

## VETS TOOK CLOSE GAME FROM COLTS

Mysterious Stranger Frantz Blew in and Was Given a Tryout.

ARESMITH BATTED WELL.

KNOCKED THE FIRST THREE-BAGGER MADE ON LOCAL DIAMOND THIS YEAR—VARIOUS CANDIDATES SHOWED UP WELL.

(By Tort.)

Yesterday afternoon Manager Jessup chased his recruits to Reid Field, divided them into colt and vet teams and then picked them on each other. Despite the fact the weather was more suitable for ice hockey than baseball, both teams put up a fairly clever article of ball, the vets taking the contest by a score of 2 to 1. Manager Jessup witnessed the contest from the hurricane deck of an automobile, where the weather was so cold that the rubber on the score-keeper's pencil froze.

Mr. Frantz, a mysterious stranger blew into the city shortly before the teams clashed, and asked for a tryout. Minus a uniform he entered the box for the colts at the opening of the fourth stanza and proceeded to whiff the first two batters that faced him. In the last two innings he worked he breezed two more of the vets.

The feature of the game was the three bagger smote by Mr. Aresmith, known to fame as the Human Needle. The colts' gallant right fielder, "Rube" Waddell Jr., gave chase to the flying horseshoe, sped up to the top of the center path and then did a brodie into the valley below. The ball alighted near the fence. Mr. Waddell alighted on his neck. The spectacular fielding stunt of the game was pulled off by Shinn. In the fifth, after a hard sprint, he picked from his shoestrings a hot liner off Frantz's bat. Both teams worked out nicely and Manager Jessup appeared to be satisfied:

Veterans.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Shinn, Jr.	3	1	1	3	1	0
Witterwood, Jr.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Parker, 2b.	2	0	1	2	1	0
Burns, 1b.	3	0	0	6	0	0
Bambrugh, 3b.	3	0	0	2	3	2
Hedjuk, ss.	2	0	0	2	1	0
Conner, cf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Clark, c.	2	0	2	5	3	0
Aresmith, p.	2	1	1	1	0	0
Totals	23	2	6	21	9	2

Colts.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Mintzer, 2b.	3	1	1	3	1	0
Plant, ss.	2	0	0	1	3	0
Witterwood, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hanna, 3b.	3	0	1	1	0	1
Mason, 1b.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Waddell, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Lindsley, c.	2	0	1	6	3	0
Fleming, cf.	3	0	0	3	0	1
Brown, p.	1	0	0	0	2	0
Frantz, p.	1	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	24	1	4	18	8	2

First base on errors—Colts, 2; Veterans, 2. Left on bases—Veterans, 5; Colts, 4. Two base hits—Shinn, Three base hit—Aresmith. Earned runs—Veterans, 1. Bases on balls—Aresmith, 2. Struck out—Aresmith, 2; Conner, 2; Brown, 2; Frantz, 4. Innings pitched—Aresmith, 3; Conner, 4; Brown, 3; Frantz, 3. Hit by pitcher—Hedjuk, Parker. Stolen bases—Mintzer, Shinn, Burns.

### HOOSIER DRILL DEFEATED.

Yesterday afternoon the X Y Z team turned the tables on the Hoosier Drill team, defeating that outfit by a score of 14 to 9. But four of the regular players were in the X Y Z lineup. The Hoosier batteries were Bertram and Wartman, Helmrich and Lane. The X Y Z battery was Torbeck and Zeyen.

### GETS MILLIONS FOR SETTING HUSBAND FREE

\$2,000,000 Agreed on as the Price.

New York, April 10.—Mrs. A. G. Vanderbilt will get \$2,000,000 for granting her husband freedom, it is reported. This is not definite, although it is admitted a financial settlement has been made. Mrs. Vanderbilt retains possession of her own son, although Vanderbilt is to be permitted to see him at will. It is probable that no announcement of the exact financial agreement reached will be made.

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## Affairs of the Sporting World

(By Tort.)

The weather indications are that this afternoon will be favorable for baseball, which being the case, there will be large chunks of populace in attendance at Athletic park to see the locals lineup against the Brooklyn National leaguers.

