

**SPORT IN UNION CITY
ON THE BASEBALL FIELD**

**Old Timers and Many New Ones
Turned to Fans.**

Not since the days of Manager Watta and his big league miners have the fans had such a time as they are now having in Union City. Some of the quondam sports are still here, and it is a hard squeeze if they miss a game. If you are pressed to answer to the best of your knowledge and belief it is probable that the charges against Harry Robinson for making the biggest noise would be sustained. Harry loves his wife, of course, but next he loves the game, and he will take a chance any day when there are two out on the home side and three men on. But it must be said to his credit that the game must be a good one. He knows baseball. He ought to, for he has been a subscriber to the St. Louis Republic and reading the baseball dope for approximately fifty years.

And then there is Henry Stanfield. All the old timers remember Henry. He was here in the heyday, when such lights as Geo. LeFils (now numbered with the absent ones), Walden and Sam Woosley, Frank and Will Watts, Max Lane, Jack Verhine, Jake Levy, Dave Lowenheim and others wore the Harry Robinson brand of clothes and used baseball slang while Officer Sam Bratton was trying to keep them behind ropes. It wasn't on account of the jokes, nor yet the baseball repartee, but the umpire couldn't tell a foul from a fair ball while they were crowding the diamond where they could see the ladies. Henry was there with something to say and a smile like spreading sorghum. He was a member in good standing. He was entitled to it. And from the Troy bunch, erstwhile pitcher "Bilby" Smith can now be seen looking on and thinking of the days of early baseball in Union City. He was a Vanderbilt ball player, when Judge Cochran was the catcher, and afterwards divided time with Hunt in the box for Union City. They all go to the game. They can't help it. Misery loves company and why not fans.

But taking a leap to the games that are now being staged by Watts and DeGraffenreid. The Brownsville combination was here last week for three games. The first game was a loss to the visitors of 12 to 7, with Rawlings, Davis, Douglas, Bradford, Tanner, Howell, Covington, Bacher, Gillespie, the latter in the box. Our line up was Mesplay, Payne, Mercer, Maynard, Berry, Fentress, Lind, Shaw, Rankin. Rankin and Morrow pitched. The second game, Friday, the score was 8 to 7 in Union City's favor. The game was a much better one. The visitors were in better shape and the crowd enjoyed the game. The third game with Brownsville on Saturday resulted in a score of 7 to 4 in favor of Union City. It was not a feature game, but some good work was done.

Monday the Union City-Humboldt series opened with the following entries: Humboldt—E. Jones, Pigue, Elliott, I. Jones, Butler, Ball, Peck, Wilmatz, Hicks; Union City—Mesplay, Hawes, Mercer, Maynard, Johnson, Fentress, Hurt, Shaw, Morrow.

In one of the fastest games ever played on the local diamond Union City defeated Humboldt in the first game of the series by the score of 6 to 4. Johnson, for Union City, practically sewed the game up in the first inning by hitting for four bases with two men on. Humboldt made two more runs in the first half of the ninth inning and the third out was made with two men on.

Score—R.H.E. Union City...3 0 1 0 0 2 0 0—6 9 3 Humboldt...0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2—4 9 2 Batteries—Hicks and Peck; Morrow and Shaw. Umpires—Head and Adams.

Union City took another game from Humboldt Tuesday with a score of 4 to 3. Sinclair was the star performer of this game. Passing the first inning, in which Humboldt made her runs, the pitcher struck out thirteen men.

Maynard also featured with his hitting and fielding. This, the ninth straight winning is the standing of the home team.

Score—R.H.E. Humboldt...3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 2 Union City...3 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—4 13 2 Batteries—Ferguson and Elliott; Sinclair and Shaw. Umpires—Head and Adams.

By hitting Woods Freely throughout the game Humboldt took the last of the series from Union City by the score of 8 to 3. Hendee pitched good ball for Humboldt, and both he and Elliott featured with their batting.

Score—R.H.E. Humboldt...0 1 3 0 0 0 2 2—8 14 1 Union City...0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1—3 7 4 Batteries—Hendee and Elliott; Woods

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HITS AND RUNS.

Covington, catcher for Brownsville, is one of the best all-round players seen on the home grounds this season.

The Brownsville boys are gentlemen and made many friends here.

