DROP ONE IN 14TH

Champs Fall Before Peoria, but Only After Making Heroic Resistance.

HOWARD AND WILDER CLASH

Biggest Crowd of the Season Sees Titanic Combat—Playing Double Header Today.

GAMES TOMORROW.
Rock Island at Springfield.
Cedar Rapids at Bloomington.
Dubuque at Peoria.
Clinton at Decatur.

Peoria, Ill., June 15.—Before the largest crowd of the season, swelled considerably by Woodmen in the city for the head camp, Howard and Wilder battled 14 innings in the first of what was to have been a double header yesterday, Peoria finally winning our by means of two well placed swats, 3 to 2. The struggle was one of the most magnificent ever witnessed here.

Howard was hit hard now and then and the Distillers were dangerous at several times after they had tied the score in the eighth. However, steady work by the visiting twirler and sensational fielding back of him pulled out of the tight holes time after time. The champs were doing little, meantime, with Wilder, who had been invincible after the fourth. Finally, in the 14th, after one was out, Raymond succeeded in breaking a hit through and stole second, the only time a Distiller was able to cut the mustard on Boucher during the fray. Rohn was up and he rapped his fourth hit out into left, and the deciding run was in.

Bunched In One Session.

Rock Island bunched them on Wilder in but one session, the fourth. Then Murphy, as usual, started in with a single and Cook followed with a ringer for it. The two conspired together, and a double steal resulted, and then Berger tore off a double that brought both in.

For Peoria, Lee walked in the first, Raymond sacrificed and Rohn and Landry singled, netting one run. In the eighth, a double by Raymond and a hit by Landry landed another.

The outfield was a sea of mud with little islands for the players to camp on. Today the teams are playing the double header that yesterday's long contest necessitated the postponement of. Score:

ROCK ISLAND.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Boucher, c	0	0	3	2	1
Novacek, 1b	0	1	18	0	0
Swalm, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Murphy, lf	1	2	5	0	0
Cook, 2b	1	1	6	4	0
Berger, ss	0	2	3	10	1
McBride, 3b	0	1	1	3	0
Dowers, cf	0	0	3	0	0
Howard, p	2	7*	40	23	2
Total	2	7*	40	23	2

PEORIA.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lee, rf	1	1	0	0	0
Raymond, ss	2	2	2	3	1
Rohn, 1b	0	4	10	1	1
Landry, lf	0	3	5	0	0
Donnelly, cf	0	0	5	0	0
Bewer, 3b	0	1	2	3	0
Lewee, 2b	0	3	5	2	0
Stark, c	0	0	12	1	0
Wilder, p	0	0	1	5	0
Total	3	14	42	15	2

*One out when winning run was made.

Peoria .....10000001000001—3
Rock Island..000020000000000—2

Stolen bases—Raymond, Murphy, Cook. Two base hits—Raymond, Rohn. Sacrifice hits—Raymond, Lewee, Stark (2). Double play—Lewee to Raymond to Rohn. Bases on balls—Off Wilder, 3; off Howard, 3. Struck out—By Wilder, 10; by Howard, 1. Wild pitch—Howard. Time—2:45. Umpire—Setley.

Two Hits Off Jacobsen.

Decatur, Ill., June 15.—In nine innings only 28 men actually faced Jacobsen, but he failed to record a shutout because of his wild throw to first. The visitors were able to record only two singles. Score:

CEDAR RAPIDS.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Davis, lf	0	0	2	0	0
McAndrews, 3b	0	0	1	2	0
Howard, 2b	0	0	2	1	0
Mullin, rf	0	0	0	0	1
Simon, c	1	1	2	1	0
Radabaugh, cf	0	0	2	0	2
Brown, 1b	0	1	14	1	0
Spencer, ss	0	0	1	2	0
Allen, p	0	0	0	6	0
Total	1	2	24	13	3

DECATUR	R.	H.	P.	A.	E
Crozier, cf	0	1	3	0	0
Hoffman, 3b	1	2	1	2	0
Wagner, lf	1	1	2	0	0
Jeffries, rf	2	2	0	0	0
Tennant, 1b	1	2	13	0	0
Prout, 2b	0	2	0	3	0
Barkwell, ss	0	2	3	1	0
Fisher, c	1	1	5	1	0
Jacobsen, p	1	2	0	4	1
Total	7	15	27	11	1

Cedar Rapids.....000000010—1
Decatur .....40010011*—7

Three base hit—Jeffries. Two base hits—Hoffman, Wagner. Sacrifice hits—Crozier (2). Bases on balls—Off Allen, 1; off Jacobsen, 1. Struck out—By Allen, 3; by Jacobsen, 4. Stolen bases—Prout, Jacobsen. Double play—Spencer to Howard. Time—1:35. Umpire—Jacobs.

