

# News of the Sporting World

IN THE CITY OF CHICAGO.

## BREAK EVEN IN DOUBLE-HEADER.

The Pensacola Giants and Louisville Cubs broke even in a double header July 18. Good hitting and all good around playing were features of the games.

First game—

P. G. ....	0	2	0	3	0	1	1	1	0—8
L. C. ....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Second game —

P. G. ....	0	0	4	0	0	1	1	0	1—7
L. C. ....	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0—8

Umpire—Nutter.

## THE ST. LOUIS GIANTS IN SPLENDID FORM.

Special to THE FREEMAN.

Manager Mills, of the St. Louis Giants Baseball Club, has one of the best colored teams in the country under his wing; and this has been clearly demonstrated by the wonderful article of ball they have been playing in the past several weeks.

On July 3 and 4 the St. Louis Giants defeated the Memphis Unions before one of the largest crowds that ever assembled under one roof to witness a semi-professional ball game in the city of St. Louis. The Giants gave Memphis two sound walloping.

St. L. Giants . . . . 3 0 0 2 3 0 4 2 \*—14  
 Memphis Unions . . 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1— 1

Batteries—Lyons and Primm; Talbot, Lee and Turner.

Attendance, 7,250.

The St. Louis Giants continued their long string of victories by taking two games from Nashville, July 10 and 11, before a great crowd.

First Game—

Giants . . . . . 1 4 4 0 0 0 0 1 \*—10  
 Nashville . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 0— 4

Batteries—Lyons and Primm; Sned, Calhoun and Turner.

Attendance, 4,500.

Second game—

Giants . . . . . 5 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 \*—9  
 Nashville . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Batteries—Stevenson and Primm; Hurt and Woodford.

Attendance, 2,800.

Before one of the most fashionable crowds of the season the Giants continued to win by downing the Black Eagles of New Orleans, in two brilliant games, July 17 and 18.

First game—

Giants . . . . . 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 \*—3  
 Black Eagles . . . . 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2

Batteries—Lyons and Primm; Stevens, Scott and Ephram.

Attendance, 5,200.

Second game—

Giants . . . . . 2 0 0 3 0 2 0 2 \*—9  
 Black Eagles . . . . 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0—3

Batteries—Stevens and Primm; Scott, Stevens and Ephram.

Attendance, 3,100.

### Notes of the Game.

Little Primm is certainly the candy kid. His brilliant catching and accurate base throwing are certainly a pleasure to the fans.

Oh, you Stevens, keep up your brilliant work in the box and you will be reckoned among the greatest boxmen in the country.

Big Chief Nathan Knight has gained the title of Home Run Knight. They just can't keep him from hitting it over the fence.

Manager Mills is all smiles these days.

Alex Jones is now quite a favorite with the fans, because of the wonderful one-hand catches he has been making in left field and saving several games.

It seems as if the Giants are going to set a new record in winning victories. They have annexed their twenty-sixth victory.

CHAS. A. MILLS.

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### A VERY FINE GAME.

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Special to THE FREEMAN.

The Pensacola, Fla., Cubs and the Pensacola Stars played a very fine game last week, of which the Stars were the winners by a score of 5 to 4.

Batteries—Stars, Preston and Lewis; Cubs, Dorsey and Cattlet.

A very large crowd was in attendance, and Umpire Colbert officiated.

Four teams will play every week for a flag presented by the special agent of THE FREEMAN. These teams will be in the city league, and are as follows:

The Freeman Giants, Florida Cubs, Warrington Stars, Phoenix Giants.

It is understood that these teams will play some fine games, beginning Friday, August .

The game between the Phoenix Giants and the Pensacola Stars, which was to have been played last Friday, was postponed on account of rain.

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## DALLAS, TEXAS.

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July 16, Dallas 3, Oklahoma 2—Eleven Innings.

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July 17, double header. First game, Dallas, 1; Oklahoma, 0. Second game, Dallas, 1; Oklahoma, 1. eleven innings. Game called on account of darkness.

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## KEYSTONES, OF SAN ANTONIO, TEX., COMING NORTH.

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Special to THE FREEMAN.

