SEASON OF NATIONAL ENDS

...go, Cardidate for Second Place, Lands in Third Position.

MEN MAKE VERY GOOD IMPRESSION

McLane and Moriarity, Who Play with Microbes Next Season, All Right in Field, but Weak with the Stick.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—The National league season ended today with a one-sided game, which Carney's wild pitching and ragged support donated most of Chicago's runs. The locals tried out a new catcher and third baseman, both making a good impression in fielding, but both were weak at the stick. Attendance, 6,900. Score:

CHICAGO.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	BOSTON.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Slagle, cf	2	2	3	0	1	Dexter, rf	0	0	1	0	0
McCarthy, rf	1	0	2	0	0	McCreery, cf	1	2	2	0	0
Chance, 1b	0	4	0	0	0	Abbatch, 1b	1	0	2	1	2
Evers, 2f	0	0	1	0	0	Conley, lf	0	0	4	0	0
Tinker, ss	1	0	0	1	0	Greminger, 2b	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, ss	0	0	1	2	0	Moran, c	1	1	0	2	0
McLean, c	0	0	7	1	1	Willis, 1b	0	0	11	0	1
Kling, 2b	2	3	4	2	0	Aubrey, ss	0	1	0	5	1
Briggs, 3b	1	0	2	4	0	Kaiser, p	0	1	2	4	0
Wicker, p	2	2	0	0	1						
Totals	10	11	27	7	3	Totals	3	7	24	12	4

Chicago	0	3	2	0	2	2	0	0	*—10
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0—3

Left on bases: Chicago, 11; Boston, 7. Two-base hits: Wicker, Evers. Sacrifice hit: Evers. Stolen bases: McCarthy, Chance (3), Slagel, Evers (2). Struck out: By Wicker, 6; by Carney, 8. First base on balls: Off Wicker, 1; off Carney, 7. Wild pitch: Carney. Hit by pitched ball: Abbatch. Time: 1:44. Umpire: O'Day.

Divide Last Games.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 27.—The base ball season ended here today with Cincinnati and Brooklyn breaking even in the double-header. Cincinnati outbatted Brooklyn in the first game, but their hits did not come at the right time. Suthoff was knocked out of the box and replaced by Ragan, and Fohl went in to catch him. The second game was called at the end of the fifth inning on account of darkness. Attendance, 3,500. Score, first game:

BROOKLYN.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	CINCINNATI.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Strang, 3b	1	4	0	0	1	Kerwin, lf	0	2	0	0	0
Sheckard, lf	1	1	6	0	0	Seymour, cf	0	3	4	0	0
Dobbs, cf	1	2	4	0	0	Dolan, rf	1	1	4	0	1
Doyle, 1b	0	1	8	0	1	Beckley, 1b	1	1	3	1	1
Dahlen, ss	1	2	2	2	0	Dexter, 2b	1	2	1	0	1
Gessler, rf	1	1	0	0	0	Daly, 3b	2	2	2	3	0
Jordan, 2b	2	1	1	1	1	Corcoran, ss	1	1	7	1	1
Jacklitch, c	2	2	4	1	1	Pietz, c	0	1	2	1	0
Reidy, p	0	0	0	0	0	Fohl, c	1	1	3	0	0
						Suthoff, p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	14	15	27	5	4	Ragan, p	0	1	1	1	0
						*Dolin	0	0	0	0	0
						Totals	7	13	27	11	4

*Batted for Suthoff in fifth.

Brooklyn	2	0	0	3	3	1	0	0	5	—14
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	4	—7

Two-base hits: Strang, Fohl, Corcoran. Three-base hits: Daly (2), Jacklitch. Sacrifice hits: Dobbs, Jordan. Home run: Jacklitch. Stolen base: Sheckard. Double play: Reidy to Doyle. First base on balls: Off Reidy, 1; off Suthoff, 4; off Ragan, 2. Hit by pitched ball: Doyle, Gessler, Kerwin, Daly. Struck out: By Reidy, 4; by Suthoff, 2; by Ragan, 3. Passed ball: Jacklitch. Left on bases: Cincinnati, 14; Brooklyn, 7. Time: 2:05. Umpire: Hurst.