Two new recruits reported to Manager Jessup. Both are pitchers, one by the name of Frantz and the other bearing the name of Waddell. The former is a sturdy built young man and made a good impression. The few innings he worked yesterday.

Next week there will be another addition to the local pitching staff. Left, the North Vernon star, who was given a tryout by the Indianapolis league team this spring, has come to terms with Manager Jessup and will report for practice. At first Left valued his services too highly.

Several local marksmen, together with a few New Paris marksmen have secured the privilege of placing a shooting trap at athletic park. Later in the season, a shooting tournament will be held at which many of the stars of the country will appear.

Manager Jessup has not enough outfield material on hand to satisfy him,

and he is now trying to secure two experienced men who can add batting strength to the club. The bunch of recruits Jessup now has on hand, appears to be weak in this department of the game.

Clark, the big backstop recruit, hit hard yesterday, and threw to the bases nicely. Lindsley also worked well for the colts back of the bat.

In the handicap billiard tournament just ended at the Simmons billiard room, W. C. Hibbert with a handicap of fifty, defeated Frank Braffett for the championship of the city. Nine of the best players in the city participated in this tournament.

Manager Jessup brings the following story with him from the East:

George Bone had Farrell, the scrappy half back, playing on his New Haven team. Bone was not satisfied with the playing of the fighting defense man, so he released him. A newspaper man asked Bone what method he employed in breaking the news to Farrell that he was no longer on the New Haven payroll. "I coaxed him into his room, then I locked the door on the outside. After doing this I stood on a chair and yelled through the transom 'Farrell, you are fired.' Then I ran to beat the band," Bone informed the newspaper man.

## CONVICTS AS SLAVES

Agencies Cauted Paroled Men To Become Practical Peons.

COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING

Juliet, Ill., April 11.—From prison to freedom—and slavery!

That is the path declared to have been followed by many paroled convicts, which the legislative committee is preparing to trace today.

At the end of the search, if the agencies which cause the paroled men to become practical peons, are discovered, and the act is found to be criminal then there will be indictments demanded, and what is declared to be an abuse of the parole law, will be ended. Whether the disclosures will reach any person now in office in connection with the penitentiary or the state board, is not known. Officials of the prison, who admit that many prisoners find slavery, not freedom on their release, declared the fact was accomplished in spite of prison authorities.

The committee is in possession of letters containing complaints indicating that small employers in Chicago and elsewhere did not permit conscientious scruples to prevent them from squeezing the last ounce of strength from a paroled prisoner and giving in return practically no wages.

## DON'T LIKE CLOTHES

Doukhobers Fined for Parading the Streets in a Naked Condition.

THERE WERE FIFTY OTHERS

St. William, Ont., April 11.—Nineteen Doukhobers, nine women and ten men were today sentenced to six months in the Central prison at Toronto. They were arrested by the police for parading the streets unclothed. There are fifty-three still remaining in one house, and they have been warned of their fate if they persist in their refusal to wear clothes.

## PLENTY OF TIME TO NAME TICKET

So Says Beck of the Wayne County Situation.

The democratic county chairman, C. B. Beck, states that no action has as yet been taken by the democrats toward placing a county ticket in the field this year. When asked if it was the intention to place a ticket in the field he replied that he did not know as no decision in the matter had yet been reached. "There is plenty of time for such action," Mr. Beck stated. "It is the general opinion that the democrats will have a county ticket, as many of the leading democrats of the state have expressed opinion that there is an excellent chance for a democratic victory this fall in Wayne county."

## URGES INVESTIGATION

Lilley Thinks That Various Navy Yards Should Be Probed.

RESOLUTION IS SUBMITTED.

Washington, April 11.—The investigation of the navy yards at Charleston, Port Royal, Mare Island, Portsmouth, N. H.; New Orleans and Key West by a commission appointed by the president with a view to their abandonment, was urged by Representative Lilley, of Connecticut, in the house today. Mr. Lilley offered a joint resolution providing for the appointment of this commission and for improvements in other yards so as to eliminate the "waste of public moneys in the maintenance of the same."

