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KANSAS WILL HAVE GOOD SQUAD IN WESTERN MEET.

Race Will Be Between M. A. C., Triple A. Sunflower State and Central Y. M. C. A.

The championships and handicaps of the Western Association of the A. A. U., which will be held in the World's Fair Stadium Friday and Saturday, will bring out all of the best local athletes, as well as those of other cities.

The Kansas City Athletic Club has entered a strong team, and is said to have a good chance of winning the point banner offered for the club scoring the greatest number of points.

The Missouri Athletic Club and the Triple A. squad will also have their say in the matter, as both these associations have strong teams at the present time. Doctor A. J. Kennedy of the Central Y. M. C. A. hopes for great things from the athletes of that institution. He has worked hard with them for some time and hopes that his efforts will count for something.

The hundred-yard dash will bring together Turner of the A. A. A., Heckwolf of the M. A. C., Moulton of the Kansas City Club, Seay of the Y. M. C. A. and J. C. Darling of the University of Oklahoma, who arrived yesterday and will compete in the short sprints and hurdles and broad jump.

The hundred should prove an interesting contest as all the men are good. Turner and Heckwolf are about on an equal, while Seay is a fast man. Moulton, when in form, should win the event, but the Oklahoma man is said to be very fast and has done the century in ten flat on an inferior track.

Huff and Leaton will also compete in the hundred under the colors of the Y. M. C. A. The weight events will probably go to the M. A. C., although Kansas might secure them.

South Texas League.

At Galveston—Galveston 4, San Antonio 2.
At Beaumont—Beaumont-Houston game postponed; rain.

Iowa State League.

At Fort Dodge—Fort Dodge 4, Keokuk 6.
At Boone—Boone 4, Burlington 3.
At Waterloo—Waterloo 12, Ottumwa 6.
At Marshalltown—Oskaloosa 4, Marshalltown 2.

Cotton States League.

At Natchez—Vicksburg 3, Natchez 6.
At Monroe—Monroe 5, Greenville 2.
At Pine Bluff—Pine Bluff 4, Baton Rouge 2.

Central League.

At Terre Haute—Terre Haute 6, Wheeling 3.
At South Bend—South Bend 14, Peoria 4.
At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids 4, Fort Wayne 1.
Off day for the Evansville and Dayton teams.

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SMOOT'S THROW SAVES THE GAME

Cardinal Center Nips Pirate at Plate in Ninth Inning and Prevents Tying Tally.

O'NEILL PITCHES GREAT BALL.

Allows Only One Hit Until the Eighth, When He Is Winded by Running Out Second Triple.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

National League.

Club.	P.	W.	L.	Pct.	Club.	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
N. York	83	60	23	.723	Cardinals	83	46	37	.554
Chicago	82	59	23	.720	Brooklyn	83	38	45	.457
Cincin'ti	85	51	34	.600	Boston	85	31	54	.365
Pittsburg	80	45	35	.562	Phila.	82	21	61	.256

Where They Play To-Day.

Cardinals at Pittsburg. Philadelphia at Boston. Cincinnati at Chicago. Brooklyn at New York.

Yesterday's Results.

Cardinals 5, Pittsburg 4. Boston 8, Philadelphia 2.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pittsburg, July 27.—Smoot's beautiful throw from deep center field to the plate in the ninth inning cut Ritchey down and saved the game for St. Louis this afternoon, 5 to 4. It was one of the most narrow squeaks seen for some time, and though Pittsburg blamed Jimmy Burke for getting in Ritchey's way at third, Bob Emslie said he was there to umpire and not to kid, and the man was declared out. It was just a trifle too close for the comfort of St. Louis.

Two hands were gone, and Ritchey on second, when Carisch hit safe to middle field. Smoot took the ball on the first bound and made the throw. O'Neill pitched wonderful ball, but one hit being made off him up until the eighth inning, when he was winded by running out his second triple.

SHAY SENT FROM GROUNDS.

Through the wildness of Lynch St. Louis scored one in the first inning. With two gone Beckley singled and Smoot did the same. Brain got a base on balls, filling the bases. Barclay waited and walked, forcing Beckley in. Burke struck out and made a fearful kick, backed by Shay, and Shay was sent from the grounds by Emslie.

