

DECATUR WINS PENNANT--RICHMOND LOST TO PORTLAND

LAST GAME IS LOST TO PORTLAND BOYS

Fourteen Inning Contest Which The Visitors Had No License to Win.

CARLIN'S ERROR DID IT.

LET A FLY GET AWAY THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN A THIRD OUT, PREVENTING THE LONG HIT BY PARKER.

(By Tort.) Portland, 6; Richmond, 4.

Richmond lost the final game of the season Sunday afternoon at Athletic park, the Portland boys taking a fourteen inning thriller by a score of 6 to 4. The game was hard fought from start to finish and the visitors had no license to win.

Both teams hit the ball hard, twenty-two hits for a total of thirty-six bases being made. Fleming was in the box for the locals, and although he was hit hard he kept the visitors well in hand and would have won his game but for two errors on the part of Carlin, the hardworking little shortstop. At the close of the seventh Richmond led the Jays by a score of 4 to 3. In the first of the eighth Carlin missed a grounder off Parker's bat. Parker came home on Bradbury's three bagger to center. Gray then doubled, scoring Bradbury. This made the score 4 to 1 in favor of Portland.

In the ninth Hicks singled and was advanced to third on outs. Hicks punted on a fielder's choice off Gardner's bat. This tied up the game again. Both teams went out in one, two three order in the tenth, eleventh and twelfth. In the thirteenth Richmond had an excellent chance to win, but fell down in the effort. Hunt hit leaver and Carlin singled. Hicks saw out and Minzler was retired on an infield out.

In the fourteenth, Carlin, by his over anxiety to retire the side, lost the game. Durham, first up, hit to Fisher who threw to Hicks. The first baseman dropped the ball, giving Bull a life. The next two batsmen were easy outs. Hunt then came to bat and hoisted a high fly back of shortstop. Carlin got under the ball, but allowed it to sift through him. With Durham and Hunt on the bags, Parker hit for three bases, bringing his two team mates in. Richmond made a game rally in the last of the fourteenth but all to no avail. Score:

RICHMOND.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Ritter, If.	6	0	1	2	1	0
Jessup, c.	7	1	1	6	2	0
Weaver, cf.	5	2	3	6	0	0
Carlin, ss.	6	0	2	4	7	2
Hicks, 1b.	5	1	2	19	0	2
Minzler, 2b.	6	0	1	3	4	0
Gardner, rf.	6	0	0	0	0	1
Fisher, 3b.	6	0	1	2	2	1
Fleming, p.	6	0	1	0	6	0

Totals . . . 53 4 12 42 22 6

PORTLAND.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Parker, 2b.	6	2	2	3	4	0
Bradbury, ss.	7	1	1	5	3	0
Gray, If.	6	0	3	0	0	0
Vagner, rf.	5	0	1	3	0	1
Gardner, c.	6	0	0	7	2	0
Harham, cf.	6	1	1	2	0	0
Harmon, 1b.	6	0	0	18	0	0
B'baugh, 3b.	5	1	1	2	7	0
Hunt, p.	6	1	1	1	1	0

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Portland . . . 00100102000002-6
Richmond . . . 00002100100000-4
Three base hits—Parker, Bradbury, Gray, Durham, Jessup. Two base hits—Gray, Hunt, Weaver, Fisher. Struck out—By Hunt, 6; by Fleming, 5. Bases on balls—Off Hunt, 1; off Fleming, 1. Left on bases—Portland, 10; Richmond, 12. Hit by pitched ball—By Hunt, 2. Passed ball—Hardin. Earned runs—Portland, 1; Richmond, 2. Sacrifice hits—Wagner, Bradbury. Stolen bases—Weaver, Carlin. Time, 2:00. Umpire—Burke. Attendance—1,200.

Kokomo, 6; Van Wert, 0.

Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 16—Kokomo defeated Van Wert here Sunday in the final I.O. League game of the season, 6 to 1. Romine was batted out of the box. Score:

Kokomo.	AB.	R.	H.	E.
Kokomo.	0004110000-6	9	2	
Van Wert.	0000000000-0	6	2	

Batteries—Blitz and Orr; Romine, Perdue and Tarnum.

LIEBHARDT WAS WINNER.

Came Out Ahead in a Desperate Pitching Contest.

Chicago, Sept. 16—Walsh and Liebhardt engaged in a desperate pitching duel, Sunday, Cleveland winning, 3 to 2. The greatest crowd in the history of the local American League club saw the contest, the grounds being filled and the gates closed long before the game started.

Chicago earned a run in the fifth and bunched three hits for another in the seventh, tying Cleveland, which had scored twice in the sixth on solid hitting. The visitors took the lead again in the ninth on a double and Liebhardt's single.

KID TEAMS PLAY BALL.

