

SPORTS

SIX ERRORS IN JUST 843 CHANCES

Fine Record by Elmer Dugan in Past Season.

FIGURES ON FIELDING

Barnes of Davenport Leads League Hurlers.

Official fielding averages of the Three-I league for the 1915 season, issued yesterday, show that Elmer Dugan, Delos Brown and Nealon (Red) Lynch of the Decatur team, were among the leaders of the circuit.

Poor work by the other players in the field, however, brought Decatur's team average down considerably and the Commodores finished in seventh place. Davenport led all teams in fielding with a mark of .964 for the season. Quincy was second, Rockford third, and Dubuque-Freeport fourth.

LED FIRST BACKERS.
Dugan topped all first basemen with a mark of .993 for the season. Dugan accepted a total of 843 chances during the season with only six bloopers. That may be considered a record. Schmidt of Bloomington was second in fielding. Golvin of Quincy, was third, and Lester of Bloomington and Peoria was fourth. Dick Staley of Moline finished fifth. He made a total of sixteen errors during the season.

KOEPPING ON TOP.
Keeping of Davenport led the second basemen during the season with a mark of .974. Holloway of Decatur was sixth with .958.

Kahl of Quincy led the third sackers with a notch of .966. Lynch and Brown of Decatur were sixth and seventh, respectively.

Brown of Decatur, led all the shortstops with a mark of .955. Wilkes, Reul and Brannigan, who also played the position part of the season, were near the bottom.

Jacobs of Rockford led the catchers with a mark of .972. Munch of Decatur and Bloomington was fourth, and O'Brien of Decatur was eleventh.

Red Lynch of Decatur, led the outfielders with a mark of .954. Blitz and Flannigan were well down on the list. Lynch is credited with only three errors in ninety-seven games.

BARNES HEADS HURLERS.
Official league pitching records show that James James Barnes of Davenport, who was sold to Boston, was the most effective hurler in the circuit. He won eighteen and lost six games during the past season. Decatur's pitchers are all near the bottom. Some of the leaders are as follows:

PITCHERS' RECORD.

Name	Games	Won	Lost	Pct.
Bird, Rld.	6	2	4	.333
Finmore, P.	12	4	8	.333
Finmore, D.	12	4	8	.333
Graham, M.	27	10	17	.370
Trotter, Q.	28	10	18	.357
Furness, Q.	28	10	18	.357
Neel, M.	27	14	13	.519
Grubb, P.	24	11	13	.458
Grubb, D.	24	11	13	.458
Gould, D.	30	19	11	.633
Kempner, Q.	27	17	10	.630
Brown, P.	27	17	10	.630
Needles, B.	27	17	10	.630
Reilly, M.	24	15	9	.625
McIntosh, D.	24	15	9	.625
Truman, B.	10	3	7	.300
Eller, M.	41	19	22	.463
McIntosh, P.	20	12	8	.600
Thomas, D.	25	11	14	.440
McIntosh, Rld.	33	14	19	.424
John, P.	11	11	0	1.000

MAROA DEFEATED BLUNT, PULASKI

Dresen and Delaney in the Lineup.

Maroa, Sept. 28.—Poor base running and errors lost for Maroa to Mt. Pulaski Tuesday. Hotselnek pitched an excellent game but luck was against him all the time.

OTHER GAMES.
The same teams play again Friday at Maroa. Argenta plays Wednesday and the Decatur Senators Thursday.

DRESEN AND DELANEY.
Mr. Palaaki was strengthened yesterday by the addition of Dresen and Delaney, both hard hitters and Smith, the emery ball pitcher late of Decatur league team. In using the emery Smith destroyed 3 good balls and made up several others. Score:

Name	A.R.	R.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cramer, C.	5	2	10	3	2
C. Holsch, R.	5	0	1	1	1
Argentine, J.	4	2	1	0	0
Johnson, Jb.	4	0	0	2	2
H. Hogan, Jb.	3	0	0	2	2
Weldner, M.	3	0	0	2	2
Johnson, Jb.	4	0	0	0	3
Amundson, H.	4	1	1	0	0
Kotelnick, P.	4	1	1	0	0
Totals	38	2	10	27	12

MT. PULASKI.
D. McGill, M. 5 1 1 2 1 0
D. McGill, P. 4 2 2 0 0 0
Cramer, C. 3 1 1 11 2 0
Delaney, Jb. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Holsch, R. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Argentine, J. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Johnson, Jb. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Hogan, Jb. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Weldner, M. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Johnson, Jb. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Amundson, H. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Kotelnick, P. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Totals 37 9 3 27 6 1

BY INNINGS.
Maroa 00000000-2
Mt. Pulaski 00020112-8

HITS BY INNINGS.
Maroa 01120000-10
Mt. Pulaski 00020111-8

Base stolen—Argentine, R. Delos, Dresen, Constanen, 2; Smith, 2; Holsch, 1; Cramer, 1. Base on balls—Off Smith, 1; Off Kotelnick, 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Kotelnick (Dresen), Delaney, by Smith (Argentine), Struck out—By Smith, 8; By Dresen, 3; By Kotelnick, 2. Time of game—3:00. Umpire—J. Smith. Attendance—375.