A lightning double play by Shannon and Beckley, retiring Sebring and Ritchey in the second inning, stopped what seemed a good start by Pittsburg.

In St. Louis's half of the second inning Grady played very poor baseball. He was on first when O'Neill dumped the ball. Lynch made a wide throw, which Wagner got with one hand, but was pulled off the base, and Grady overrun the base, but made no effort to get back while Wagner was much overbalanced. Wagner came back and touched him out, to the deep disgust of other St. Louis players, who yelled at Grady. The catcher claimed he thought Emslie had called him out the first time.

THREE BASES ON SINGLE.

In the fifth inning "Spike" Shannon did some fast footwork, scoring from first on a single. He had a long lead off first when Beckley made his third single to right middle. Sebring made a neat pick-up and relayed to Ritchey, who stood too near second for Beckley to take the chance on second. The play to the plate was without flaw, but Shannon beat it home.

In the sixth inning St. Louis put the blocks to Mr. Lynch properly. Burke singled, stole second and took third on Carish's wild throw. Grady singled, scoring Burke. O'Neil hit to the pennant pole for three bases, scoring Grady.

In the eighth inning, with Burke on base, O'Neil hit for another triple, and that made trouble for St. Louis, as he went in the box very shortly after and was banged all over the lot by the Pittsburgs, who scored four runs. Burke's error and two hits filled the sacks and Otto Kruger then hit to the penant pole for three bases and scored himself later on Wagner's out. Here near Pittsburg came to tying the score in the ninth inning has been told.

The score:

PITTSBURG.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Beaumont, center field	3	1	1	0	0	0
Kruger, third base	3	1	1	2	1	0
Wagner, shortstop	3	0	0	4	1	0
Brannfield, first base	4	0	0	6	2	0
Sebring, right field	3	0	0	3	0	0
Ritchey, second base	4	0	1	5	1	0
Smith, left field	4	1	0	2	0	0
Carisch, catcher	4	0	2	3	2	1
Lynch, pitcher	3	1	1	2	3	0
Totals	31	4	6	27	10	1

ST. LOUIS.

	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Farrell, second base	5	0	1	5	4	0
Shannon, right field	4	1	0	1	0	0
Beckley, first base	5	1	3	15	0	0
Smoot, center field	4	0	1	0	1	0
Brain, shortstop	2	0	0	2	4	0
Barclay, left field	4	0	0	2	0	0
Burke, third base	4	2	2	0	3	1
Grady, catcher	1	1	1	3	0	0
O'Neill, pitcher	4	0	2	0	3	0
Totals	33	5	10	27	15	1

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0—4
St. Louis	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0—5

Three-base hits—Kruger 1, O'Neill 2. Sacrifice hits—Kruger 1, Smoot 1, Grady 1. Stolen bases—Brain 1, Burke 1. Double plays—Farrell and Beckley 1. Bases on balls—Off Lynch 6, off O'Neill 2. Struck out—By Lynch 3, by O'Neill 1. Time—One hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire—Emslie.

Boston 8, Philadelphia 5.

Boston, July 27.—Hard and timely batting, coupled with Philadelphia's errors, gave Boston a victory to-day. Attendance, 230. Score:

Boston.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Philadelphia.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Geier, cf	5	3	3	0	0	0	Thomas, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Tenney, rf	4	2	1	2	0	0	Gleason, 2b	5	1	4	2	0	0
Abbat'o, ss	5	1	0	3	0	1	Wolverton, 3b	4	2	0	3	0	0
Cooley, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0	Magee, rf	4	3	0	0	0	0
Delehe'ty, 3b	4	2	0	1	1	0	Donohue, lb	4	1	9	0	0	0
Rayner, 2b	4	1	1	2	0	1	Titus, lf	3	0	1	0	0	1
Carney, rf	4	2	0	0	0	0	Hulswitt, ss	4	1	2	2	1	0
Needham, c	3	1	1	9	1	0	Roth, c	3	1	5	3	1	0
Wilhelm, p	3	0	0	2	0	0	Sparks, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
							Fraser, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
							*Duffy	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	13	9	21	2	1	Totals	35	9	24	11	3	

*Batted for Sparks in eighth.

