

LOCAL AND GENERAL SPORTS

CHANCE OF WINNING
IS PUT TO FLIGHTPennant Opportunities Mangled Beyond Recognition
By Kokomo Bunch.

"FISH" DID THE BUSINESS.

HURLED THE BALL, THE GAME AND THE HOPES OF THE FAITHFUL INTO THE BLEACHERS IN ONE FELL SWOOP.

I.O. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Decatur	26	17	.605
Portland	24	19	.558
Richmond	23	20	.535
Kokomo	21	22	.488
Bluffton	19	24	.442
Van Wert	15	24	.355

Games Saturday.

Portland at Richmond.
Van Wert at Kokomo.
Bluffton at Decatur.

Results Thursday.

Kokomo, 4; Richmond, 3.
Decatur, 6; Van Wert, 4.
Portland, 9; Bluffton, 5.

(By Tort.)

KOKOMO 4; RICHMOND 3.

Whatever chance we had of winning that pennant rag was mangled beyond the recognition of the most ardent bug Thursday afternoon. The mangling was performed by Mr. Morris' collection of trained Kokomo Wildcats. At the close of the game the small band of faithful wended supperward, sad and disheartened. Up to the eighth inning it looked as though each one of these faithful would at the close of the game rush to his fireside circle and be the life of the family. As it was they were probably sharp with the children and sassy to mother. The game left a sour taste in our mouths. It was handed to Kokomo on gold platter surrounded with watercress. Up to the eighth the locals led the visitors by a score of 3 to 2, thanks to excellent pitching on the part of young Mr. Cole. Then came the eighth and brought with it generous impulses to Messrs. Ritter, Fisher and Hicks. After Mr. Ritter had allowed the score to be tied by failing to throw Stout out at the plate on a Texas league hit by Kik, the human gnat, Mr. Fisher was overcome by his kindly emotions and hurled the game into the first base bleachers. The game while enroute to this section of the yard might have been stopped by Hicks had he stretched himself a few inches. Hicks became sun dazzled, however and allowed the contest to travel to its journey's end without interruption. While the ball nestled in the bleachers the Human Gnat romped over the pan with the winning tally.

All in One Fell Swoop.

The heart breaking part of Fisher's eruption was the fact that two men were down at the time and that after he had fielded the ball standing on the bag all he would have had to do to catch Kik was to reach out and tab him. Possibly Tacks was unable to see the Human Gnat—it is at least charity to say so—for he hurled the ball, the game and the hopes of the faithful into the bleachers all in one fell swoop.

In the kickoff Kokomo made two runs. The locals came back with one run, the result of a fielder's choice for Jessup and a scorching two bagger for Weaver, who batted like a fiend throughout the game. In the third the locals tied the score. Jessup doubled to center and counted on Weaver's beautiful single to right. In the sixth the locals took the lead thanks to the much in evidence Weaver, who got to first by beating out a beautiful bunt. Weaver stole second, went to third on a passed ball and counted on Carlin's out at first. In the eighth the Wildcats accepted our generous offer of the game. Cole hit Stout, who was advanced to third on outs and scored under Kik's Texas leaguer. Kik was allowed to score on Fisher's misplay. Score:

RICHMOND.	A. B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Ritter, M.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Jessup, c.	4	2	1	5	1	0
Weaver, cf.	3	1	3	3	0	0
Carlin, ss.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Hicks, 1b.	4	0	0	11	0	1
Minzler, 2b.	4	0	2	2	4	1
Gardner, rf.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Fisher, 3b.	3	0	1	2	2	0

CLIP THE BALLOT.

Clip the ballot below, fill it in properly and send it to the Palladium and Sun-Telegram office. The contest will run until September 14, 1907.