Scharnweber Stars.

Springfield, Ill., June 15.—Springfield won a great game from Dubuque, 2 to 1. Scharnweber won and lost the game, his error being responsible for Dubuque's score, but his single sent home the winning run. Score:

SPRINGFIELD.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Herbert, 3b	0	0	1	3	0
Ruby, lf	0	1	1	0	0
Smith, 1b	1	1	12	5	1
McCarthy, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Cocash, cf	1	2	1	1	0
Hughes, 2b	0	1	5	5	0
Scharnweber, ss	0	2	4	1	1
Donovan, c	0	0	1	3	1
Grandy, p	0	0	2	3	1
Total	2	7	27	21	4

DUBUQUE.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Carr, ss	0	1	3	3	0
Genins, 2b	0	0	3	1	0
Plass, cf	0	2	1	0	0
Lejeune, lf	0	1	3	0	0
Vandine, 3b	0	0	0	2	0
T. O'Brien, 3b	0	1	6	0	0
Derringer, rf	0	2	2	0	0
M. O'Brien, c	0	0	7	2	0
Most, p	1	1	1	1	0
Total	1	8*	26	9	0

*Two out when winning run was scored.

Springfield .....000000002—2
Dubuque .....000000010—1

Stolen bases — Plass, Herbert, Scharnweber. Two base hits — T. O'Brien, Scharnweber, Cocash. Struck out—By Most, 7. Bases on balls—Off Most, 3; off Grandy, 2. Double plays—Hughes to Smith to Donovan; Cocash to Smith. Time—1:45. Umpire—McGreevy.

Divide the Honors.

Bloomington, Ill., June 15.—Bloomington and Clinton divided honors. The home team won the first by a great exhibition of batting, pounding out three runs in the ninth. Beck's home run, with two men on bases, was a feature. The second went to Clinton, Barker being wild, while Denny, an amateur who succeeded him in the fifth, also worked poorly. Score of the first game:

Bloomington .003004003—10 14 1
Clinton .....000004230— 9 10 0

Batteries—Salisbury, Davidson and Orendorf; Ray, Fleet and Nieman.

Second game—
Bloomington ..000012001—4 11 2
Clinton .....211011000—6 9 0

Batteries—Barker, Denny, Orendorf and Wilson; Lakaff and Smith.

CHAMPS AND BLOOMERS EVEN.

Saturday's Game Lost, Giving Each Team Two Out of Series.

The champs lost Saturday 4 to 1 through inability to bunch hits on Higgins, thus leaving Bloomington with honors even, each team having won two. Rock Island's single run was made on a pass to Swalm in the sixth, followed by singles by Murphy and Cook. Bloomington scored in the third on a hit by Orendorf, a sacrifice by Higgins, three bagger by Long and a wild pitch. In the seventh Dowers dropped Higgins' fly after a desperate chance, Syfert knocked out a triple and Melchoir's hit brought the second run. Score:

ROCK ISLAND	A.B.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Eng, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
Novacek, 1b	4	0	0	6	0	0
Swalm, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Murphy, lf	4	0	2	4	0	1
Cook, 2b	4	0	2	1	2	0
Berger, ss	4	0	1	4	3	0
McBride, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0
Dowers, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Scott, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Boucher, c	2	0	0	2	0	0
Total	36	1	8	24	9	1

BLOOMINGTON.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Long, rf	4	1	1	2	1	0
Syfert, 3b	4	1	1	2	0	1
Melchoir, 2b	4	0	2	0	2	1
Beck, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Conners, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Kuhn, 1b	2	0	0	11	1	0
Snyder, ss	4	0	1	1	4	0
Orendorf, c	3	1	1	8	0	0
Higgins, p	2	1	1	1	2	0
Total	31	4	8	27	10	2

Rock Island.....000001000—1
Bloomington .....00200020*—4

Three base hits—Long, Syfert, McBride. Sacrifice hits—Higgins. Bases on balls—Off Higgins, 1; off Scott, 2. Struck out—By Higgins, 6; by Scott, 4. Left on bases—Bloomington, 4; Rock Island, 7. Hit by pitched ball—Kuhn. Umpire—McFarland. Time—1.35.