Boston	2	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	—8
Philadelphia	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	—5

Two-base hits—Magee 1. Three-base hits—Abbatichio 1, Carney 1, Magee 1. Stolen bases—Wolverton 1, Delehanty 1. Double plays—Gleason and Roth 1. First base on balls—Off Wilhelm 2, off Fraser 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Wilhelm, Titus. Struck out—By Wilhelm 5, by Sparks 4. Hits—Off Sparks 11, in seven innings; off Fraser 2, in one inning. Time of game—One hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire—Carpenter.

New York 11, Brooklyn 2.

New York, July 27.—New York won handily by a score of 11 to 2. Attendance, 3,552. Score:

Brooklyn.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.	New York.	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Dobes, cf	4	2	1	0	1	McC'k, cf	5	3	1	0	0
Dillon, lb	3	0	9	0	0	Browne, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Lumley, rf	4	1	2	2	0	Marshall, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Sheckard, lf	4	1	1	0	0	Dunn, 3b	5	3	2	2	0
Strang, 2b	4	1	1	2	1	McGann, 1b	1	0	10	0	0
Babb, s	3	2	4	1	1	Mertes, lf	4	1	0	1	0
Bergen, c	4	1	1	4	0	Dahlen, s	5	2	0	2	1
Jordan, 3b	3	0	2	3	1	Gilbert, 2b	2	1	2	4	0
Poole, p	1	0	0	0	0	Warner, c	4	2	12	2	0
Jones, p	0	0	0	0	1	Wiltse, p	4	1	0	1	0
Totals	32	8	24	12	5	Totals	33	12	27	12	1

Brooklyn	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
New York	1	0	0	2	3	2	1	0	3	—11

Three-base hits—Lumley 1. Sacrifice hits—Browne 1, Mertes 1, Gilbert 1, Dillon 1. Stolen bases—Dunn 2, Mertes 1, Sheckard 1, Strang 1, Babb 1. Hits—Off Poole, 1 in 2 innings, off Jones, 11 in 6 innings. Left on bases—New York 7, Brooklyn 6. First base on balls—Off Wiltse 1, off Poole 1, off Jones 1. First base on errors—New York 2, Brooklyn 1. Hit by pitched balls—By Wiltse 1, by Poole 1, by Jones 3. Struck out—By Wiltse 9, by Poole 1, by Jones 2. Time of game—One hour and fifty-five minutes. Umpire—Zimmer.

NOT AFTER NEW MANAGER.

Farrell Denies Report That He Wants to Replace Griffith.

Frank Farrell, owner of the New York Americans, denies that he is seeking a new manager for the Invaders. Speaking of the matter, he said:

"To begin with, I consider Clarke Griffith the best baseball manager in the country. I do not even bar McGraw, Hanlon, Selee, or any of the others. I am not after Selee of the Chicago Nationals.

"Some time ago Selee came to me and asked me to get him a position as manager of some of the American League clubs. I told him I would see what I could do. At the time I had the Detroit club in mind. Selee was made no offer by me nor had I any intention of getting him to manage the New York Americans.

"What he did do was to try and get me to make him an offer, so that he could go to Hart and demand more money or threaten to quit. My promise to see what I could do was apparently enough for him, as he went to Hart and held him up for more money."

Who wouldn't be a ball player, particularly on a winning team? The Giants are going to tour Europe at the end of the season, and McGraw is to meet King Edward.

Billy Hamilton is batting at .400 clip in the New England League.

Clarence Eugene Wright, the former Brownie, passed through St. Louis yesterday. He told Mike Donovan that he is booked to finish the season with Atlanta.

Fred Buelow, the former Detroit catcher, is now one of Armour's Blue Birds. The Teuton should strengthen Lajoie's catching department.

