



St. Paul Colored Gophers
VS
Leland's Chicago Giants
AT LEXINGTON PARK
July 24-25-26-27-28

What will unquestionably prove to be the most important event staged in semi-professional 'base ball this season, to fans and lovers of the great national game, in and around the

Twin Cities will be the series between the champion Colored Gophers of St. Paul and Frank Leland's famous Chicago Giants, for the world's championship.

The games will be played at Lexington Park, starting Sunday, July 24, with four days to follow, viz.: July 25-26-27-28.

Last season when these teams met the Gophers, after five fierce struggles, captured three out of the five games played, in what critics and newspaper experts declared was an exhibition of some of the fastest and brainiest playing of the national game ever seen in St. Paul.

With a majority of last season's line up and several new stars added, the Gophers still maintain one of the fastest semi-professional clubs in the

country, and the boys promise to make a gallant stand to retain their title.

Out of 68 games played thus far this season 62 have been victories.

With "Lefty" Pangburn, Johnny Davis and Louis Johnson, the Gophers can boast of one of the best pitching staffs in the country. Bobby Marshall, McDugal, Bowman and Taylor make up the infield; Barton, Binga and Wesley the outfield.

Special street car service will be furnished with preparations for handling one of the largest crowds ever assembled at Lexington Park on the opening day, Sunday, July 24.

The Chicago Giants is a member of the Chicago City League and has in its line up: "Rat" Johnson, "Little Wallace" and "Steel Arm" Johnny Taylor, prominent players in last season's champion Gopher team.

Lovers of base ball that is base ball don't want to miss these games.

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