Other Saturday Games.

At Decatur—
Dubuque 2 6 0
Decatur 0 4 2

Batteries — Companion and H. O'Brien; Bittrolff and Fisher.

Second game—
Dubuque 0 2 3
Decatur 2 7 1

Batteries — Companion and H. Brien; Lelivelt and Fisher.

At Springfield—
Springfield 4 8 1
Cedar Rapids.....0 1 2

Batteries — Railings, Steiger and Donovan; Radabaugh and Simon.

Second game—
Springfield 7 7 1
Cedar Rapids.....0 2 4

Batteries—Steiger and Donovan; Fox and Simon.

At Peoria—The game with Clinton was postponed on account of rain.

Squiblets.

Back in fifth place again.

Another extra inning game for the hard working Islanders.

Commenting on Saturday's game the Bloomington Bulletin says:

Eng got his finger in front of a hot one Saturday and was compelled to retire from the game.

There is a new leader in the percentage column today. Three straight wins by Springfield did it.

A number of real fans went to Peoria yesterday to pull for the champs. Though they did a good job they were at a disadvantage in point of numbers.

"Of several close decisions the forepart of the game Bloomington rather got the worst of it, but later on McFarland squared himself by the favorable decision at second."

Bloomington papers have been demanding a squeeze play for these several moons and Saturday one was attempted with Melchoir on third and Conners at the bat. Conners failed to hit the ball, Eng threw the runner out at third and the crowd hooted the manager.

The best news from Peoria yesterday is that the crowd was a record breaker. With thousands of Woodmen in the city all anxious to see the team from the head office city perform it is not to be wondered at. Rock Island also drew the largest crowd of the season at Peoria last year.

President Rosenfield has a letter from Manager Cook in which the latter for himself and the team thanks the head of the local association for his interest in the team and the encouragement given the boys. The manager speaks of the handicaps of the present trip, one of the chief ones being lack of hotel accommodations. When the team arrived at Peoria on the way down they found all hotels filled and took an interurban to Bloomington, where conditions were no better It was necessary to rustle out and find boarding houses in the early hours of the morning. The conditions at Peoria for the present engagement may be imagined with thousands of Woodmen in the city. It is a wonder the team has been able to play such consistent ball under the circumstances.

Peoria Herald-Transcript: It was estimated that there were at least 1,000 Woodmen from all parts of the country in the crowd. Some 200 were from Rock Island. And say, who ever said that the Rock Island fan was a knocker? If there was ever a team that was coached and encouraged during a battle in foreign parts the Rock Island team certainly had their share yesterday. All through the game the Islander supporters rooted vociferously, but they did it so nicely that even the most hardened Distiller supporter was forced to enter in with them in their jubilations at times. Cook endeavored to ring a heavy leaded "bunt" bat in the fourth, when he had been called upon for a sacrifice, but Starke noticed that it was splintered and called Setley's attention to it. Set ordered the pole out of the game, and then Cook singled with another willow, paving the way for two Islander runs. * * Boucher was fined $5 by Setley in the fifth, for interfering with Distillers when swinging at the ball. Setley had warned him previously.

Unofficial Three-Eye Batting Averages

Including Games of Wednesday, June 10, Ending the Sixth Week of the Season of 1908.