Chink Berry, signed early in the season from Caruthersville, was excused from the park Friday. He had a sour disposition, and has been traded to Tip-tonville. Plays good ball, but the fuss he makes is unbearable.

Morrow pitched a faultless game Monday. He had them from the start.

Senter Rainey knows baseball. He thinks Ump. Head gave him the worst of it Tuesday. You can't win without swatting the pill, boy.

Elliott, of Martin, who was with Humboldt, is one of the best players on the circuit. No fuss and feathers, but plays ball. Hawes, Mesplay, McConnell, Fentress and Shaw, of the locals, also belong to this class.

Shaw never gets excited. He fills any position and fills it full.

In Mercer, Watts has a star first socker. He can't talk, but he can bat.

Mr. "Lind," the side-wheeler, has been farmed-out to East St. Louis. He never lost a game. Throws hard and knocks a bootlegger every pop.

Nicks and Ferguson can throw some, but Union City is still looking for the fellow who can make Webe Hawes put down the ashwood. It's an undone stunt on the local field.

Leslie Johnson lent a helping hand Monday. He rapped the longest one ever seen leave the park. That swat crippled Nicks for life.

Pigue, the Fulton printer, is one fine squabbler, and no mistake.

Reunion.

Members of the family were entertained at the home of W. R. Pace on Grove street in the city last week in annual reunion, the anniversary of the death of Mr. Pace's father, fourteen years ago. Among the number present were Dr. Robt. W. Pace and son, of Pleasantville, Tenn.; J. P. Pace, wife and children, of Cude, Miss.; H. M. Pace, wife and children and Mrs. Ollie Flowers, of Millington, Tenn.; Miss Eva Pace, of Cleveland, Ohio; W. R. Bowen and family, of Jordan, Ky.; R. Shipp, wife and son, of Rives, and Tillman Shipp and mother, of Maple Grove near Union City. An elaborate dinner and amemorable day were enjoyed.

Business Change.

T. R. Meadow, of this city, has bought out practically all the shareholders of the Ligon Furniture Co. in that business on the corner of First and Church streets, now under the care of Mr. Charley Naylor. There will be a reorganization under the new ownership, and the name and style of business will be entirely changed. Mr. Meadow owns 153 out of 155 shares. Mr. Meadow is one of our best citizens and business men and we offer congratulations and kind offices.

Well Curbing.

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**JUDGE SAM C. WILLIAMS
DEFEATS ROBERT BURROW**

The Official Figures Re-elect Williams by 1,935 Majority.

Nashville, Aug. 11.—Complete or official figures on the hot race between Sam C. Williams and Robert Burrow for the remainder of the unexpired term of United States Senator John K. Shields on the State supreme bench show Williams elected by 1,935 votes.

In Memory.

On the morning of July 16, 1914, Mrs. Ann Alexander Freeman departed this life and entered that bright home above where pain and death can never enter. She had not seen a well day for a long time, although she never murmured or complained. When friends and neighbors would gather in to see her she always welcomed them with that sweet smile, and when asked how she was would always say, "Getting along as well as could be expected."

She was a member of the Christian Church, her membership being at Berea, where the funeral services were conducted by Elder John R. Williams. While they sang consoling hymns, friends and relatives gazed for the last time on the sweet face of the dear friend and neighbor, mother and wife. Oh, how hard it is to give up one so good and kind, but God loves best, his will be done, not ours. Mrs. Freeman was a friend to everybody. The writer has been in her home almost every day for the past three years, and I can truthfully say her examples can be safely followed. So, dear children, live as mother has, and when your life work is ended you can say as your mother did, you are ready to go and not afraid of death. What a consolation it is to know she has gone to rest. She is not dead, but sleeping.

Dear friend, she has left us,
And our loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that has bereft us—
He can all our sorrows heal.

Precious darling; she has left us,
Left us, yes, forevermore,
But we hope to meet our dear one
On that bright and happy shore.

Lonely the house and sad the hours
Since our dear one has gone,
But Oh, a brighter home than ours
In Heaven is now her own.

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

'Tis hard to break the tender cord
When love has found the heart,
'Tis hard, so hard, to speak the words:
We must forever part.

Farewell, dear, but not forever,
There shall be a glorious dawn,
We shall meet to part no more
On that resurrection morn.