The Keystones are the coming club. When the Chicago club was here some of the players said that William Gatewood couldn't pitch ball. He is the best

colored pitcher in the baseball game today. None of them can pitch like him. James Shawles knocks home runs whenever the fans ask for one. Eugene Barton makes all kinds of crazy catches out in center field. Fans are wild about him. John Welbe, another Petway, throws like him, and the Texas players won't run on him. Gatewood got him from out of the sticks. The fans nearly cried Sunday when little Davis hurt his ankle. He will be out of the game for a week or two.

The Keystones leave here August 15 bound for Minneapolis. The first stop will be at Kansas City, Mo., and from there to St. Louis, Memphis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Chicago and Minneapolis.

BY CARY B. LEWIS.

### Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
West Ends .....	11	3	.786
Logan Squares.....	8	5	.615
Chicago Giants .....	7	6	.538
Rogers Park .....	6	7	.462
Spaldings .....	5	10	.333
Red Sox .....	4	10	.286

Special to THE FREEMAN.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 18.—In a fast and interesting game between the Rogers Park and the Chicago Giants, last Sunday, the Giants won over the Rogers' at a score of 4 to 1. The game was played

at Rogers Park and a large crowd was present. It was "Cyclone" Williams who received the honors of the day. He was the hero of all the Sunday games played in Chicago on that day. He struck out thirteen men with apparent ease, and had it not been for wild heaving in the ninth inning, Williams would have been credited with a shut-out game. As usual, Pettus made his two-hit run and a double play unassisted. Moore, all, Wright and Pettus did the hitting, while other members of the team made splendid showing throughout the game. The winning of this game put the Giants in third place in the City League standing. The score:

Giants.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Wallace, 3 b.....	0	0	1	3	0
Seldon, s. s.....	0	0	1	3	0
Pettus, c. ....	1	2	15	1	0
Moore, c. f.....	0	1	0	0	0
Winston, l. f.....	0	0	0	0	0
Ball, r. f.....	3	2	0	0	0
Johnson, 1 b.....	0	1	9	0	0
Wright, 2 b.....	0	2	1	1	0
Williams, p. ....	0	1	0	2	1
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Totals .....	4	9	27	10	1
Rogers Park.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Lovett, l. f.....	0	0	1	0	0
Righter, 2 b.....	0	0	0	b	1
G'tenrich, c. f.....	0	1	2	0	0
Most, 1 b.....	0	1	14	0	0
Zangerle, c. ....	0	0	4	1	0
Ryan, r. f.....	0	0	4	1	0
Hilgendorf, s. s.....	1	1	1	2	0

Hage, 3 b.....	0	0	1	2	0
Scanlon, p. ....	0	0	0	4	0

Totals .....	1	3	27	14	1
Chicago Giants....	1	1	0	0	0
Rogers Park.....	0	0	0	0	0

Two-base hit—Pettus. Double play—Pettus (unassisted). Struck out—By Williams, 13; by Scanlon, 3. Bases on balls—Off Williams, 5; off Scanlon, 1. Time—1:55. Umpire—Goeckel.

## LELANDS WHIP SPRUDELS.

Role Up Score of 9 to 0—Great Crowd Present.

Otis Burnett, of West Baden, Ind., came to the city Sunday with the West Baden Sprudels, to play against the Leland Giants. Much to the credit of the visitors, they put up a fine game. The first six innings were as finely played as any team the champions have gone up against. The Sprudels were in excellent trim, and their good playing elicited a great deal of rooting from the fans. Taylor, the pitcher for the Sprudels, could not deliver the goods, while Dougherty, of the Lelands, was "there." Taylor struck out two men, while Dougherty struck out nine men. Every man on the Leland Giants team made a hit except Pryor, and Hill and Payne made three-base hits. One of the largest crowds of the season attended the game. The score:

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Leland Giants.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Petway, c. ....	1	1	8	2	0
Hill, c. f. ....	1	2	1	0	0
Johnson, 2 b. ....	3	1	1	5	1
Lloyd, s. s. ....	0	0	1	3	0
Booker, 1 b. ....	1	2	3	0	0
Duncan, l. f. ....	2	1	1	0	0
Payne, r. f. ....	1	3	0	0	0
Pryor, 3 b. ....	0	0	2	1	0
Dougherty, p. ....	0	1	0	2	1