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.	Pct. L'st Week.
Bewer, 3b, Peoria	7	23	4	9	.391	.000
Grogan, cf, Clinton	6	11	1	4	.364	.000
Tennant, 1b, Decatur	33	123	12	42	.341	.319
Jeffries, rf, cf, Decatur	24	128	20	42	.329	.274
Smith, 1b, Springfield	29	109	22	32	.293	.279
Vandine, 3b, Dubuque	28	104	15	30	.288	.227
Donnelly, cf, Peoria	35	121	11	35	.288	.281
Howard, 2b, Cedar Rapids	28	109	9	31	.284	.282
Cocash, cf, Springfield	33	128	16	37	.282	.320
Scharnweber, ss, Springfield	31	113	19	31	.274	.305
Rohn, 1b, Peoria	35	135	16	37	.273	.262
Derringer, rf, Dubuque	28	85	8	23	.271	.247
H. O'Brien, c, Dubuque	29	89	11	24	.270	.273
Beck, rf, lf, Bloomington	33	131	14	35	.268	.269
Orendorff, rf, c, Bloomington	32	120	17	32	.267	.279
Lewee, ss, 3b, Peoria	34	114	11	30	.264	.261
Swalm, rf, Rock Island	27	106	10	28	.263	.285
Lejeune, cf, Dubuque	26	95	15	24	.253	.256
Boucher, c, Rock Island	6	24	4	6	.250	.000
Davis, lf, Cedar Rapids	28	108	15	27	.250	.200
Lee, rf, Peoria	26	102	14	25	.245	.268
Long, p, lf, Bloomington and Decatur	27	110	16	27	.245	.226
Ohland, lf, Clinton	28	111	11	27	.243	.228
Simon, c, Cedar Rapids	33	103	7	25	.243	.238
Carr, ss, Dubuque	29	111	15	27	.243	.256
Cook, 2b, Rock Island	30	112	16	27	.241	.228
Buelow, 1b, Clinton	31	117	7	28	.238	.245
Fox, p, Cedar Rapids	7	21	1	5	.238	.278
McCarthy, 1b, cf, rf, Springfield	30	115	12	27	.235	.263
Steiger, p, Springfield	12	30	3	7	.233	.222
Genins, 2b, Dubuque	28	95	14	22	.232	.228
Crozier, cf, Decatur	35	126	21	28	.222	.228
Hughes, 2b, Springfield	31	108	10	24	.222	.200
Wolfe, c, Peoria	29	96	8	21	.219	.211
Godwin, 3b, Bloomington	32	112	15	24	.214	.223
Novacek, 1b, Rock Island	21	70	3	5	.214	.250
Hoffman, 3b, Decatur	28	99	11	21	.212	.224
Dowers, cf, Rock Island	30	99	7	21	.212	.225
Henry, 2b, Peoria	13	52	4	11	.211	.234
Ruby, lf, Springfield	31	115	11	24	.209	.225
Raymond, ss, Peoria	35	139	9	29	.209	.218
Guerney, p, Dubuque	10	24	2	5	.208	.182
Wilson, c, Bloomington	27	87	8	18	.207	.203
Fisher, c, Decatur	21	68	4	14	.206	.219
Davidson, p, Bloomington	12	34	7	7	.206	.259
Conners, lf, Bloomington	10	39	1	8	.205	.182
Laughlin, cf, Cedar Rapids	28	114	11	23	.205	.176
Melchoir, 2b, Bloomington	33	123	10	25	.203	.211
Murphy, lf, Rock Island	30	114	21	33	.202	.267
Miller, cf, Dubuque	28	104	16	21	.202	.196
Baker, p, Clinton	8	25	2	5	.200	.208
Nieman, c, Clinton	20	55	1	11	.200	.176
Most, p, Dubuque	8	20	2	4	.200	.188
R. White, p, Decatur	5	14	0	1	.200	.000
Reitz, 3b, Clinton	32	101	5	20	.198	.194
Herbert, 3b, Springfield	33	126	18	25	.198	.234
Landry, lf, Peoria	34	137	12	27	.197	.191
McAndrews, 1b, Cedar Rapids	16	56	7	11	.196	.244
Berger, ss, Rock Island	30	102	6	20	.196	.221
McBride, 3b, Rock Island	30	102	7	20	.196	.209
Brown, 1b, Cedar Rapids	21	72	3	14	.194	.184
Lundin, p, Rock Island	7	21	5	4	.190	.286
Prout, 2b, Decatur	29	96	12	18	.188	.169
Kuhn, 1b, Bloomington	33	117	1	21	.179	.186
Wagner, lf, Decatur	35	136	15	24	.176	.186
Eng, c, Rock Island	22	74	6	13	.176	.154
T. O'Brien, 1b, Dubuque	27	97	6	17	.175	.198
Lelivelt, p Decatur	11	23	2	4	.174	.133
Thiery, rf, Clinton	32	116	11	20	.172	.125
Olis, c, Springfield	23	70	4	12	.170	.200
Donovan, c, Springfield	16	46	3	5	.169	.149
Nye, ss Clinton	18	57	4	8	.169	.125
Barkwell, rf, 2b, ss, Decatur	19	51	4	8	.157	.139
Radabaugh, p Cedar Rapids	8	26	2	4	.154	.174
Snyder, ss, Bloomington	32	107	10	16	.150	.142
Ronan, 2b, Clinton	21	75	6	11	.147	.125
Moon, 2b, Decatur	29	96	6	14	.146	.129
Keupper, p Peoria	6	14	1	2	.143	.182
Swalm, p, Decatur	6	14	0	2	.143	.182
Spencer, c, Cedar Rapids	28	92	10	13	.141	.123
Starke, c, Peoria	14	43	2	6	.139	.042
Wise, 2b, Peoria	19	59	7	7	.118	.125
Laudermilk, p, Decatur	12	28	0	3	.108	.042
Allen, p Cedar Rapids	7	20	1	2	.100	.125
Backoff, cf, Clinton	16	43	3	4	.091	.095
Crandall, ss, Cedar Rapids	15	56	2	5	.089	.102
Nelson, p, Peoria	10	34	2	3	.088	.069
Neal, p, Rock Island	7	24	0	2	.083	.055
Boyle, p, Peoria	6	12	3	1	.083	.000
Moore, p, Springfield	6	13	1	1	.077	.000
Fleet, p, Clinton	11	28	1	2	.071	.046
Miller, p, Dubuque	8	15	1	1	.067	.077
Smith, c, Clinton	17	42	8	7	.067	.133
Companion, p, Dubuque	13	32	1	2	.063	.067
Bittrolff, p, Decatur	14	33	3	2	.061	.034
Wilder, p, Peoria	11	34	2	7	.059	.179
White, rf, Peoria	12	35	2	2	.058	.029
Scott, p, Rock Island	9	20	1	1	.050	.050
Syfert, p, cf, ss, Bloomington	8	24	2	1	.042	.063
Owens, p, Springfield	6	15	2	-	.000	.000
Wilson, p, Rock Island	10	19	3	0	.000	.000
Stauffer, p, Clinton	8	17	0	0	.000	.000
Tevis, p Peoria	6	13	1	0	.000	.000