Dearest loved one, we must say thee
In the peaceful grave's embrace,
But thy memory will be cherished
'Til we see thy heavenly face.

ONE WHO LOVED HER.

Constables Elected.

District No. 1, Sim Weaver; 2, C. L. Harris; 3, C. B. Haskins; 4, W. B. Holloway; 5, Jno. W. Deen; 6, J. Lee Hughes; 7, Broek Hogan; 8, Elbert Tilghman; 9, John Jackson; 10, A. E. Ratliff; 11, F. C. Hart; 12, J. L. Littleton; 14, D. S. Woods; 16, J. C. Smith.

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Death of Mrs. J. E. Garth.

Mrs. Jennie E. (Campbell) Garth was born at Ashport, on the Mississippi River near Ripley, Tenn., on July 15, 1841. Moved with her father's family to near Paducah, Ky., in 1859. Joined the Presbyterian Church in 1860, on or about that date.

She was married to Robert Garth on Nov. 7, 1865. She was the mother of six children, one still born. Her oldest son, Robert Campbell, died on June 29, 1903. She is survived by her husband and four children—Mrs. J. E. Ramsey, of Fort Wayne, Ind.; Rev. John G. Garth, of Hickory, N. C.; Thomas R. Garth, of Farmville, Va., and Albert Lee Garth, of this city.

She was a virtuous woman, as Solomon says, whose price is above rubies. She discharged all her obligations as wife and mother—as ever in the sight of her Maker, the Lord Jesus, whom she loved and served faithfully all her days—devotedly attached to her dear children as they have ever been to her, seeking not only their temporal but their eternal well being. Under her inspiration they are all found following in her footsteps, walking in God's paths. Her husband and children arise up and call her blessed. "Many daughters have done virtuous things but thou excellest them all." They feel that they are richly endowed with the inheritance which she has bequeathed them and are resolved by God's grace that they will meet her in Heaven, where she now is in one of the many mansions in her Father's house. They hear their Saviour's voice beckoning, "Let not your heart be troubled. Ye believe in God, believe also in Me." In my Father's house there are many mansions; if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you, and if I go away I will come again and receive you unto Myself, that where I am there ye may be also. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him;" so that we sorrow not concerning our dear one who has gone, nor weep as those who have no hope, but rest in the blessed assurance that we will meet our well beloved in the Home above and there will be no parting there.

Mother Garth died at 4 o'clock a. m. Aug. 10, 1914, aged 73 years and 25 days.

Services were held Wednesday afternoon at the residence on North Ury street, conducted by Rev. J. R. Oliver, and the remains were taken to East View for interment. The pall bearers were R. P. Whitesell, Seid Waddell, F. J. Smith, Walter Howell, J. L. Cochran, J. R. Lancaster.

Beautiful China wedding presents—Dietzel.

A call for 150 brings the coal wagon. Union City Ice & Coal Co.

Up-To-Now Phones

F. E. Quinn, J. A. Wheeler and O. T. Pickard, who have been engaged in the circulation of the petition to the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company, requesting them to change out the "turn the crank" magneto to the up-to-date "flashlight" or common battery telephone system, report almost unanimous approval of the subscribers to the Union City exchange.

It is only necessary to secure the signature of 50 or 60 of the subscribers now to assure the success of the undertaking.

When installed the "flashlight" system means the most improved and up-to-date system, now in use by the larger cities of the country, and means a great deal to the town in the way of public improvements.

No doubt the committee having this work in charge will complete their labors this week, thus assuring to Union City the improved service at a very small increase in cost.

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Death of Annie C. Alexander.

The little six-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Alexander, who live three miles west of Hornbeak, died July 30 and was laid to rest at Antioch the following day. Rev. Kuykendall conducted the funeral.

Little Annie Catherine was sick about six weeks and all that medical skill and loving hands could do was done, but God knows best; His will be done, not ours—and its spirit is now in that haven of rest where there is no pain, no sorrow, no suffering.

We bid the grier-stricken parents to look to God, who alone can comfort them in this sad hour.

GRANDMOTHER.

Card of Thanks.

To the many friends and neighbors who have extended so many kindnesses to our dear wife and mother who has just gone from us, and to us, who are left in loneliness and grief, we desire to tender our heartfelt thanks. God will repay you, we never can.

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