Score, second game:

CINCINNATI.	R.	H.	O.	A.	J.	BROOKLYN.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kerwin, rf	1	1	2	1	0	Strang, 3b	0	0	0	0	0
Seymour, cf	1	3	1	0	0	Sheckard, lf	1	3	1	0	0
Dolan, rf	0	0	0	0	0	Dobbs, cf	1	0	2	0	0
Beckley, 1b	1	2	4	0	0	Doyle, 1b	1	2	4	0	0
Seymour, 2b	0	1	1	2	0	Dahlen, ss	2	1	1	4	1
Daly, 3b	0	1	2	2	0	Gessler, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Corcoran, ss	1	1	1	1	0	Jordan, 2b	0	1	2	1	0
Peitz, c	1	1	4	1	1	Ritter, c	1	1	2	0	0
Hahn, p	1	1	0	1	0	Thatcher, p	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	7	11	15	8	1	Totals	4	9	13	5	1

Cincinnati	0	2	1	1	4	0	0	2	*—7
Brooklyn	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	—6

Two-base hit: Kerwin. Three-base hits: Hahn, Dahlen. Home run: Corcoran. Stolen bases: Donlin, Dobbs, Doyle, Dahlen. First base on balls: Off Thatcher, 3; off Hahn, 2. Struck out: By Hahn, 3. Left on bases: Cincinnati, 3; Brooklyn, 3. Passed balls: Peitz. Wild pitch: Hahn. Time: 1:24. Umpire: Hurst.

Phillies Win and Lose.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27.—Eight thousand people saw the close of the pennant season here today. Philadelphia won the first by a score of 6 to 2. Jones, a local semi-professional, pitched for St. Louis and did well. In the second game Brown struck out nine of the Philadelphia players. Throughout he had them mystified and the St. Louis victory was largely due to his work. Smoot's hitting was the feature of the game, the big centerfielder making a home run, three bagger and a single out of four times at bat. Score, first game:

PHILADELPHIA.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	ST. LOUIS.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Barry, lf	0	0	1	0	0	Farrell, 3b	1	1	4	2	0
Lassen, cf	2	3	1	0	0	Dunleavy, rf	0	1	2	0	0
Wolverton, 3b	0	1	2	0	0	Smoot, cf	1	0	0	0	0
Titus, rf	0	2	3	0	0	Brain, ss	0	0	2	1	0
Douglas, 1b	1	2	11	0	0	Burke, 2b	0	2	1	1	0
Thallman, 2b	0	0	1	2	0	Barclay, lf	0	1	0	0	0
Hulswitt, ss	1	1	2	3	0	Ryan, 1b	0	1	10	0	0
Zimmer, c	0	0	4	1	0	Coveney, c	0	1	4	1	0
Fraser, p	0	0	0	4	1	Hines, p	0	0	1	0	0
						*M. O'Neill	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	6	10	27	13	1	**Hackett	0	0	0	0	0
						Totals	3	9	27	12	1

*Batted for Coveney in the ninth.
**Batted for Hines in the ninth.

Philadelphia	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	0—	6
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0—3

Earned runs: Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 2. Two-base hit: Hulswitt. Three-base hit: Titus. Home run: Brain. Sacrifice hits: Zimmer, Hulswitt. Double play: Brain to Ryan. Stolen bases: Farrell, Dunleavy, Hulswitt (2), Burke, O'Neill. Bases on balls: Off Hines, 6; off Fraser, 4. Struck out: By Fraser, 6; by Hines, 1. Left on bases: St. Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 9. Time: 1:53. Umpire: Moran.

Score, second game:

ST. LOUIS.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	PHILADELPHIA.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Farrell, 3b	1	1	4	4	0	Barry, lf	0	2	2	0	0
Dunleavy, rf	0	0	0	1	0	Lassen, cf	0	1	0	0	0
Smoot, cf	1	2	1	0	0	Wolverton, 3b	0	2	1	2	0
Brain, ss	0	0	2	3	1	Titus, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Burke, 2b	1	2	1	0	0	Douglas, 1b	0	0	12	1	0
Barclay, lf	0	2	1	0	0	Hallman, 2b	0	2	3	4	0
Ryan, 1b	0	2	8	0	0	Hulswitt, ss	0	2	2	0	0
O'Neill, c	1	1	12	3	0	Roth, c	1	1	1	2	0
Brown, p	1	1	0	1	0	McFettridge, p	0	0	0	0	0
						Fraser, cf	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	5	10	27	12	1	Totals	3	8	24	12	0