Cambridge City, Ind., Sept. 16—The Kid base ball team of Dublin defeated the Juvenile's of this place Saturday; score 12 to 11.

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

DECATUR WINS PENNANT WITH PORTLAND SECOND

Richmond and Kokomo Tied For Third Place.

LEAGUE WAS A SUCCESS.

Sunday marked the close of the Indiana-Ohio league season, the final games being played that afternoon. As a result, Decatur wins the pennant, with Portland second and Richmond and Kokomo tied for third place, Bluffton and Van Wert finishing in the order named. The pennant will be awarded to Decatur by President Kling. The Indiana-Ohio league can be called a real success, as it went through the scheduled season without a wobble in any city, although it frequently happens that leagues among smaller cities have a rocky road. There is little doubt but that there will be a re-organization next season on a still more substantial basis.

STEWART ABLE TO BE OUT.

Crack Indianapolis Shortstop Leaves Hospital for Home.

Dunkirk, Ind., Sept. 16—Clarence Stewart, the Indianapolis boy, who has been confined in the St. Joseph's Hospital at Ft. Wayne, was able to leave for his home Friday. Stewart played shortstop for the local bunch the first of the season, later going to Van Wert, O. On Labor day he was injured in a game at Ft. Wayne which nearly cost his life.

NEW LISBON IN VICTORY.

Shut Bentonville Out on the New Lisbon Grounds.

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When a man is in doubt, it becomes his duty to investigate and when proof is piled upon proof, it is time to be convinced. There is nothing in life so valuable as good health. The reporter of this article personally knows of several people here in Richmond that are rapidly regaining their health because they investigated the proofs produced by the Root Juice people and were convinced. We positively know that an eminent scientist devoted several years of his life to hard study and spent over ten thousand dollars experimenting before the afflicted were permitted to try his great discovery, which is now curing people all over the country, after all other remedies had failed. If you bloat and belch sour gases, if your food lays heavy on the stomach, if you have any symptoms of indigestion, we honestly believe that one dose of Root Juice will convince you of its wonderful merits. Root Juice soothes and heals the mucous lining of the stomach, bowels and bladder and at the same time heals and strengthens the liver and kidneys. It prevents fermentation of food in the stomach and bowels and stops formation of acid by causing the digestive fluids to be supplied in sufficient quantities in a natural way and giving the liver and kidneys health and strength to do the work nature intended them to do. The blood will soon be filtered of all impurities and good, rich blood will be made to nourish the whole body. Poor, weak women and dyspeptic, backaching rheumatic men take this advice before it is too late. Go immediately to Luken's drug store and get a bottle of Root Juice. Now on sale, \$1 a bottle. It is guaranteed and proves all that is claimed for it.

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Q. AND B. TEAM IS VICTOR OVER GRAYS

Patrons of the Game at Cambridge City Saw an Interesting Contest.

HONORS ARE NOW EVEN.

EACH TEAM HAS WON A GAME—CAMBRIDGE SAYS THE RICHMOND TEAM HAD A "STACKED" LINEUP.

Cambridge City, Ind., Sept. 16—The Q. & B. team arrived here from Richmond Sunday loaded to the guards, and took the game away from the Grays in one of the most exciting contests witnessed here this season, by a score of 5 to 2. The Q. & B.'s only brought four of their original players, as they had stocked up with semi-professionals and in this way expect to lay claim to the amateur championship title of the county. Shiverdecker was in the box for the locals, Boyd the Greensfork twirler being disabled, but pitched a good game even though he did not have the proper support. C. Paul caught a good game and also showed that he is up to the notch in the art of swinging the big stick, driving out two two-baggers at times when they were most needed. Hickman, the heaviest hitter for the Grays, did not show up in his usual form, but at that he has the credit of two hits out of four times at the bat. Sebring played his usual fine game around the second sack but was weak at batting, not being able to get a hit. Murley and Dishman covered short and third in a professional-like manner. Paul covered right field taking several chances, showing a marked improvement in his playing. Stombaugh at center was apparently slow at the start but later redeemed himself by hanging on to some high ones, while Eneyart had only one chance in left and took it. His opponent took several chances in a very sensational manner. Hill the New Madison, Ohio, recruit twirled the game for the visitors but the locals were able to find him for seven hits, two two-baggers included. "Jockey" Weaver, ex-leaguer was their main stay. Kelly on short played his position faultlessly. Warfel as a bunter is a hopeless failure as he was put out in the sixth for making three unsuccessful attempts. However, other members of the team performed the bunting stunt very creditable; in fact that is what gave them their victory. Each team has taken a game and honors are even.