Pat Dougherty may be a dead one from a Boston standpoint, but he has proven himself very much alive since he joined New York. Kip Selbach, who succeeded Dougherty, is making an error nearly every day. Dougherty is batting more than .300 and Selbach around .250.

Mike Donlin was the goods in a uniform, but was damaged by water-on-the-side when he got into his collar ands hames.

Rube Waddell of the Athletics has eloped with three days' advance pay.

Walter Clarkson gets $4,000 a year.

Two straight from Pittsburg isn't a bad starter. If the Cardinals keep up their good work they will make the local fans forget that the fifty-seven varieties were ever called by the same name.

Lou Drill, the former Washington catcher, is now a Tiger, the sturdy little Pacific Coaster having been signed by Detroit recently.

Ned Hanlon, manager of the Brooklyns, says that Pittsburg is the strongest club in the world. But then Ned is beginning to show signs of being a has-been and probably judges others by himself, which is sometimes a bad business.

BROWNS' NEW THIRD BASEMAN AT WORK

CHARLES MORAN.
A former "Senator," who is making good in the infield for the St. Louis American League team.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

American League.

Club.	P.	W.	L.	Pct.	Club.	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	82	52	31	.628	Phila.	81	43	38	.531
Chicago	86	51	35	.594	Browns	78	34	42	.447
N. York	80	47	32	.585	Detroit	80	33	47	.413
Cleveld	79	45	34	.570	Wash.	78	17	61	.218

Where They Play To-Day.

Browns at New York.

Yesterday's Results.

Boston 2, Chicago 1. Detroit 6, Philadel. 5. Cleveland 2-7, Washington 3-0.

Boston 2, Chicago 1.

Boston, July 27.—Boston defeated Chicago—2 to 1—in an excellent ten-inning game to-day. Score:

Boston.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Chicago.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Selbach, lf	4	2	4	0	0	0	Jones, cf	4	2	1	0	1	0
Collins, 2b	3	0	0	4	0	0	Green, rf	4	1	3	0	0	0
Stahl, cf	4	1	0	0	0	0	Callahan, lf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Freeman, rf	4	1	0	0	0	1	Davis, s	4	0	0	4	4	0
Parent, s	4	1	4	5	0	0	Donohue, lb	4	0	7	1	0	
Lachance, 1b	4	0	12	0	0	0	Dundon, 2b	4	1	2	2	0	
Ferris, 3b	4	1	1	3	0	0	Tod'hill, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Criger, c	3	2	8	1	0	0	McFarl'd, c	4	1	3	2	0	
Young, p	4	1	0	5	0	0	Smith, p	3	0	2	1	0	
Totals	34	9	30	18	1		Totals	35	7	28	10	2	

*One out when winning run was scored.

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

Two-base hits—Dundon 1. Three-base hits—Parent 1. Stolen bases—Collins 1, Young 1. Double plays—Davis and Donohue 1, Smith, Davis and Donohue 1, McFarland and Davis 1. First base on balls—Off Smith 3. Struck out—By Smith 4, by Young 1. Time of game—One hour and twenty-five minutes. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance, 7,810.

Philadelphia 5, Detroit 0.

Philadelphia, July 27.—Waddell shut out Detroit with ease to-day. Attendance, 4,063. Score:

Detroit.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Philadelphia.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Barrett, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	Hartsel, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
McIntyre, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0	Pickering, cf	4	2	2	0	0	
Carr, 1b	3	0	1	1	0	0	Davis, 1b	4	0	9	0	0	
Crawf'd, rf	4	0	2	0	0	0	L. Cross, 2b	4	1	2	1	0	
Lowe, 2b	4	0	2	4	0		Seybold, rf	4	2	1	0	0	
Grem'ger, 3b	4	0	2	0	0		Murphy, 3b	4	2	1	2	1	
Wood, c	2	0	2	0	0		M. Cross, ss	4	0	0	2	0	
Drill, c	0	0	1	0	0		Schreck, c	4	1	12	1	0	
Stovall, p	2	0	0	2	0		Waddell, p	4	2	0	1	0	
O'Leary, ss	3	2	2	1	0								
Totals	31	3	24	8	0		Totals	35	12	27	7	1	

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	—5

Two-base hits—Murphy 2, Shreck 1, Pickering 1, Waddell 1. Three-base hits—Hartsel 1. Left on bases—Detroit 6, Philadelphia 8. Struck out—By Waddell 11, by Stovall 3. Bases on balls—Off Waddell 2, off Stovall 2. Time of game—One hour and forty minutes. Umpires—O'Loughlin and King.