PALLADIUM AND SUN-TELEGRAM

Pony and Cart Voting Contest
(ONE VOTE COUPON)

This Ballot is cast for

Carrier boys are not permitted to receive ballots from the patrons. Fill in the ballot, mail or bring it to the Palladium and Sun-Telegram office, before the expiration of the above date, otherwise it cannot be considered. A new ballot will appear daily.

THE BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	94	38	.712
Pittsburg	76	53	.589
New York	76	54	.585
Philadelphia	68	58	.540
Brooklyn	60	62	.492
Cincinnati	55	76	.419
Boston	49	78	.386
St. Louis	40	91	.305

Thursday's Results.

Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 1.
Boston, 3; Philadelphia 2 (first game.)

Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 2; (second game; 11 innings.)

New York, 5; Brooklyn, 0.

AMERICAN ASSN. STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Columbus	88	62	.587
Toledo	86	64	.573
Minneapolis	76	72	.513
Louisville	75	75	.500
Kansas City	73	76	.490
Indianapolis	72	78	.480
Milwaukee	70	78	.473
St. Paul	58	93	.385

Thursday's Results.

Columbus, 4; Indianapolis, 2.
Louisville, 3; Toledo, 2.

Milwaukee, 8; Minneapolis, 6 (first game.)

Minneapolis, 2; Milwaukee, 1, (second game.)

Kansas City, 9; St. Paul, 5; (first game.)

Kansas City, 7; St. Paul, 4; (second game.)

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	78	50	.609
Detroit	76	50	.603
Chicago	78	53	.592
Cleveland	74	55	.574
New York	61	69	.469
Boston	58	74	.430
St. Louis	51	76	.402
Washington	39	88	.307

Thursday's Results.

Philadelphia, 7; Boston, 1.
Washington, 2; New York, 0.

Cleveland, 3; Detroit, 2; (first game; 10 innings.)

Cleveland, 2; Detroit 2; (second game; 8 innings; darkness.)

Chicago, 3; St. Louis, 2.

CENTRAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Springfield	82	48	.631
Wheeling	76	54	.585
Canton	67	62	.519
Evansville	66	66	.500
Terre Haute	63	66	.471
Dayton	65	73	.471
Grand Rapids	58	78	.427
South Bend	52	84	.382

Thursday's Results.

South Bend, 4; Evansville, 2.

Grand Rapids, 6; Terre Haute, 2 (first game.)

Grand Rapids, 5; Terre Haute, 2 (second game.)

Springfield, 5; Canton, 4.

Wheeling, 6; Dayton, 3.

Have you noticed the improved service to Chicago via the C. C. & L? Through sleeper leaves Richmond at 11:15 P. M. daily, arrives in Chicago at 7:00 A. M. Try it. apr6-ff

School shoes at Humpey's. 12-2t

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Chicago Cubs Have Gathered in Men From Minor Leagues.