Totals ..... 9 11 27 13 2

West Baden.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Moore, l. f. ....	0	1	2	1	0
C. Taylor, 2 b. ....	0	2	3	1	3
Bingham, l. f. ....	0	0	0	1	0
S. Wiley, 3 b. ....	0	0	4	2	1
Lewis, 1 b. ....	0	0	7	2	1
Clark, s. s. ....	0	1	2	1	0
Brown, c. f. ....	0	1	1	0	0
W. Wiley, c. ....	0	0	3	4	0
B. Taylor, p. ....	0	0	2	2	1

Totals ..... 0 5 24 14 6

Lelands	0	0	0	2	0	1	5	1	*—9
Sprudels	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Two-base hits—Clark, Johnson, Dougherty, Petway. Three-base hits—Hill, Payne. Struck out—By Dougherty, 9; by Taylor, 2. Bases on balls—Off Dougherty, 1; off Taylor, 4. Umpire—Fyffe. Time—2 hours.

The Leland Giants defeated the Felix Colts Sunday morning, 5 to 1, at Ogden's Grove. The score:



Leland Giants.....0 4 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—5  
 Felix Colts .....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1  
 Two-base hits—Pryor, Wickware, Hendricks, Lehman, Strothers. Struck out—By Wickware, 7; by Wahl, 6. Bases on balls—Off Wickware, 3; off Wahl, 1. Umpire—Stuart. Time—1:50.

## SHAMROCKS FALL IN DEFEAT.

The Stars of Cuba defeated the Shamrocks by the score of 7 to 3 at Dellwood Park, Joliet, Sunday, at the annual picnic of the employes of Siegel, Cooper & Co. The score:

Stars of Cuba.....3 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0—7  
 Shamrocks .....0 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0—3  
 Two-base hit—Nelson. Three-base hit—Chacon. Struck out—By McDonough, 5; by Munoz, 12. Bases on balls—Off McDonough, 5; off Munoz, 3. Time—2:05. Umpire—Lippert.

## LELANDS TAKE HITTING MATCH FROM GUNTHERS

Colored Players Rout Rugar and Hammer Bergmann, Winning One-Sided Contest by the Score of 9 to 3.

The Leland Giants won a hard hitting contest from the Gunthers, Saturday, at Gunther Park, by the score of 9 to 3. The

colored men put the game away early, putting seven runs over the plate in the first five innings, when they hit Rugar hard. Bergmann took Rugar's place in the fifth, but he was unable to stop the attack of the Giants. The North Siders also hit hard, collecting eleven hits off Foster. The score:

Leland Giants.....	0	0	2	1	4	0	2	0	0	—9
Gunthers .....	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	—3

Two-base hits—Gill, Foster, Petway (2), Payne, Andrews, Rietz. Double plays—Rietz to Schall to Dicke to Hutton to Schall; Heckinger to Rietz. Struck out—By Rugar, 2; by Bergmann, 2; by Foster, 5. Bases on balls—Off Foster, 1. Umpire—Pollard. Time—2:00.

## STARS OF CUBA IN TRIPLE PLAY.

### Island Tossers Stage Feature, Beating All-Chicagos, 5 to 3.

The first triple play of the season among the semi-pros was engineered Saturday, when the Stars of Cuba were put out three in a row in the fifth inning of their game with the All-Chicagos at Rogers Park. The Cubans won by the score of 5 to 3. The play came up after Cabanas had reached first on an error by Leo Murphy. Govantes advanced him to second on a wallop that was fielded to second, making both men safe.

Hidalgo filled the bases with a short single, and then Vulla lifted a fly back of

first that was held and fired home for the second out. The catcher then winged it to third and caught Hidalgo between second and third and the team ran him down. The Cubans got their first two runs on a

misjudged fly to the outfield in the first inning that went for a double. The score:  
 Stars of Cuba. . . . .2 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0—5  
 All-Chicagos . . . . .0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0—3  
 Two-base hit—Hidalgo. Double play—Cabanas to Figarola. Triple play—L. Murphy to Cigrang to C. Murphy to Anderson to Sternheim to C. Murphy. Struck out—By Parker, 11; by Parera, 9. Bases on balls—Off Parker, 2; off Parera, 3. Umpire—McQuaid. Time—1:55.