Washington 3—0, Cleveland 2—7.

Washington, July 27.—Honors were even today in the double-header between Washington and Cleveland, the locals winning the first, 3 to 2, while the second went to the visitors, 7 to 0. Attendance, 4,500. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Washington.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Coughlin, 3b	4	1	3	2	0		Flick, rf	4	0	1	0	0	
Hill, rf	4	0	0	1	0		Hess, lf	3	0	1	0	0	
Cassidy, s	4	0	2	2	1		Bradley, 3b	4	1	1	1	0	
Stahl, 1b	4	2	7	1	1		Lajoie, 2b	4	0	1	3	1	
O'Neill, cf	3	1	0	0	0		Hickman, 1b	4	1	6	1	0	
McC'k, 2b	3	1	1	2	0		Turner, s	4	1	4	5	0	
Hucism'n, lf	2	1	3	0	0		Bay, cf	3	1	2	0	0	
Clark, c	3	1	11	0	0		Bemis, c	3	0	8	0	0	
Patten, p	3	0	0	1	0		Donohue, p	3	0	0	2	0	
Totals	30	7	27	9	2		Totals	32	4	24	13	1	

Washington	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Cleveland	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hits—Coughlin 1, Stahl 1, Hickman 1. Stolen bases—O'Neill 1, Bradley 1. Sacrifice hits—Hess 1. First base on balls—Donohue 1. Struck out—By Patten 8, by Donohue 4. Left on bases—Washington 8, Cleveland 3. Time of game—One hour and thirty minutes. Umpire—Dwyer.

SECOND GAME.

Washington.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Coughlin, 3b	5	1	2	2	0		Flick, rf	5	2	4	0	0	
Hill, rf	5	1	1	0	0		Hess, lf	5	1	1	1	0	
Cassidy, s	4	3	3	3	1		Bradley, 3b	4	1	2	2	0	
Stahl, 1b	4	1	11	0	0		Lajoie, 2b	5	2	3	1	0	
O'Neill, cf	3	1	2	0	0		Hickman, 1b	5	2	9	0	0	
McC'k, 2b	4	1	3	4	0		Turner, s	4	1	1	3	0	
Hucism'n, lf	1	0	1	0	0		Bay, cf	4	0	5	0	0	
Kittredge, c	4	0	5	1	0		Abbott, c	4	1	6	0	0	
Townsend, p	3	1	0	5	0		Bernhard, p	3	2	0	3	0	
*Donovan	1	0	0	0	0								
Totals	34	9	27	15	1		Totals	39	13	27	13	0	

*Batted for Townsend.

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	0	—7

Two-base hits—Hickman 1, Lajoie 1, O'Neill 1, Coughlin 1. Stolen bases—Cassidy 1, McCormick 2, Flick 1, Bay 2. Sacrifice hits—O'Neill 1, Turner 1. Double plays—Townsend, Cassidy and Stahl 1. First base on balls—By Townsend 3, by Bernhard 3. Struck out—By Townsend 4, by Bernhard 3. Left on bases—Washington 8, Cleveland 7. Wild pitches—Townsend 1. Time of game—One hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire—Dwyer.

MAKES SHOW OF HIS FIELD.

Judge Himes Wins Hawthorne Feature in a Common Canter.

Chicago, July 27.—Judge Himes finally found a track made to order for him in the third race, the feature at Hawthorne to-day, and he made a show of his field, winning in a canter by three lengths. Bragg, the heavily backed favorite, was second, four lengths in front of Huzzah. Weather wet; track muddy.