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	*—	5
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0—	3

Earned runs: St. Louis, 5; Philadelphia, 2. Two-base hits: Brown, Gleason, Hallman. Three-base hit: Smoot. Home run: Smoot. Sacrifice hits: Ryan, McFettridge. Stolen bases: Titus, Fraser. Bases on balls: Off McFettridge, 2; off Brown, 2. Struck out: By Brown, 9. Left on bases: St. Louis, 7; Philadelphia, 4. Time: 1:42. Umpire: Moran.

Standing of the Teams.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pr. Ct.
Pittsburg	140	91	49	.650
New York	139	94	35	.694
Chicago	138	82	56	.594
Cincinnati	139	74	65	.532
Brooklyn	136	70	66	.515
Boston	138	58	80	.421
Philadelphia	135	49	86	.363
St. Louis	137	43	94	.314

No games, season ended.

WIND UP WITH DOUBLE HEADER

Crescents and Jetters Break Even on Final Contest of the Season.

The Crescents and B. Jetters played two fast and snappy games of seven innings each yesterday afternoon. This wound up the season between the two teams. The feature of the games were the playing of Ackerman of the Jetters at short and pitching of Adams for the Crescents. Adams held the Brewers down to one scratch hit, establishing a record of the Tri-City league. His support was perfect, his team mates putting up first-class ball, which gave the Jetters a whitewash. Score, first game:

B. JETTERS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Mueller, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Ackerman, ss	4	1	1	1	1	1
Tonneman, c	4	1	1	0	1	0
McMahon, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	1
Jelen, p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Hatchen, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	0
Clark, 2b	3	0	0	2	1	0
E. Clark, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Smith, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Totals	29	5	6	16	6	2

CRESCENTS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Diamond, cf	2	1	0	2	1	0
Ryan, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Rodman, 2b	3	0	1	2	2	0
E. Roben, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Petersen, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	1
W. Roben, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	2
Hathaway, c	3	1	2	1	0	0
Adams, rf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Baker, p	3	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	28	2	7	15	8	3

B. Jetters	3	0	1	1	0	0	*	—5
Crescents	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2

Earned runs: Crescents, 1; B. Jetters, 2. Stolen bases: Hathaway (2), Ackerman. Two-base hits: Ryan, Baker, Adams, Smith. First base on balls: Off Jelen, 1. Struck out: By Baker, 3; by Jelen, 3.

Score, second game:

CRESCENTS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Diamond, cf	2	1	1	3	0	0
Ryan, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Rodman, 2b	2	0	1	2	1	0
Petersen, 1b	3	1	1	8	1	0
E. Roben, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Hathaway, c	3	0	1	0	0	0
W. Roben, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Adams, p	3	1	1	1	1	0
Baker, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	27	4	8	17	6	0

B. JETTERS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Mueller, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ackerman, ss	2	0	0	2	3	0
Tonneman, c	3	0	0	0	1	0
McMahon, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Jelen, p	2	0	0	0	3	1
Hatchen, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
Clark, 2b	2	0	0	4	4	0
E. Clark, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, cf	1	0	0	3	0	0
Totals	22	0	1	15	7	1

Crescents	3	0	1	0	0	0	*	—4
B. Jetters	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Earned runs: Crescents, 3. Double plays: Rodman (unassisted), Ackerman to Clark to Hatchen. Two-base hits: Ryan, Baker, Adams, W. Roben. Hit by pitched ball: Smith. Struck out: By Adams, 4; by Jelen, 2.

ORIGINALS WIN HITTING GAME

Clinch Their Claims for Leadership in the Tri-City League Race.

The Lee-Glass-Andreesen's Originals yesterday afternoon, at Vinton Street park, put a crimp in the aspirations of the Ideals in their fight for the pennant of the Tri-City league. There was a good attendance of admirers of the different clubs, and it was either team's game until the last man was out in the ninth inning.