## STARS TAKE FIRST GAME

### Cubans Pile Up Early Lead and Defeat Sprudels, 8 to 1.

The Stars of Cuba won the first game of their series with the West Baden Sprudels, Monday, at Gunther Park, by the score of 8 to 1. Williams' pitching in the first two innings giving the islanders too much of a lead for the Sprudels to overcome. The score:

Stars of Cuba. . . . .1 4 0 0 0 0 2 1 \*—8  
 Sprudels . . . . .0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

Two-base hits—Chacon, Hidalgo, Guerra, Figarola. Double play—Clark to Lewis. Struck out—By Mendez, 11; by Taylor, 2. Bases on balls—Off Taylor, 1. Umpire—Fyfe. Time—1:55.

On Monday of this week the Chicago Baseball League passed a rule barring games between its members and all visiting colored ball clubs from now on, the rule being made to include the Cuban clubs that have been playing around the circuit the past two years. The rule will work very badly against the Stars of Cuba, who figured on playing on the Chicago League Circuit after the Cuban Stars left the city. This action means that the Chicago Leaguers will not play visiting colored teams any more in the future.

## THE CLARKSVILLE GIANTS' ITINERARY

### A March of Triumph for the Strong Club of Tennessee Through Kentucky.

Following is the score of the well-known aggregation, the Clarksville Giants, the result of their successful tour of the State of Kentucky:

July 8—At Earlington, Ky.—										
Clarksville	.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Earlington	.....	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	*—2
Batteries—Clarksville, Munford and Hunter; Earlington, King and Radford.										
July 9—At Earlington—										
Clarksville	.....	1	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	3—11
Earlington	.....	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	2—8
Batteries—McCurdy and Hunter; Rad-										

ford and Redd.  
 July 10—At Dawson Springs—  
 Clarksville . . . . .1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0—4  
 St. Charles . . . . .0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0  
 Batteries—Clarksville, Pritchett and  
 Berryman; St. Charles, Jones, Walton  
 and Douglass.  
 July 11—At Dawson Springs—  
 Clarksville . . . . .2 1 1 1 2 0 2 1 2—12  
 St. Charles . . . . .0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0  
 Batteries—Munford and Hunter; Jones  
 Anderson, Walton and Douglass.  
 July 12—At Madisonville—  
 Clarksville . . . . .1 0 1 0 0 4 1 0 1—8  
 Madisonville . . . . .0 0 5 0 2 0 0 0 0—7  
 Batteries—Clarksville, E. Munford, Mc-  
 Curdy and Hunter; Madisonville, Bishop,  
 Slate and Walker.  
 July 13—At Madisonville—  
 Clarkville 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—3  
 Mad. . . . .0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2  
 Batteries—W. Munford and Hunter;  
 Slade and Walker.  
 July 14—  
 Clarksville . . . . .1 4 3 1 1 1 1 2 2—16  
 Providence . . . . .0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1  
 Batteries—Clarksville, McCurdy and  
 Ray; Providence, Green, J. Stiger and  
 Jackson.  
 Clarksville . . . . .2 2 3 1 1 0—9  
 Providence . . . . .0 0 0 0 0 0—0  
 Batteries—Pritchett and Ray; Green,  
 and Shineye.

# Leland Giants Base Ball Park

**69th and Halsted Sts., Chicago, Ill.**

Stars of Cuba, Sunday, July 24, at Home.

The first and only colored Ball Club in the Union to become Champions in a white league. Base Ball played scientifically and gentlemanly every Sunday at 3:30 p. m., before the best people. Game Sunday, July 10, Leland Giants vs. Gunthers.

## ***In the Field of Sport.***

BY HAROLD C. McGATH.

### **IN A LEAGUE OF WHITE PLAYERS.**

**Chance to Win Pennant at Salt Lake City, Utah.**

Special to The Freeman.

I write to your paper to give you a line on our colored baseball team, the Occidentals. The Occidentals have a berth in the Utah State League, of which they were a member in 1908. This is the only colored baseball team to have a berth in a state league made up of whites that I ever heard of before, and I am proud to let you know that they are making good.

Ad Lankford, the big St. Joe, Mo., pitcher, is more than making good. Lankford is in rare form and is good enough to make good in any company. The Occidentals have also on the pitching staff W. Mooney of Texas. Mr. Mooney is also doing good work for the team.