VETERAN OF RING

George Siler, Noted Referee and Authority on Pugilism, Passes Away.

HEART FAILURE THE CAUSE

Once a Leading Lightweight Boxer—Officiated in Many Famous Battles in His Time.

Chicago, June 15.—George Siler, the veteran referee and one of the best known authorities on boxing in the country, died Saturday night at 10:30 o'clock at his home, 786 Forty-sixth street, from an attack of the heart.

The original ailment struck the veteran as he was walking on Madison street, ready to depart to witness the Ketchel-Papke battle at Milwaukee.

The most heroic measures were used to prolong his life, which were successful for the time being.

Mr. Siler was 63 years old and early in his career was one of the best known lightweight boxers in the country. He had been connected with literary work for nearly 40 years, having handled a column on fistic lore even when he was actively engaged as referee. His work as third man in the ring soon brought him to the front, and he was generally recognized as one of the noted lights and authorities on the ring.

In Many Noted Battles.

Among the noted battles at which he presided may be mentioned the Corbett-Fitzsimmons bout for the heavyweight title at Carson City in 1897 and the match between Jeffries and Sharkey at Coney island after Jeffries won the title.

His last official appearance in the ring was a year ago, when he refereed a bout at the C. A. A. and gave the verdict to Jimmy Gardner over Jack Reed. He announced his plan of retiring soon after and was tendered a benefit by the sporting men of the city. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

PEORIA LAUNCH SHOWS SPEED

Adieu Averages Over 21 Miles Per Hour in Race.

Traveling at an average rate of 21 miles per hour up stream and return the Adieu won the endurance run under the auspices of the Peoria Boat club from Peoria to Henry and return Saturday. A furious storm with a heavy fall of rain marred the success of the contest to some extent.