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THE BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.	Won.	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	37	38	.491
Pittsburg	39	53	.509
New York	37	56	.579
Philadelphia	37	58	.559
Brooklyn	36	63	.496
Cincinnati	35	79	.411
Boston	49	81	.377
St. Louis	40	94	.293

Sunday's Results.
Chicago, 8; Cincinnati, 1.
Pittsburg, 6; St. Louis, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	30	50	.616
Detroit	28	54	.591
Chicago	29	55	.599
Cleveland	26	56	.576
New York	22	70	.470
Boston	28	76	.433
St. Louis	25	77	.416
Washington	40	89	.310

Sunday's Results.
Cleveland, 3; Chicago, 2.
Detroit, 6; St. Louis, 3; (first game).
St. Louis, 3; Detroit, 2; (second game).

AMERICAN ASSN. STANDING.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Columbus	39	64	.584
Toledo	38	65	.575
Minneapolis	38	73	.516
Louisville	37	77	.500
Kansas City	36	76	.500
Indianapolis	34	79	.484
Milwaukee	31	81	.467
St. Paul	28	95	.378

Sunday's Results.
Indianapolis, 3; Toledo, 4.
Columbus, 19; Louisville, 4; (first game).
Louisville, 10; Columbus, 2; (second game).
Kansas City, 5; Milwaukee, 2; (first game).
Kansas City, 3; Milwaukee, 2; (second game).
Minneapolis, 5; St. Paul, 1; (first game).
Minneapolis, 2; St. Paul, 1; (second game).

CENTRAL LEAGUE STANDING.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Springfield	36	59	.632
Wheeling	37	56	.598
Canton	38	65	.519
Evansville	39	67	.508
Dayton	36	71	.474
Terre Haute	34	72	.471
Grand Rapids	30	77	.438
South Bend	23	85	.384

Sunday's Results.
Wheeling, 11; Springfield, 9.
South Bend, 5; Terre Haute, 5.
Canton, 6; Dayton, 3; (first game).
Dayton, 0; Canton, 0; (second game).
Innings: darkness.
Evansville, 5; Grand Rapids, 0.

THIRD ONE FOR COLUMBUS.

Ohio City Is Champion of the American Association.

Columbus, O., Sept. 16—Columbus fastened its third straight American Association pennant to the flag pole by breaking even in Sunday's double-header, which ended the season.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS PAY.

Delivered His First Speech to His Own Townsmen.

Liberty, Ind., Sept. 16—Charles W. Stivers spoke at the court house here Saturday before his neighbors in behalf of his candidacy for the republican nomination for congress in the Sixth district. The audience was not large but Stivers was warmly congratulated by those present. He complimented Congressman Watson, but spoke squarely against continuing men in congress for ten, twenty and

MANY ASPIRANTS TO SUCCEED WATSON IN CONGRESS

Charles E. Shiveley of Richmond Is Reported to Have Fallen Heir to James E.'s Congress Gaiters.

STIVERS MAKES HIS FIRST TALK SATURDAY.

Judge Barnard of Henry County Has Made an Official Announcement and Will Stay in the Race to Finish.

Retirement of James E. Watson from the congressional field, will no doubt lead to a spirited contest in the Sixth district to fill the vacancy. Already many names have been mentioned. Speaking of the situation the Indianapolis Sun says: When Congressman James E. Watson gets into the race for governor, it is said that he will leave his congress gaiters on the porch of Charles E. Shiveley, of Richmond. Mr. Shiveley and Jim belong to the same lodge. There are other men in the Sixth district who want to go to congress. Charles W. Stivers, of Liberty, is an out and out candidate. Some of the other aspiring ones predicate their action on the sweet will of Mr. Watson. Shelby county would like to have a congressman, and the group of party "bosses" down that way would have been glad to put up C. C. Lyon, editor of the Shelbyville republican, which paper they own. If Editor Lyon had been in the district long enough to become politically acclimated to get the "bug." But the "Citizens' Alliance" got the state factory inspector through Congressman Watson's aid, and will not ask for more. Half a dozen men are mentioned. The congressman's job at \$7,500 a year, tempts the real statesmen. Will A. Hough, of Greenfield; Fred L. Barrows, of Connersville, mayor of that town; E. Moore, of Connersville; former Judge W. O. Barnard, of New Castle; Charles S. Hernley, of New Castle and Mark Forkner, of the same place, with Thomas Davidson, of Greensburg, bringing the Decatur county crowd, are being mentioned by Watson's friends, as well as by their own friends, in connection with the congressional game.

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BARNARD MEANS BUSINESS.

He is in The Race to Stay to The Finish.

New Castle, Ind., Sept. 16.—Ex-Judge William O. Barnard of this city will be a candidate to succeed James E. Watson as congressman from the Sixth district. This announcement was made by Charles M. Christopher, chairman of the republican county central committee, who spoke authoritatively for Mr. Barnard. Mr. Barnard was interviewed, and when asked if it were true that he would enter the congressional race he replied: "I authorized the announcement made by Mr. Christopher and this week will begin an active campaign."