The Originals were reinforced by their old-time players, Lawlor, Whitney and Welch, each one distinguishing himself by making a pair of safe hits.

With the exception of the sixth inning, Scully had the ideals at his mercy, while the hardware men hit Ballinger hard and frequently. The fast fielding of the Ideals saving the long boy from Nebraska City from total annihilation.

Scully had the better of the battle all the way through, striking out seven men and allowing eleven hits, with no bases on balls, against twelve hits off Ballinger and two bases on balls, with no strikeouts.

Scully's home run, together with his fast work on third base, was easily the feature of the game, while the fielding of Hofmann and Bowler of the Ideals was gilt-edged.

As the football season will start next Saturday at the Vinton Street park, the chances are that the double-header, scheduled for next Sunday will have to be cancelled. Attendance, 300. The score.

LEE-GLASS-ANDREESEN ORIGINALS.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kelly, 3b	5	1	1	1	2	1
Bradford, 1b	5	1	1	2	0	1
Welch, rf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, lf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Whitney, cf	5	1	2	1	0	2
Lawlor, ss	5	2	2	1	1	2
Foley, 1b	4	0	0	13	0	0
Creighton, c	4	0	1	5	2	0
Scully, p	4	2	1	1	9	0
Totals	40	11	12	27	14	6

IDEALS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Minnikus, 2b	5	2	3	3	1	1
Bowler, cf	5	1	2	5	1	0
Lynch, ss	5	1	0	3	2	1
Gibson, lf	5	1	2	3	0	0
Lewis, 1b	5	1	1	9	0	0
Hofmann, 3b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Campbell, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Coe, c	4	0	2	1	0	0
Ballinger, p	4	0	0	2	3	0
Totals	41	8	11	26*	13	2

*Bradford out—Hit by batted ball.

L.-G.-A. Originals	0	1	0	0	3	1	1	3	2—	11
Ideals	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	3—	8

Earned runs: Lee-Glass-Andreesen Originals, 6; Ideals, 3. Home runs: Kelly, Gibson. Three-base hits: Whitney, Bowler. Two-base hits: Welch, Miller, Coe. Struck out: By Scully, 7, bases on balls: Off Ballinger, 2. Hit by pitched ball: Hofmann. Left on bases, Lee-Glass-Andreesen Originals, 4; Ideals, 8. Stolen bases: Welch, Bowler, Whitney. Time: 1:45. Umpire: Kelly.

Soldiers Busy in the Seventh.

BLAIR, Neb., Sept. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—The soldiers of Fort Crook defeated the Blair boys today by a score of 17 to 8. Blair took the lead up to the seventh inning, but went up in the air while the soldiers ran in eight scores. Score by inning:

									R.	H.	E.
Soldiers	1	0	1	0	0	3	8	4	0—	17	9
Blair	1	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	2—	9	12

Batteries: Blair, W. Noyes, E. Noyes and Epling; Soldiers, Endoley and Kelly. Two-base hits: Congs, Kelly, Riggs (2), Fleming. Home runs: Endoley. Struck out: By W. Noyes, 7; by E. Noyes, 1; by Endoley, 2. Bases on balls: Off E. Noyes, 2. Hit by pitched ball: By W. Noyes, 2. Umpire: Miller.

Regents Beat Clerks.

The game between the Grocery Clerks and the Regents Sunday terminated in an exciting finish. The score stood 5 to 3 up to the first of the ninth, when the Regents took a batting rally and won by the score of 6 to 5. The batting of Hogan, Donahue and William Kill were the features. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Regents	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3—	6	13
Groc. Clerks	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0—	5	7

Batteries: Donohue, Clair, Hinton, Sullivan. Two-base hits: Claire, Inman, W. Kill, Hogan, Donahue, Harden, Hinton. Time: 1:35. Umpire: Lynch.

Umpire Kelly is Injured.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—While officiating in a post season game between the American association and Western league teams today Umpire Kelly of the Western league had his shoulder blade broken by a foul ball.

In the American League.

Games today—Chicago at Washington; St. Louis at Boston; Detroit at New York; Cleveland at Philadelphia.

STEWART WINS CLUB TROPHY

Walks Off with Golf Pennant by Defeating R. R. Kimball on Country Club Links.