Summaries:

First race, six furlongs—Freesias, 112 (McBride), 5 to 2, won; Bernice, 107 (Helgesen), 15 to 2, second; My Gem, 112 (Odegard), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:17. Alice Commoner, Seven Oaks, Annora J., Nannan, Fair Alsen, Ded Anderson, Shower, Lady Relan, Maud Manser, Artifice and Nona W. also ran.

Second race, steeplechase, short course—Sweet Jane, 130 (J. Carter), 24 to 5, won; Weird, 138 (Pemberton), 5 to 1, second; Golden Way, 139 (Sullivan), 2 to 1, third. Time, 3:08 2-5. Don Ami also ran. Allegiance fell. Alma Girl refused.

Third race, one mile and an eighth—Judge Himes, 111 (Henry), 9 to 5, won; Bragg, 116 (Helgesen), 6 to 5, second; Huzzah, 105 (McIntyre), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:58. Jerry Lynch also ran.

Fourth race, four furlongs—Mum, 104 (Helgesen), 3 to 1, won; Prince Brutus, 107 (Oliphant), 3 to 1, second; Useful Lady, 104 (Livingston), 10 to 1, third. Time, :45. John Smulski, Westbrookfield, Doc Wallace, El Otros, Broadway Girl, Watchguard and Husted also ran.

Fifth race, one mile and a sixteenth—Gloriosa, 98 (Oliphant), 4 to 5, won; Maud Miller, 94 (McBride), 4 to 1, second; O'Hagen, 103 (Hall), 7 to 1, third. Time 1:48. Fon Chance, Longmore, Mirena and Rahuma also ran.

Sixth race, five and a half furlongs—Albert Fir, 112 (Morrison), 8 to 5, won; Tennyburn, 108 (W. Knapp), 4 to 1, second; Capitanzo, 108 (Bell), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 2-5. The Belle, No Trumper, Fracers Dillon, Gleeman and Fleetwood also ran.

FOUR-OARED SHELL STRIKES SNAG

St. Louis Crews Have Long Swim but Reach Shore in Safety.

GREER AND TITUS CONFIDENT.

Champion Expects to Retain Title, While Opponent Feels Same—Quincy and Argonauts Arrive To-Day.

While practicing on Creve Coeur Lake yesterday, the St. Louis four-oared crew struck a snag with the shell and the result was that the boat was punctured and the men had to swim ashore.

The accident happened in the middle of the lake when the men were going at a lively pace. With full force the shell struck a piece of wood that could not be seen from the water.

The boat was overturned, but as the men were all good swimmers they reached the shore safely. Although the boat was damaged, it will not hinder the crew from competing to-morrow and Saturday.

After this accident the lake was again dragged, and it is now assured that there are no more snags in the course.

All the crews are in town now, but the Quincy, Ill., and the Argonauts of Toronto, Canada. They were heard from yesterday and will arrive this morning. The Pensacola crews arrived yesterday and were out at the lake with the other oarsmen.

The single scull events should prove the best of all the races. Many crack oarsmen are to compete and all being in fine form and confident, a neck and neck finish should be the result.

Frank Greer, the present champion, was at the lake, and rowed several miles in practice. He went very fast on the course, but when out of it was a little shy, as the result of his accident Tuesday. Greer said:

"I am confident of retaining my title, although I realize that I have several good men to go against. I am in good condition, although not as well as when I defeated Titus at the last regatta, when I won the championship."

MANY GOOD COMPETITORS.

Titus, who will probably be Greer's fastest opponent, said:

"I am in better condition than I was last year, and the only handicap that the other oarsmen will have over me is that I am a little older."

When asked if he expected to win lost laurels, Titus said: "Of course there will be many good men in this race, including Vesley, Juvenal, Duffield and Ten Eyck, and although a dark horse might win, I hardly expect that. I will do my best, and if I do not win it will not be my fault."

Clarence Johnson of the Arlington Boat Club of Arlington, Mass., is expected to make a good showing in the association singles. Lloyd, also of the same club, will be a strong competitor in the intermediate sculls.

A race that will be of probably more interest to local rowing enthusiasts will be the senior four-oared, in which three local crews are entered.