Judge Barnard is well known over the district. He was born near Liberty, in Union county, on Oct. 25, 1852 and at the age of two years came with his parents to Dublin, Ind. In 1856 they moved to a farm near Connersville and Judge Barnard there spent the major portion of his boyhood, performing the duties that fell to the lot of a farmer boy. In 1866 he came with his parents to Liberty township, where he grew to manhood. Abandoning school teaching in 1876, he began the study of law with the late James Brown and in 1877 was admitted to the Henry County bar. For two years he was treasurer of New Castle. From 1887 to 1892 he served as prosecuting attorney, a part of this time for the Eighteenth judicial circuit, comprising the counties of Henry and Hancock and for the Fifty-third judicial district, which comprises Henry county alone. Later he was elected judge of the Henry circuit court, entering upon his duties on Nov. 17, 1896.

"THE BLUE DANUBE."

Odd Way in Which the Beautiful Waltz Was Written.

It was a fluen cuff and the quick thought of the woman who wore it that gave us one of the prettiest of the tuneful Strauss waltzes. Johann Strauss and his wife were one day enjoying a stroll in the park at Schonau when suddenly the composer exclaimed: "My dear, I have a waltz in my head. Quick—give me a scrap of paper or an old envelope. I must write it down before I forget it." Alas, after much rummaging of pockets it was found that neither of them had a letter, not even a tradesman's bill. Johann Strauss' music is considered light, but it weighed as heavy as lead on his brain until he could transfer it to paper. His despair was pathetic. At last a happy thought struck Frau Strauss. She held out a snowy cuff. The composer clutched it eagerly, and in two minutes that cuff was manuscript. Its mate followed. Still the inspiration was incomplete. Strauss was frantic and was about to make a wild dash for home with the third part of his waltz ringing uncertainly in his head. His own linen was limp, colored calico. Suddenly his frau bethought herself of her collar, and in an instant the remaining bars of "The Blue Danube" decorated its surface.

AN UNUSUAL WRECK COST THE LIFE OF WELL KNOWN MAN

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Illinois and made her home a few years with her uncle, Frank Baldrige. Muhl was a cavalryman in the civil war. Mrs. John Geisler, Sr., is a sister. Gus Muhl of Richmond, a brother, and Mrs. Wm. Bartel, of Richmond, a niece. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias and the Red Men. The orders will have charge of the funeral services, which probably will be held at the M. E. church Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment at West Lawn by the side of his wife.

NOT DUE TO NEGLIGENCE.

Coroner Bramkamp Is Making an Investigation.

Coroner A. L. Bramkamp, although not having completed his investigation of the wreck, has progressed so far, that he probably will return a verdict that the wreck was not caused by negligence on the part of any one or party of persons. In speaking of the matter Coroner Bramkamp said it seemed that the wreck could not have been prevented. The large broken truss rod, which was responsible for throwing the switch and hurling a section of the train onto Mr. Muhl, was apparently a substantial one. John Glee inspected the car at Nolan's and noticed nothing wrong with this rod at that point. In some unaccountable manner, however, the rod broke about a mile from the point of the wreck as the train up roadbed at several places indicated this. When the rod struck the switch, the latter was unlocked and the jar of the train slid the switch to such a point that a section of the train could easily "take" it. Brakeman Baumgardner, who was sitting in the cupola of the caboose, first noticed that something was wrong, sighting at several places the damage the broken bar was doing. He left the cupola, but before he could reach Conductor Thomas to tell him of the danger, the wreck occurred.

Conductor Oliver Thomas, who was sitting in the caboose at the time the wreck, was hurled forward such force that he received at least two broken ribs, while he is bruised considerably about the body. No serious results are expected from his injuries. He is resting easy at his home in this city.

Good, but Not Intended.

Now and then a man gets off a good thing and does not know it. An instance is noted by Sir M. Grant Duff in his "Diary."

We began to talk about the fog. "It was so bad," I said, "a week or two ago that I hear Farrar preached against it at St. Margaret's." "It was at that church," my friend answered, "that a clergyman denouncing Mr. Toth, the ritualist, said, 'I will not name him, but his name is in everybody's mouth.' Then, seeing the smiles on the faces of his congregation—"

Who Built Our Schools?

Who pays the teachers, who pays the taxes, who contributes to every worthy charity or public enterprise? Who is it that extends you credit in times of need? Who is it that builds desirable buildings and improves the town? Who is it that makes Richmond a possibility? Is it the out-of-town retailer?

You know that without our merchants and manufacturers, there would be no Richmond. Then why not support the men who make Richmond a city? If you think the dollar you spend out of town is a small mite and won't be missed, you are mistaken. Every penny counts. Spend them all at home.