

The Leland Giants Baseball and Amusement Association has a capital stock of \$100,000.

When an opposing pitcher plays a winning game his life is sometimes in danger—he may be kidnaped.

Some managers don't allow their pitchers to overexert themselves on bases. Their jobs are on the mounds.

An old baseball veteran attributes "watching the little things of the game" to the success of a player.

A pitcher on the Cubar Stars is not confused by watching baserunners; the catcher keeps his eye on them.

There has been more rooting for the visiting teams at the Indianapolis A. A. Park during the last three weeks than any time heretofore this season. The Indians seem to be pulling hard for the bottom.

The Illinois Giants have a strong team this year and belong to the Inter-City League. Johnson, formerly of the A. B. C.'s, has made a fine record for himself. He has won all the games pitched by him, eight in number, and has the unique record of holding the strong Cuban Stars to a score which is less than any other

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three hits, which is less than any other pitcher who has yet faced them. He has pitched two games against them, winning both and held the Auburn Parks to three hits and the DeKalbs to two hits. His average for strikeouts has been eight. The lineup of the Illinois Giants have an all-college semi-professional team, which they claim is the only one before the public today. The lineup is as follows: Pollard, Dartmouth University; Parker and Johnson, Illinois University; Harris and Sublette, Fisk University; Gordon and Gilper-son, University of Pennsylvania; Newton, Hampton, Va.; Jenkins, Hyde Park High School; Lyons, South Division High School; Mathews, University of Wisconsin; Wyatt, Indiana State University, and Smith, graduate of Hyde Park High School.

PASSES THROUGH CITY.

Charles Stephens, manager of Eagles of New Orleans, was in the city two days of last week to arrange for a game with the A. B. C.'s. The Eagles are on a northern tour.

West Baden Sprudels Win.

WEST BADEN, Ind.—The West Baden Sprudels defeated the Birmingham Giants

in a loosely played game. The feature of the game was the timely batting of Woods. Score—West Baden, 10; Giants, 6. Batteries—West Baden, Brown and Coleman; Giants, Pams and Cobb.

PITCHER WINS 11 OF 12 GAMES.

MARIANNA, Fla. — The Marianna Schawbs are making good everywhere they have played. The Schawbls have some of the fastest players in western Florida. C. W. Pierce, pitcher, has pitched twenve games of ball and has won eleven and tied one. He had three shutouts. Buster Gardwin, his catcher, has the squeeze. The boys played Pensacola Thursday and Friday. For communication write to R. Baker, Marianna, Fla., Box 281.

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OCTOBER and NOVEMBER 1909.

This famous Team of colored baseball players will tour the Southern, Western and Pacific states at the close of their 1909 Season in the Chicago League, beginning Oct. 5th, and ending Dec. 5th, 1909. Exhibition games can be arranged now by writing to the undersigned for terms and conditions.

Those wishing to make money as well as give the Public an opportunity to see the world's greatest Ball Players in action will do well to organize Local Clubs and arrange dates.

Address all communications to

BEAUREGARD F. MOSELEY, Sec'y & Treas.

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