, 46; Louis Flach, 44; E. S. Pillard, 44; E. W. McLaughlin, 44; F. C. Young, 43; Ignatz Martin, 43; J. Bodentab, 40; C. E. Gonzoh, 34.

FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE.

Examinations to Be Held in the Northwest Next Month.

The United States civil service commission announces that examinations will be taken on July 27 and 28, at the cities named below, for positions in the offices of the surveyor general, register and receiver:

Iowa—Burlington, Council Bluffs, Des Moines, Dubuque and Sioux City.

Michigan—Detroit, Grand Rapids, Escanaba, Ishpeming, Lansing and Marquette.

Minnesota—Austin, Duluth, Crookston, Marshall, St. Paul and Winona.

Montana—Anaconda, Butte, Great Falls, Helena and Miles City.

Nebraska—Fremont, Kearney, Hastings, Lincoln and Omaha.

North Dakota — Bismarck, Fargo, Grand Forks, Minot and Pembina.

Oregon — Astoria, La Grande, Lakeview, Portland and Roseburg.

South Dakota—Aberdeen, Deadwood, Huron, Mitchell, Pierre and Sioux Falls.

Washington—New Whatcom, Olympia, Seattle, Spokane and Walla Walla.

Wisconsin—Ashland, Eau Claire, Madison, Milwaukee and Wausau.

The positions for which these examinations will be held are as follows:

First—Clerk qualified as stenographer, typewriter and land office bookkeeper.

Second—Clerk with a thorough knowledge of land law and a general knowledge of the system of public land surveying.

Third—Clerk with qualifications of a land surveyor, including platting, computing and drawing, and also with a knowledge of the system of public land surveying.

Fourth—Thoroughly competent topographic draftsman with a general knowledge of surveying, including the system of public land surveying.

The subjects for these examinations are as follows:

First—First grade basis (except arithmetic, which is the second grade) 20 per cent; practical tests in stenography, 30 per cent; practical tests in typewriting, 30 per cent, and bookkeeping as practised in United States land office, 20 per cent.

Second—First grade basis, 50 per cent; public land laws of the United States, 25 per cent, and general questions on the system of public land surveying, 15 per cent.

Third—First grade basis, 30 per cent; public land laws of the United States, 10 per cent; surveying, including public land surveying, 50 per cent.

Fourth—Letter-writing, 10 per cent; arithmetic and elementary mathematics, 20 per cent; public land laws, 30 per cent; elementary land surveying, 10 per cent; topographic drawing, 30 per cent.

The time allowed for each of these examinations is two days. The basis and the practical tests in land office bookkeeping will be given on July 27, and the practical tests in stenography and typewriting will be given to applicants, for the examination requiring them, later. Full notice of the time and place will be furnished to each competitor by the commission.

Applicants are advised that writing and drawing paper will be furnished, but that they will be required to provide themselves with writing and drawing inks, pens, scales, squares and drawing boards, for use during the examination.

This examination is open to all citizens of the United States who comply with the requirements, without regard to race or to political or religious affiliations. The department desires that residents of the states where the service is to be performed should be given preference in certification for appointment, and the commission will comply with such request; and such persons are invited to apply. They shall be examined, graded and certified with entire impartiality and wholly without regard to any consideration save their ability as shown by the grade they attain in the examination.

Persons desiring to enter these examinations should at once write to the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C., for application blanks, Forms 304 and 375, which should be properly executed and promptly forwarded to the commission.

In case applicants are unable to forward their applications to the commission and receive admission cards prior to the examination, arrangements will be made to examine them, provided their requests are received at this office in time to permit of the shipment of papers to the place where they desire examination.

Delegates, Take Notice.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway has arranged to sell cheap excursion tickets to the public for the following conventions and meetings:

MADISON, WIS.—Columbian Catholic Summer School, July 6th to 26th.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—International Christian Endeavor Convention, July 5th to 12th.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—International Mining Congress, July 6th to 9th.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Annual Convention National Educational Association, July 7th to 12th.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—International Convention Baptist Young People's Union of America, July 14th to 17th.

OMAHA, NEB.—National Republican League, July 13th to 15th.

DAVENPORT, IOWA—National Sangerfest, July 28th to 31st.

ROCK ISLAND, ILL.—National Encampment Union Veterans' Union, Aug. 9th to 14th.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—National Meet, League of American Wheelmen, Aug. 9th to 13th.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Grand Encampment Knights of Pythias, Aug. 22nd to 29th, and Supreme Grand Lodge Session, Aug. 30th to Sept. 10th.

CINCINNATI, OHIO—National Encampment G. A. R., Sept. 5th to 10th.

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