PROGRESS OF PENNANT RACES

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.	Games behind
Pittsburgh	24	28	.461	0
St. Louis	23	29	.442	1
Chicago	22	30	.424	2
Kansas City	20	32	.385	4
Newark	18	34	.346	8
Baltimore	17	35	.327	9
Baltimore	16	36	.306	10

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.	Games behind
Philadelphia	20	28	.417	0
Boston	19	29	.396	1
Brooklyn	18	30	.373	2
Brooklyn	17	31	.353	3
Chicago	16	32	.333	4
St. Louis	15	33	.313	5
Cincinnati	14	34	.294	6
New York	13	35	.271	7
Philadelphia	12	36	.250	8

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.	Games behind
Washington	19	27	.410	0
Chicago	18	28	.392	1
Pittsburgh	17	29	.370	2
Philadelphia	16	30	.347	3
New York	15	31	.327	4
St. Louis	14	32	.306	5
Cincinnati	13	33	.286	6
Philadelphia	12	34	.261	7
Washington	11	35	.238	8
Philadelphia	10	36	.217	9

TUESDAY'S RESULTS.
Federal League.
Pittsburgh, 7; Newark, 2.
Washington, 3; Baltimore, 2.
Open date for other clubs.
National League.
Philadelphia, 4; Brooklyn, 4.
Chicago, 7-5; Cincinnati, 3-0.
Open date for other clubs.
American League.
Washington, 9; Detroit, 0.
Open date for other clubs.

TODAY'S GAMES.
National League.
Brooklyn at New York, clear.
Cincinnati at Chicago, clear.
Philadelphia at Boston, clear.
American League.
Philadelphia at Washington, clear; two games.
Chicago at Cleveland, clear.
St. Louis at Detroit, clear.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.
Chicago at Pittsburgh, clear.
Kansas City at St. Louis, cloudy.

CUBS TROUCE THE REDS TWICE

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Four circuit avals delivered at opportune moments swept the Cubs to another bargain bill triumph over the Reds yesterday. Schulte was the author of two, Saler and Williams contributing the others. By trouncing Herzog's minions, 7 to 3 and 4 to 6, in the presence of 1,200 and finely frapped patrons of the pastime, Rogers' refreshed clambered back to a tie with Pittsburgh for fourth place.

Schulte's twin clouts both against the right field scoreboard, accounted for five tallies, two in the opener and three in the first inning of the after-plate.

DELANEY STARS IN PANA GAME

Hits Triple and Home Run; Score Tied At End of Ninth.
Pana, Sept. 29.—The Pana Blues and the Mattoon league team played nine innings to a tie, 2 to 2, Sunday, before the largest crowd that ever witnessed a ball game in this portion of the state. Darkness called the game at the end of the ninth.

Mattoon was re-enforced by four Three-I Leaguers, with Selby of the Moline staff of twirlers doing the elab work for them, he let Pana down with but four hits. Crum, a Southern League pitcher, did the twirling for Pana. He was a trifle wild at times, but allowed only eight hits. Delaney of Mattoon, who played with Mattoon, was the hitting hero.

The two teams met again Sunday at Mattoon for the final game of the season. Scores.
Innings R.H.E.
Mattoon.....000020000-2 8 0
Pana.....010100000-2 4 2
Earned runs—Pana, 2. First base on errors—Mattoon, 1. Three-base hits—Delaney, White. Home run—Delaney. Struck out—By Selby, 14; by Crum, 9. Base on balls—Off Selby, 1; off Crum, 2. Wild pitches—Selby 11; by pitcher—By Crum, White. Double play—Delaney, unassisted. Stolen base—Dresen. Left on bases—Mattoon, 7; Pana, 3. Time of game—2:00. Umpire—Pritchard.

COACH ZUPPKE IS DISGUSTED

Says Haskell Indians Will Wake Up His Illinois Crew.
Urbana, Sept. 29.—For flew on Illinois field Tuesday night when the Illinois variety and freshmen clashed in a regular contest. While the regulars showed the intelligible under Coach Zuppke was highly disgusted with the work of Captain Watson's squad. Zuppke diagnosed the trouble as chestiness over last year's championship and asserted that the Haskell Indians would be Tartars unless there was a rapid change.

Bart Macomber kicked two goals from placement and appeared as quarter back when "Potay" Clark retired. Anderson, who is heralded as another Pogue, showed the best of the backs, although "Swede" Halstrom, the former Hyde Park star, made some excellent gains.