A remarkable surprise was sprung yesterday afternoon at the Country club when J. T. Stewart won the golf championship of the club over R. R. Kimball, by a score of 2 up and 1 to play. Thirty-six holes were played in all, and when the players reached the twelfth hole, Kimball was 4 down. He had practically no show to win from this point, but on the fourteenth hole, when he came in even up with his opponent. After this the play began to go Stewart's way, and although it was close until the finish, Stewart won out by the score given.

The contest has been on at the Country club for the past week, and the enthusiasts have indulged in a great deal of speculation as to who was going to take the championship. Mr. Kimball had been picked as the possible winner by a majority of the followers, but he fell down on the finals. The heavy hair green made clean brassy shots rare yesterday, but Mr. Kimball made good distance with his wooden clubs.

Mr. Stewart's short game was weak, but just enough better to turn the trick. The weather was about the finest golfing weather of the season and a large crowd of enthusiasts was on hand to follow the players over the links and witness the contest.

Within the next two weeks the golfing season will have practically come to a close and the sport will be lingering in the lap of foot ball. Quite a number of the more enthusiastic will continue to play the game for several weeks yet, but there will be nothing in the way of contests to amount to anything. Arrangements are still on for a return match with Des Moines and St. Louis, but unless these are perfected it will be safe to call the season at an end. Judging from the poor showing made by the local golfers at the transmississippi tournament, it is a good prediction that they will make strenuous efforts to redeem themselves should another contest be arranged.

First day's play: J. P. Magee beat W. H. Lowe, 6 up and 5 to play; J. Reddy beat E. A. Cudahy, jr., 2 up and 1 to play; J. B. Rahm beat T. P. Hamilton, 6 up and 6 to play; E. M. Fairfield beat W. E. Martin 1 up; W. D. Bancker beat George Prichett 5 up and 4 to play; R. Burns beat W. H. McCord 3 up and 2 to play; T. R. Kimball beat E. H. Sprague 3 up and 1 to play; J. T. Stewart beat S. Heth 6 up and 4 to play; E. M. Morsman, jr., beat W. T. Burns 6 up and 4 to play; T. Haskell beat A. V. Kinsler by default.

Second day's play: J. Reddy beat J. P. Magee 3 up; E. M. Fairfield beat W. D. Bancker 4 up and 3 to play; R. R. Kimball beat R. Burns 4 up and 1 to play; J. T. Stewart beat T. R. Kimball 7 up and 6 to play; E. M. Morsman beat T. Haskell 4 up and 3 to play.

Third day's play: J. B. Rahm beat J. Reddy 4 up and 3 to play; R. R. Kimball beat E. M. Fairfield 5 up and 4 to play; J. T. Stewart beat E. M. Morsman 4 up and 3 to play.

Semi-final: R. R. Kimball beat J. B. Rahm 5 up and 3 to play.

Finals: J. T. Stewart beat R. R. Kimball 2 up and 1 to play.

Training for Golf Contest.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—The Woman's National golf tournament, which will open on the Chicago Golf club links at Wheaton, Ill., next Tuesday, to select a champion to succeed Mrs. Charles T. Stout, promises to be the keenest contest among women in the history of the game in the United States. Nearly all of the sixty-three players entered for the contest have arrived and are putting in hard work to get in shape for the tournament. The course is in excellent condition and the preliminary practice of the competitors indicates that several records will be smashed before the close of the tournament Saturday afternoon. Players from Pittsburg, Boston, Philadelphia and St. Louis, together with the local force, kept the links crowded all day and several spirited contests resulted. Despite a high wind, which made perfect golf an impossibility, low scores were the order of the day, and the course was covered by all the players in 100 or less. Mrs. Stout, the present champion, is unfortunately prevented from entering the tournament, as is also Mrs. A. E. Manice, champion of the Woman's Metropolitan Golf association of New York, but aside from these, the entry is representative of the entire country.