Mr. Lilley quoted from reports made by boards of officers and former secretaries of the navy, as far back as 1885, to show that the condition of the navy yards then was open to severe criticism, and, in fact, that the reorganization of the navy department itself was desirable, if not absolutely necessary.

He charged that there had been a lamentable misappropriation of \$100,000,000 of public funds and gross extravagance in providing for navy yards and naval stations.

## MANY APPEALS FOR POWERS' PARDON

Box of Epistles Weighs Several Hundred Pounds.

Frankfort, Ky., April 11.—Gov. Willson found the attorneys for Caleb Powers and James Howard awaiting him today. A large box weighing several hundred pounds containing petitions for Powers' pardon was brought to the governor's office and filed. A number of Powers' friends are here. It is not known how long it will take to hear all the statements by the attorneys. But it is believed it will take the remainder of the day.

## WANT SALOONS IN LIMITED AREA

Marion City Council Is Petitioned.

Marion, Ind., April 11.—The city council of Marion has been petitioned to restrict the operation of saloons to a limited area. The same kind of a movement has been championed in this city and it is probable that at not far distant time the agitation will be undertaken. Police officials are known to be in favor of such a move as saloons are removed from the residence district and placed where the opportunities for police duty are improved.

## COMPLAINTS AGAINST WASHINGTON TP. ROAD

They Will Be Heard by Commissioners.

The county commissioners will be in session Tuesday and will hear the complaints against the proposed road in Washington township. It is believed most likely the contract will be awarded at the time. Opponents of the road remain positive in their declarations they will contest the matter through the courts and if the commissioners award the contracts, the circuit court will be called upon immediately to intervene. There is some question as to the jurisdiction of the circuit court in the case.

TABLET: Good Medal Flour leads them all. BUCKLEY.

## JUDGE IS ACTIVE

Has Set a Number of Cases On Wayne County Docket for Trial.

UNTIRING IN HIS EFFORTS.

During the lull of court business that followed the congressional convention last week, Judge Fox of the Wayne circuit court, took opportunity to set a number of cases for trial. The judge's spontaneous energy continued long enough for him to run over the docket and pick out a number of criminal cases and set them for trial. His ambition led him to continue dating cases until May 2.

The following is the docket:

Monday, April 13.  
Smith vs. Vaughan.

Friday, April 17.  
McGriff vs. P. C. C. & St. L. Railroad.

Monday, April 20.  
State vs. Hunt.

Wednesday, April 22.  
Trust Company vs. Campbell.

Thursday, April 23.  
State vs. Hollis.

Friday, April 24.  
State vs. Rega.

Monday, April 27.  
State vs. Wieland and Snow.

State vs. Hoyt.

State vs. Fanning.

Tuesday, April 28.  
State vs. Frame.

State vs. Coleman.

State vs. Botts.

Wednesday, April 29.  
Burns, receiver, vs. Fairbanks, Morse & Company.

Thursday, April 30.  
Beshar, et al. vs. Marshall, Ross, Bartel Company.

Hickey vs. Menke.

Friday, May 1.  
State ex rel. vs. Hart.

Saturday, May 2.  
Hayburn vs. Hayburn.

## BIGGEST DAY OF TAX PAYING SEASON

Depository Law Responsible For the Rush.

County Treasurer Myrick yesterday had the biggest day of the tax paying season thus far. The fact that under the new depository law the treasurers of all counties in the State cannot accommodate tax payers by holding out receipts for persons after the final day for paying taxes, permitting these persons to take such receipts up with in a day or so, has been responsible for the rush. Treasurer Myrick regrets his inability to accommodate the tax payers in this respect, but it is impossible under existing conditions and on the day following the first Monday in May, all unpaid taxes will go down as delinquent and the penalty will have to be exacted. From now until the end of April the affairs in the treasurer's office will be on the jump.

## REACHED PORT WITH SMALL COAL SUPPLY

Six Destroyers Arrive at Magdalena.