The speed of Breneman, Zuppke's newest and discovery, was a feature, and the stock of the former freshman quarter back went up a notch.

NOTED AUTOMOBILE DRIVER MAY DIE

New York, Sept. 29.—Harry F. Grant, the racing automobile driver, who was enveloped in flames while driving his machine at a 160-mile an hour clip on the Sheepshead Bay speedway, is in a critical condition. Surgeons stated he has only a slight chance to recover. Grant would not have been seriously burned if he had stopped his machine immediately after it caught fire. If he had done this, however, he would have endangered the lives of other drivers, who were close behind him.

Illinois Football Squads Open Big Season Saturday

Coaches of the teams in the Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic association plan to make the permanent assignment of positions this week, preliminary to the formal opening of the football season on Saturday. The final revision was given to the various schedules last week and a number of open dates filled. The complete list of games for the coming season is as follows:

Oct. 2—Hedding of Abingdon with Illinois Wesleyan at Bloomington; Western Illinois Normal at Macomb with Illinois State Normal at Normal; Eastern Illinois Normal of Charleston with Rose Poly at Terre Haute; William and Vashit at Alledo; Eureka with Hedding at Abingdon; Illinois State Normal with Bradley at Peoria; Lombard of Galesburg with Carthage of Carthage.

Nov. 5—Millikin of Decatur with Illinois at Jacksonville.
Nov. 6—Bradley of Peoria with Wesleyan at Bloomington; Lincoln college with State Normal at Normal; Shurtliff of Upper Alton with Eastern Illinois at Charleston; Eureka with William and Vashit at Alledo; Lombard of Galesburg with St. Louis university at St. Louis; Lake Forest with Monmouth at Monmouth; Washington university with Knox at Galesburg.

Nov. 18—Wesleyan with Millikin at Decatur; Illinois State Normal with Eastern Illinois Normal at Charleston; Bradley of Peoria with Lombard at Galesburg; Illinois of Jacksonville with Lincoln at Lincoln; Monmouth at Grinnell, Ia.
Nov. 19—Lincoln at Eureka; Lombard with Knox at Galesburg.
Nov. 20—Hedding of Abingdon with William and Vashit at Alledo; Shurtliff of Upper Alton with Bradley at Peoria.

Nov. 25—Knox of Galesburg with Monmouth at Monmouth; Charleston Normal with Millikin at Decatur; Christian Bros. college of Canton with Eureka at Canton, Mo.
Nov. 26—Illinois State Normal of Normal with Wesleyan at Bloomington; Northwestern of Naperville with William and Vashit at Alledo.

Oct. 23—William and Vashit at Alledo.

ATHLETIC CLUB AT ST. JOHANNES

Fifty Young Men in New Organization.
More than fifty men and young men members of the St. Johannes' Young Peoples' Society are expected to join the Athletic club, which will be organized under the direction of A. J. Holtmann in the big booster meeting to be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the Y. P. S. hall, Orchard and Lower streets. The club is expected to be one of the best of its kind in the city.

Aims of the organizers embrace baseball, basketball, football, tennis, indoor baseball teams and Indian club drills together with physical culture classes and social entertainments. Contests in the various games will be arranged with neighboring Lutheran clubs and societies. All young men members of St. Johannes' are desirous to be present at tonight's meeting.

MAY MAKE GOOD WITH ST. LOUIS

Pitcher Fred Lamline, after a couple of failures with the Chicago White Sox, seems destined to make good with the St. Louis Cardinals. Last spring the White Sox turned him back to Dubuque, where he did not get along, and he was released. Then he signed with Rockford under an agreement that he was to be free at the end of that season and when the Three-I league closed, the St. Louis club, through Scout Eddie Hor, picked him up. Lamline always has seemed to have a lot of stuff but for some reason never got away with it. Manager Huggins may have better success in handling him.

JOE MCGINNITY IS GIVEN BANQUET

The close of the season in Tacoma, Wash., was marked by a banquet given in honor of Joe McGinnity and his players in which it was agreed to bury the past disastrous season with all its bickerings and all the fans present pledged themselves to boost the same in 1916. The Tacoma club dropped a bunch of money on the season, but artistically the season was a great success, at least in the final month of the season, when McGinnity's players made a mad rush that landed them in second place.

BASKETBALL TEAM AT LA PLACE READY

Will Take on Games With Any Team in Central Illinois.
Manager H. E. Wagoner of the LaPlace independent basketball team, "Wagoner's Stars" has reorganized his team and is waiting hungrily for the booking of games with any independent basketball aggregation in central Illinois. The team this year is said to be faster than ever before and some warm sessions are looked forward to in LaPlace during the coming season.