Fitzsimmons to Fight Again.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—At a conference held today at Bath Beach between Bob Fitzsimmons, William Pierce of Boston, manager for George Gardner, the light heavyweight champion of the world, and James C. Kennedy, representing the Yosemite club of San Francisco, Fitzsimmons and Gardner were matched to fight at the Yosemite club the latter part of November for the title held by Gardner. The contest will be for twenty rounds at 168 pounds, the men to weigh in at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the day of the battle. The purse will be divided, 75 per cent going to the winner and 25 per cent to the loser. Edward Graney of San Francisco was chosen as referee and forfeit holder. It was stated at the conference that Fitzsimmons will leave for San Francisco early in October and go into active training for the fight. Gardner, who is in Texas with a theatrical enterprise, will cancel this engagement and proceed to the coast as soon as possible.

Automobile Club Outing.

BOSTON, Sept. 27.—The members of the Automobile Club of America, who arrived Saturday from New York via Hartford, were the guests of the Massachusetts Automobile club at a reception and luncheon at the Massachusetts club today, and afterward made a three hours' run to Salisbury and points through the Revolutionary war battlegrounds. This evening the visitors entertained the local club's officers at dinner.

The return to New York will be begun at 9 a. m. tomorrow, if the weather permits. The run will be made by way of Springfield through the Berkshires to Poughkeepsie, Newburgh and down the west shore of the Hudson.

Lou Dillon Will Not Contest.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 27.—C. K. G. Billings, owner of Lou Dillon, has announced that she will not be allowed to go into a contest with another horse in a trial for supremacy. Mr. Billings says that Lou Dillon is only 5 years old and comparatively inexperienced and untrained. The mare will be shipped with the other members of the Billings string to Lexington on Wednesday, where she has two engagements. After the Lexington meeting Lou Dillon will be shipped to Memphis, where she is scheduled to go against the world's trotting record, a trial against time, which will probably be her last for this season. As at Lexington, two starts will be made at Memphis.

Foot Ball to Lily White.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 27.—At a meeting of the western branch Amateur Athletic union, today, it was decided that the amateur association should assume jurisdiction over football as well as other amateur sports, and that no semi-professionals should be recognized inany way. Three new athletic bodies, among them the Kansas City Athletic association, were admitted to membership today.

Convicted Murderer Confesses.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 27.—Peter Lemousky, who is doomed to die on the gallows on Tuesday morning in this city for the murder of Anthony Senneke, who was beaten to death with a hatchet in the Exeter mine in April, 1902, has made a confession admitting that he struck the blow which killed Senneke.

TALES TOLD BY TOURISTS

Claim Agent Relates How Swede Came to Time on Damages.

GAVE TO ROAD THAT KILLED HIS COW

Other Yarns Sprung by Travelers Who Lounge Around Hotel Lobbies During the Restful Sunday Hours.

A former claim agent and damage adjuster of the Northern Pacific railway, at a local hotel, told of one of his experiences in North Dakota. He was sent out to settle a claim presented by a Swede for the loss of a cow that had been run over by a special train, on which were a number of the big officials of the road.

"The security of our positions was largely gauged by the frictionless and economical manner in which we could settle these claims," said the agent. "There was a lot of them occurring and the drain on the claim department was no little figure. I reached the Swede's home and was authorized to settle for not to exceed $75. The cow was probably not worth $10, but the road wanted to make friends of the people along the line, and we did not object to paying about 1,000 per cent in excess of the real value of the stock killed. As soon as I told the Swede that I had come to settle the matter he seemed a trifle uneasy and I thought I was up against it hard. Finally I said to him that it was an extremely dangerous thing to permit his cows to run at large and get on the railway tracks, as they might derail a train and cause a number of passengers to be killed, and then he would have a big bill of damages to pay. The Swede conceded that all this was possible and intimated that he had not looked at it that way. He further stated that the cow was a foolish cow and that he had stoned her off the track lots of times and that he was sorry that she had caused the road so much trouble. I asked him about how much he thought we could settle for, thinking that I was going to get off on about a $50 proposition. He went out and consulted with his wife for a few moments and finally came back and handed me $5, saying that this was all the money they had and that he would watch his cows in the future.

"Did I accept the $5? Well, yes. I sent my report and resignation in with the $5.

"Did the road accept it? Yes, and what galled me worse, it accepted my resignation, too. But that's the way with a corporation, you never know when you are doing them a favor."