ON THE DIAMOND

THREE-EYE LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Springfield	22	14	.611
Dubuque	21	14	.600
Decatur	21	18	.538
Peoria	20	18	.526
ROCK ISLAND	18	18	.500
Cedar Rapids	16	19	.457
Bloomington	16	24	.400
Clinton	14	23	.378

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	30	16	.652
Cincinnati	26	20	.565
Pittsburg	26	20	.565
New York	24	23	.511
Philadelphia	21	22	.488
Boston	22	25	.468
St. Louis	22	30	.423
Brooklyn	16	31	.340

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	29	20	.592
Cleveland	28	22	.560
St. Louis	28	23	.549
Detroit	26	24	.520
Philadelphia	24	26	.480
New York	23	25	.479
Boston	24	29	.453
Washington	18	31	.307

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	35	21	.625
Toledo	33	21	.611
Louisville	34	22	.607
Columbus	29	27	.518
Minneapolis	24	26	.489
Kansas City	24	31	.436
Milwaukee	24	31	.436
St Paul	15	39	.278

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

THREE-EYE LEAGUE.

Peoria, 3; Rock Island, 2 (14 innings).
Decatur, 7; Cedar Rapids, 1.
Springfield, 2; Dubuque, 1.
Bloomington, 10—4; Clinton, 9—6.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

No games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago, 5; New York, 4.
St. Louis, 4; Boston, 10.
Detroit, 3; Philadelphia, 5.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Milwaukee, 0—0; Indianapolis, 5—1.
Toledo, 3; Minneapolis, 4.
Louisville, 6; Kansas City, 5.
Columbus, 4; St. Paul, 1.

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

Evansville, 1; Zanesville, 7.
Dayton, 8; Grand Rapids, 0.
Terre Haute, 4; Wheeling, 1.
Fort Wayne, 5; South Bend, 3.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

Jacksonville, 0; Keokuk, 4.
Oskaloosa, 2; Waterloo, 0.
Ottumwa, 1—1; Kewanee, 4—3.
Quincy, 4—4; Burlington, 2—1.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Des Moines, 4; Lincoln, 5.
Omaha, 7—3; Pueblo, 1—2.
Sioux City, 7—5; Denver, 3—2.

RESULTS SATURDAY.

THREE-EYE LEAGUE.

Bloomington, 4; Rock Island, 1.
Decatur, 0—2; Dubuque, 2—0.
Springfield, 4—7; Cedar Rapids, 0—0.
Peoria-Clinton, rain.

ROCK ISLAND LOSES FIRST OF A PAIR

Peoria, Ill., June 15.—(Argus Special.)—Rock Island dropped the first game of the double header today. The score:

Rock Island.....0 6 2
Peoria 3 5 1

Batteries—Lundin and Boucher; Nelson and Stark.

With Ball Players

Hill has taken on William Nelson, a Springfield amateur, for a trial at third.

Bill Renzenbrink was released at Springfield after his pitching lost Friday's game for Cedar Rapids.

Springfield has recalled Catcher Johnstone from Taylorville. Fred Donovan is laid up with an injury.

Billy Robertson, the pitcher on whom Clinton based great hopes, has returned to his home in Ohio. He found that his arm was not in condition.

Carl Crandall has been farmed by Cedar Rapids to Kewanee. He is a brother of Otis, now with the New York Giants, and has the making of a ball player.

Frank Shaub drove the ball over the fence for a homer for Fond du Lac against Green Bay yesterday winning a 14-inning game. Frank is hitting some in the Wisconsin league.

The Decatur Review in its leading article on baseball yesterday advocates killing an umpire on the home grounds as a hint to officials that they must not be buffaloed by visiting teams.

Henry Kuepper and Jack Landry of the Peoria team were spilled into the Illinois river during a storm Saturday afternoon and were in the water three hours before they were rescued. It was a close squeak for them.

OUTCLASS LONG GROVE TEAM

Bennetts Defeat Iowans by One-Sided Score.

The Bennetts defeated the Long Grove, Iowa, team yesterday afternoon by the score of 8 to 3. The Long Grove team was outclassed. The battery for Long Grove was Zable, Greable and Madden. The lineup of the Bennetts: Andrews, lf; Evans, 2b; F. Melow, cf; Gstettenbauer, c; Black, 1b; Rhodes, p; Littig, ss; Peterson, 3b; A. Melow, rf.

Red Stars Again Win.

The Red Stars again defeated the Sixth street Stars at the Seventh street diamond yesterday afternoon, the score being 7 to 6. The battery for the winners was Leithner and Means and for the losers Sheehan and McDonald.

Greenbush Juniors in Action.

The Greenbush Junior team defeated the Mush Hills yesterday 7 to 6. Caulfield and Olson formed the battery for the winners and Beecher, Bledsoe and Rober for the losers.

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