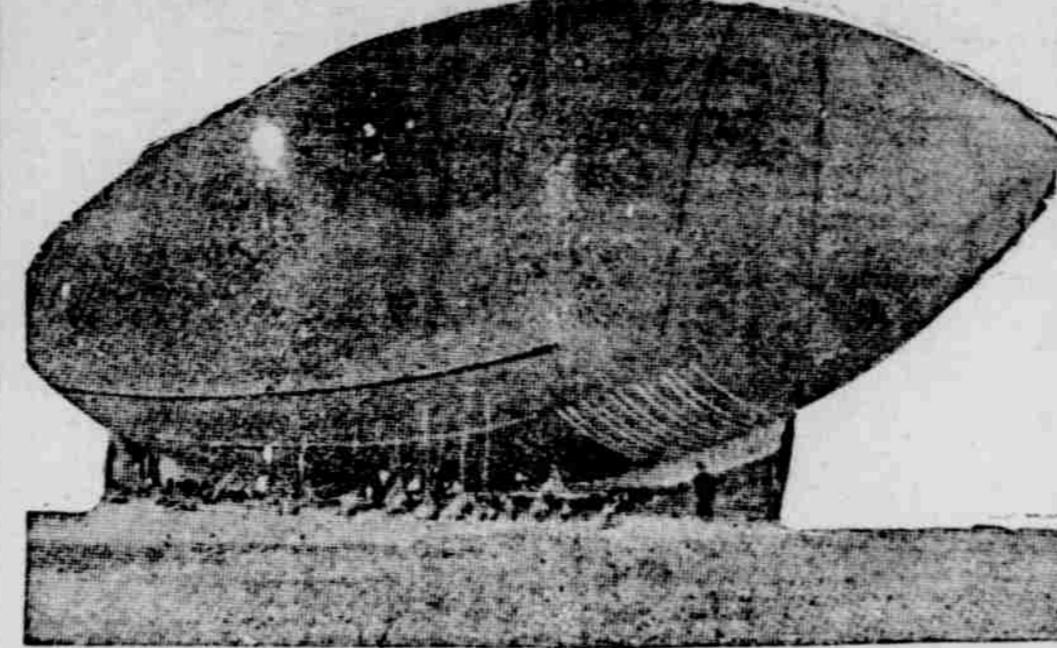
Chicago, Sept. 13—Three new players have been added to the Chicago National League team. They are Martin Walsh, a pitcher from Danville, Va.; Arthur Evans, a catcher from Lynchburg, Va., and Curtis Elston, an outfielder from Lancaster, O. Walsh is a brother of Ed Walsh of the Chicago American League team.

C. C. & L ticket agent will sell you sleeping car tickets to Chicago for their 11:15 P. M. train. Call on him. apr6-ff

Humpey's school shoes wear. 12-2t

Yellow and black pearls are in demand in Europe.

WIND PROVED TO BE WELLMAN'S UNDOING.



Walter Wellman's balloon, the travel in the direction desired by Mr. Wellman therefore the explorer's voyage was delayed.

WORLD'S RECORD IS BROKEN AT CAPITAL

PROFESSIONALS WILL MEET IN GOLF MATCH

Kentucky Todd Champion for His Age and Sex.

DAYTON COUNTRY CLUB COMES HERE SATURDAY.

REUTER AGAINST NICOL.

GIVEN A ROYAL WELCOME.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 13.—A world's record for the 3-year-old stallions furnished a brilliant climax of a long and good day's sport at the state fair yesterday. Kentucky Todd, winner of the world's champion for his age and sex when he trotted the second and final heat of the stake in 2:00, reducing the former record made by General Watts, at Readville, Mass., three weeks ago by a quarter of a second. It was the greatest exhibition of colt trotting the world has ever seen.

Kentucky Todd received a royal welcome when he came out on the track.

Apparently everybody recognized the Canadian-owned, Kentucky-bred youngster and was familiar with the fact that he had won the Kentucky Futurity for 2-year-old trotters, taking a record in that race of 2:14 1/4.

ORGANIZE A BASEBALL TEAM.

Lynn, Ind., Sept. 13.—A high school baseball team has been organized and has chosen Herbert Johnson as manager and Herbert Jones as captain. A fast team is expected as there is plenty of good material in the school. Two evenings a week have been allotted for practice.

GOOD REPORTS ARE MADE.

Milton, Ind., Sept. 13.—The Ladies' Cemetery association had a meeting this week and good reports were given of work done. They announce a beau supper for Hallowe'en.

ENTERTAINED THE W. F. M. S.

Milton, Ind., Sept. 13.—Mrs. L. F. Lantz entertained the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church this afternoon. An interesting program was given.

ELECTED ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

Milton, Ind., Sept. 13.—Miss Eva St. Clair has been elected assistant superintendent of the M. E. church in place of Fred Lantz, who moved to Pendleton.

LADIES WORKING ON QUILT.

Hagerstown, Ind., Sept. 13.—The members of the M. E. church met with Mrs. J. B. Williams Thursday afternoon where they had a quilt in frames.