"I had a neighbor over in Illinois a good many years ago," said Henry Martin of Decatur, at the Paxton, "that was a horse doctor, and his wife was one of those nervous, fidgity women that are always ready to be offended and have a good cry over any apparent lack of appreciation their husbands may have of them. Doc Rose thought the world and all of his wife and wouldn't intentionally offend her for the world. Ella, that was her name, on one occasion made Doc a 'robe de nuit' and she had spent considerable time on it. When Doc tried it on he found that it was materially deficient in length and said to her: 'It is all right, Ella, except that you have not made it long enough.' Mrs. Rose was mad in a minute and snapped out at him: 'Well, I can tell you one thing Doctor Rose, and that is it will be long enough before I make you another one.' And she went off and had a good cry. There was a very good double entendre in the way she put it, and it tickled Dr. Rose immensely. He came down town and told of the incident, but he got the story somewhat mixed, and in telling it stated that she had said: 'It will be a long while before she would make me another one.' Doc's auditors rather sympathized with the wife and observed that they saw nothing very funny or remarkable in the story. Poor Doc never could get the story just right, though he tried it a dozen times, and finally consoled himself that it was funny the way his wife put it, but his friends couldn't appreciate a good double entendre."

"Over at Jefferson City some years ago I was stopping at a hotel liberally patronized by legislators, and among them was an old fellow from down in the Pilot Knob section," said Ed Waddell, a Missouri commercial pilgrim. "This old chap sat at the same table with me and he was dead stuck on some small red peppers in a bottle, and asked me if they were good. I told him they were, except that they might be a trifle warm. 'The hotter the better,' said he, and he dived into the bottle and took out three or four of them and soused them into his mouth. Tears soon began to come in his eyes and he stood it as long as he could, and spitting them out into his two hands he laid them beside his plate, remarking as he did so, 'Now you pesky little things, lay thar and cool, will ye.'"

"There used to be some thirty-five or forty years ago," said an old veteran of the plains of the '60's, "a paymaster who is still in the service I believe. He was a little fellow, scarcely five feet tall, but he felt himself to be an eight-footer. He was very pompous and had a great estimate of his own importance. On one occasion he was sent out to pay off some troops at a frontier post and was travelling in an ambulance with a big cavalry escort. At one point on the road up near O'Fallon's Bluffs, his outfit overtook a mule team, and as the road was pretty heavy, the mule team was travelling slowly through the sand. Major ——, the paymaster, sent an orderly forward and pompously directed that the mule team pull out to the side of the road to let the major and his escort pass. The teamster was not in the best of humor, and sent word back to the major to go to the devil. The major was afire with indignation in an instant, and mounting, rode forward on his horse and asked the teamster if he was the one that sent back that impertinent message.

"I guess I was."

"Blame you, sir. Do you know who I am. I am Major —— of the army, sir, Major ——, sir."

The teamster surveyed the irate major for a moment, and was evidently intensely amused at his insignificant stature, and said to him:

"Major —— of the army, sir, if you feel around here about two minutes longer, I'll catch you and feed you to my puppy, sir."

"The best scriptural students sometimes get a biblical quotation wrong," said E. M. Sawyer at the Ilex Grand. "And the strange part of it is the quotations at times happen to be some of the best known in holy writ. I know of a case happening in North Carolina a few years ago, where an old Baptist deacon nearly had a fit and lost $50 in addition by being called down on a quotation that he always thought that he had down pat. And it was a common hotel beat that stumped him, too. The beat in question had got behind in his board bill about $70 and he saw no way of squaring it except to work the old deacon who ran the hotel. He asked the landlord if he could quote the reference to the weapon with which Samson smote the Philistines. The deacon landlord said that he could. The questioner agreed to bet his delinquent board bill that the old deacon couldn't quote it just as it was in the bible. The bet was taken and the deacon triumphantly quoted the stereotyped phrase: 'And Samson took the jaw bone of an ass and slew a thousand Philistines therewith.'

"'You are dead wrong. It wasn't that kind of a jaw bone at all.'

"The deacon became wroth and wanted to increase the bet that he was right, as he had read the verse a thousand or more times.

"'No,' continued the star boarder, 'You are away off. It was the new jaw bone of an ass that he did the work with.