The Century crew, which won the Harlem Cup race on the river recently, will probably be the favorite in this race, although the Westerns are also entered, and they gave to the Centurys a hot race on the river. The Mound Citiys have a strong crew and will likely win.

The senior eight-oared race will be between the Argonauts of Toronto and the Vesper eight of Philadelphia. This should be a hotly contested event, as practically the same oarsmen that are with the Vespers now went to Paris last year and won the championship of the world. The Argonauts are the champions of Canada, as well as of the United States, and the outcome of this race will be watched with interest.

LOU DILLON BREAKS RECORD.

Trots Mile in 2:04 at Detroit Grand Circuit Meet.

Detroit, Mich., July 27.—Rain threatened seriously to interfere with the third day's Grand Circuit racing at the Groose Pointe track to-day. The first event was delayed half an hour and then the programme was started with a drizzling rain falling. The weather cleared, however, and the 8,000 persons in attendance saw three favorites finish first and Lou Dillon break the track record of 2:05 by one second. Lou Dilon made the first quarter in :30¼, the half in 1:01, and the three-quarters in 1:32½. Millard Sanders drove in place of Lou Dillon's owner, C. K. G. Billings.

Summary:

2:09 class, pacing, purse $2,000; two in three heats:

John M., blk. g., by Paris—Laura (Spear)	1 1
King Direct, blk. h. (Geers)	3 2
Gallagher, b. g. (Ganes)	2 3
Albeck, blk. h. (Sanders)	4 4
Redbird, b. h. (Michael)	5 ds

Time—2:07, 2:09¼.

2:14 class, trotting, purse $1,500; three in five heats:

Sweet Marie, b. m., by McKinney—Carrie Mamb (Smith)	1	1	1		
Angiola, ch. m. (Ames)	2	2	2		
Wild Wilton, br. g. (Carey)	3	3	7		
Direct Clew, br. h. (De Ryder)	6	5	3		
Joymaker, b. h. (Geers)	4	4	4		
Haltry, b. g. (Foote)	8	6	5		
Nella Jay, ro. m. (McKee)	7	7	6		
Goldnug, g. g. (Stewart)	5	ds			

Time—2:10, 2:10¼, 2:10¼.

2:10 class, trotting, purse $1,500; two in three heats:

Doctor Strong, gr. g., by Strong Boy—Viola S. (Gahagan)	1	1
Judge Green, b. g. (De Ryder)	2	3
The Roman, b. g. (Snow)	4	2
Norrie, b. g. (B. Shank)	3	5
John Taylor, gr. g. (Wilson)	5	4
Lady Gail Hamilton, blk. m. (Hudson)	6	6
Robert Mac, b. g. (Geers)	7	7
Queen Wilkes, b. m. (Spear)	8	dr
Topsy, b. m. (Hanes)	ds	

Time—2:09, 2:09¾, 2:10¼.

2:25 class, pacing, purse $1,500; three in five heats:

Eudora, blk. m., by Wilton (Snow)	1	1	1		
McEurie, ro. g. (Geers)	4	2	2		
Joe Gratton, ch. h. (B. Shank)	2	5	5		
Monarch Chimes, blk. h. (Carey)	3	3	3		
William M., b. g. (McCarthy)	5	4	4		
Starch, br. h. (Foote)	6	ds			
Winnie King, ch. m. (Wilson)	ds				

Time—2:10¾, 2:12¾, 2:12¼.

THIELMAN STAYS IN PORTLAND.

National Commission Awards Player Claimed by the Robisons to Pacific Coast Club.

Cincinnati, July 27.—The National Baseball Commission to-day handed down a decision that player John Thielman, now with Portland, in the Pacific Coast League, belongs to that club.

The St. Louis National League club had protested against Thielman's playing with Portland, asserting that he signed a contract with St. Louis, but the commission decided that he signed a contract with Portland prior to his signing with St. Louis.

Pressmen Play Ball.

The Republic Pressmen defeated the Globe-Democrat Pressmen yesterday morning by the score of 27 to 7. The second game of the series of three between these teams will be played next Tuesday at Kulage Park.

FEDERAL COURTS POWERLESS

District Attorney Says State Officials Can