I am sure that we will win the pennant. The team is figuring on making a trip East, and if Manager Frank Black can get arrangements made with his team you may see the Occidentals in the East.

The team wintered in California and won the most of their games while down there.

I guess I have given you all the dope  
for this writing and will close. I am,  
Yours truly,

J. F. BURNS.

33 Commercial street, Salt Lake City.

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## HARD-FOUGHT GAMES.

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Special to The Freeman.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—By a score of 3 to 0 the Oklahoma City Monarchs defeated the Ft. Worth Wonders, July 9. The Monarchs are playing errorless games.

Batteries—For the Wonders: Shanks and Loften; for Monarchs: Boone and Bolden. Attendance, 1,500. Umpire—Pearson. Time—1:20.

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July 10.—The Wonders succeeded in defeating the Monarchs by a score of 5 to 0.

The Wonders outhit and outplayed the Monarchs all the way. The Wonders allowed only one man to reach third base.

The feature of the game was the Wonders' hitting. Baby Webb was hit for 17 bingles, while Black Frank was hit for only 4.

Batteries—For Wonders: Black Frank and Loften; for Monarchs: Baby Webb and Bolden. Attendance, 3,000. Time—1:30. Umpire—Pearson.

July 11.—This was a pitchers' battle up until the last half of the sixth inning, when Boone opened up with a single, Hubbard walked and Bennett broke the

game up with a three-base hit, scoring Boone and Hubbard. Foster made a squeeze play with Bennett and took the Wonders off their feet. Boone did great work at bat and also on the slab and defeated the Wonders by a score of 6 to 0.

Batteries—For Wonders: Liggins and Carl; for Monarchs: Boone and Bolden. Attendance, 2,000. Time—1:30. Umpire—Pearson.

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C. H. Young, owner, is well pleased with his strong aggregation since he has secured the services of Chas. B. Foster, better known as Alabama Red, and also Bingo, the crack second baseman of the Kansas City, Kas., Giants, and also Johnson Hill, the lightning third baseman of the Waco Yellow Jackets. Hill is in a class to himself in this section of the country. He has no equal.

Captain Donald says his infield is stronger now than ever. These men have made a great reputation with the fans of Oklahoma City.

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How to keep your club in harmony and get ball playing out of your men:

It don't matter what position a man can play or how many positions he can play, never let him have his way. The Monarch were in Kansas City, Kas., on the Fourth of July, when one stone killed three men. T. McAdoo, first baseman; J. Norman, third baseman, and D. Williams, an outfielder, were given their un-



conditional releases without any warning whatever. They broke the rules of

the club by playing the morning of the Fourth with Jack Johnson's Royal Giants of Kansas City, Mo., and they intended to get back in Kansas City, Kas., in time to play a double-header with their own club. The game was delayed by waiting on them. They want to get back to the Monarchs now, but will never have success.

C. H. YOUNG.

## FIRST EIGHT MEN UP HIT HOME RUNS OVER FENCE

PADUCAH, Ky.—The first eight men up for the Pensacola (Fla.) Giants against the Paducah Nationals, both negro teams, each knocked a home run over the right field fence in a game here recently. The Paducah pitcher then settled down and allowed one only more run, the score resulting 9 to 0 for Pensacola.

## Base Ball Players Wanted

Pitcher, Catcher and Short Stop. Must be able to play in fast company. Send reference and salary wanted in first letter. Address Jack Johnson, Mgr., 1005 McGee St. Kansas City, Mo.

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## KANSAS CITY, KANSAS, GIANTS BASE BALL CLUB,

Record breakers for 1909, viz: 147 games played, 128 won, (54 consecutively). Would like to hear from first class teams. We have our own park, located one block from car line. Average Sunday attendance for 1909, 1,723. Address all communications to TOBE SMITH, 430 Washington Boulevard, Kansas City, Kansas.

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## **St. Louis Giants**

Would like to hear from all first class clubs. Address all communications to Charles A. Mills, 2320 Pine St., St. Louis, Mo. We own our own Park—on direct car line.

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## Frank Leland's Chicago Giants

At their new home, Red Sox Park, 61st St. and St. Lawrence Ave. Take any South Side car and transfer on 61st street, or take Elevated road, Jackson Park train and get off at 61st street.

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