WALTER JOHNSON IN GREAT FINISH

Washington, Sept. 29.—Walter Johnson won the second and final game of the season from Detroit yesterday, 3 to 0. Johnson struck out ten men in the first five innings, fanning the entire side, including Cobb, in the initial round. In the last half of the fifth a single, a pass and Foster's double netted Washington two runs. In the eighth Millan's hit bounded over Cobb's head for a home run.

PUT THE DODGERS OUT OF RACE

Moran's Phillies New Only One Game Away From Pennant.
Brooklyn, Sept. 29.—Pat Moran's Phillies Tuesday afternoon put the Dodgers out of the race for the National league pennant when they defeated them, 5 to 4. The victory won by George Chalmers puts Moran's men within one game of the flag. The Phillies have seven more games to play and lead the Boston Braves by that number, while the latter club has eight games scheduled to go.

CRITICAL TIME FOR THE THREE-I

Annual Meeting Probably Next Week.

WANT ROCK ISLAND

Terre Haute and Evansville Are Possibilities.

Though the official call for the annual meeting of the Three-I league has not yet been issued by President A. H. Tearnay, it is now thought probable that the directors will get together in Chicago on Tuesday, Oct. 6, says the Davenport Times.

CIRCUIT MATTER IS SERIOUS.
The makeup of the circuit is the most serious problem facing the directors at the coming session. The league drew up on Sept. 12 with only seven clubs. Another one will be necessary to complete the octet, and there is a possibility that there may be some changes among the seven who stuck to the finish.

Tearnay has declared Evansville and Terre Haute were ready to embrace an opportunity to enter the Three-I Moline and Davenport are known to be keen for the entrance of Rock Island. The Islanders still insist they will have nothing to do with the league as long as Tearnay is president, but they have openly made the statement that they will come in within 24 hours after the time that anybody else is given the chair.

DAVENPORT INSISTS ON ACTION.
Davenport is one burg that will insist on something being done at the Chicago meeting, and there are others fondling the same sentiment. Last winter, the circuit matter was in doubt until a short time before the day on which the season was scheduled to open. Davenport, for one, does not intend to stand for any such dilatory tactics this year. President Dick R. Lane and Secretary J. T. Hayes have their minds made up, and unless the league shows a disposition to do something and do it before the snow flies, there may be no baseball in these parts next year.

HI JASPER MAY JOIN CARDINALS

Pitcher Henry Jasper, released by the Chicago White Sox to Los Angeles, with which club he made one appearance, and then jumped back to St. Louis, may join the St. Louis Cardinals. Manager Huggins of the Cardinals is said to have agreed to take Jasper off the hands of Los Angeles if the erratic pitcher will agree to attend to business and play ball.

MONTICELLO HORSE PEORIA WINNER

Captain Canada Takes Bill Trot Without Trouble.
Peoria, Sept. 29.—At the Great Western race at the National Implement and Vehicle Show here today Barlight featured in the 2:05 pace by taking three straight heats. Capt. Canada, the Monticello horse, got a bad start in the 2:11 trot, landing fourth in the first heat, but came strong, taking the next three firsts and the race. Vinda Vincent took the second, third and fourth heats winning the 2:15 pace.

Races are scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Saturday's program includes running races, the first in Peoria for many years.

FAST TIME AT COLUMBUS RACES

Columbus, O., Sept. 28.—Volga, champion two-year-old trotter of this racing season, stepped the last halves of two mile heats in 1:03 and 1:04, while winning the Chicago Horseman and Spirit of the Times futurity, one of the principal events on Tuesday's grand circuit card at the Driving park here.

In thirteen other heats by the aged trotters and pacers, no last half was as good as 1:03. Over a cuppy track, Volga finished each heat alone, Blingon Silk in turn placing by rushes past Sudline and Walnut Tree. The winner is owned by the Pastime stable of Cleveland and last week won the Horse Review race for trotters of her age.

Lizzie Brown, counted on to have the Chamber of Commerce trotting stake at her mercy, did win, but five heats were required. She broke at the turn home while leading in the first heat and in the third heat when near the finish her unsteadiness was repeated.

WAS BIG SHOCK FOR THE CHAUFFEUR

Quincy Herald.—Everybody doesn't know who the champion of the world is. That fact came as a great shock to Jess Willard's chauffeur today. The chauffeur had injured his ankle and stopped at the first doctor's sign he saw on Maine street. It happened to be that of Dr. German, Quincy's well known woman physician.

Dr. German fixed the ankle all right and then the chauffeur thought he would give her a great treat. "I'm Jess Willard's chauffeur," he said.

Dr. German looked pleasant. "Yes," she said, "Where did you say his garage was?" and she got ready to enter it on her books for charging. "I'm Jess Willard's chauffeur," said the injured man, still more proudly and loudly. "I'm sorry but I don't know Mr. Willard," said the doctor. "What is his address?" And the chauffeur nearly fainted.

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