Magdalena Bay, Mex., April 8, via San Diego, Cal., April 11.—It develops that when the six destroyers arrived here, some of the ships had only two tons of coal in their bunkers. Despite this fact, however, they reached port one day ahead of time. They got the last coal from the collier Aretusa at Acapulco and "just did get in." The ships steamed for days through narrow channels a thousand miles long, piloted by a lieutenant commander of the Chilean navy. Precipitous cliffs rose for thousands of feet and at times it was hard to find anchorages at night. The ships were supplied with meat by hunting parties that went ashore until the ammunition gave out. The Aretusa, "mother ship," could not sail fast and held back the flotilla.

## UNIVERSITY GETS RARE COLLECTION

German Socialist Literature Goes to Wisconsin.

Madison, Wis., April 11.—The University of Wisconsin has just received the extensive library of rare German socialist literature collected by Hermann Schluter, editor of the New York Volkszeitung. The collection was given by William English Walling of New York and a number of other men who are interested in the work of the American Bureau of industrial research, which has its headquarters in Madison. The Schluter collection is said to contain works of German Socialist authors which are not to be found even in the party archives of the German Social Democracy in Berlin.

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## HEART BALM ASKED IN A SENSATIONAL SUIT TO BE HEARD

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daughters, Hazel and Mildred. The ladies bore splendid reputations and enjoyed the acquaintance of a large circle of friends. The younger, Miss Mildred, accompanied her mother to this city yesterday and will be an attendant at the trial. Other friends will be seated beside Mrs. Smith in the court room. While living in Richmond, Mrs. Phelps and daughters, made their home over the old Sun-Telegram office on North Sixth street. John D. Vaughan was known to be a visitor at the home frequently. It is expected the defendant will assert he went to call at the home as a landlord and afterward became interested in the family and became a friend of the woman. It is believed evidence will be introduced to show that Vaughan's visits were rather regular.

The marital troubles of the plaintiff when she was Mrs. Phelps are likely to be entered upon and it is asserted the name of William Wilcotts, who was a resident of Carthage, when the Phelps resided there will be mentioned in court.

In its entirety, it is expected the trial will prove the most sensational that has been heard in the Wayne circuit court in recent years. The prominence of the defendant will be one of the chief reasons for interest on the part of the general public.

## CHICAGO HAS A BLACK HAND PAPER

Declaration Made by Attorney Of the Rich.

Chicago, April 11.—"The Black Hand of Chicago has a newspaper organ," This declaration was made yesterday by Stephen A. Malato, attorney for the White Hand society.

The publication he referred to has contained numerous attacks on the White Hand as an organization of the rich. It has also expressed sympathy with the Black Hand as an organization composed of poor and wronged people. Mr. Malato believes that the publication is the successor of La Question Sociale, the Paterson publication which was suppressed on March 25 for seditious utterances. No one knows who is behind the propaganda. The caution appears in one place in the paper that no mail is to be sent in the name of any person.

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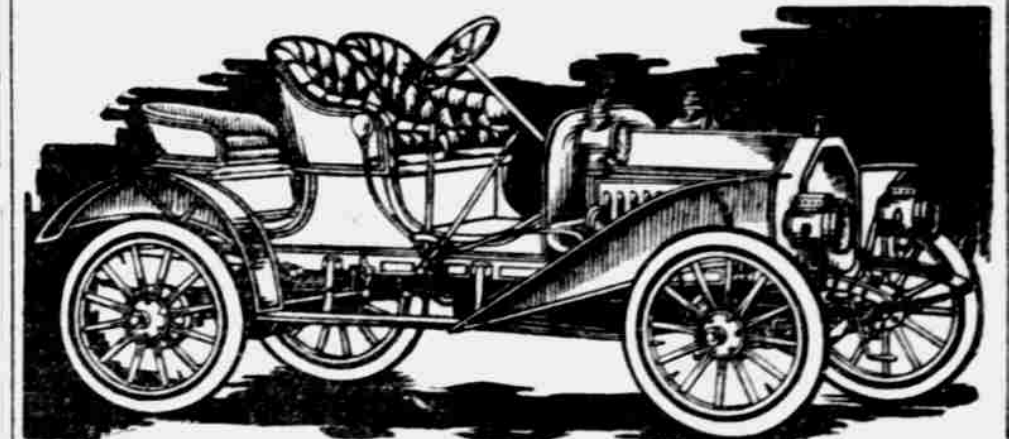
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