

# News of the Sporting World

IN THE CITY OF CHICAGO.

## BASEBALL AT LOUISVILLE.

(BY JESSE PALMER.)

The largest crowd of the season was on hand at Spring Bank Park Sunday to witness the game between the Cubs and the Black Bronchos, the bloomer girls. Five thousand paid admission. Most of the crowd were ladies, who were well satisfied.

Miss Jones was the star, making three hits in four times up. Rodgers and Wallace did the best work for the Cubs.

Following are the scores:

First game—

First game—										R.	H.	E.
Bronchos..	2	1	2	0	3	0	1	0	0—	9	9	6
Cubs .....	1	3	4	0	0	1	1	0	0—	10	14	4

Batteries—Bronchos: Diskmore and Bell; Cubs: Martin, Griffin and Williams.

Two-base hits—Wallace, Taylor, Brennen, Martin, Woods, Jones. Double play—Rodgers, Wallace and Emory. Umpire—Nutter.

Second game—

Second game—										R.	H.	E.
Bronchos..	1	2	1	0	4	0	0	0	0—	8	4	10
Cubs .....	2	2	5	0	0	1	0	1	*—	11	12	9

Batteries—Bronchos: Taylor and Bell; Cubs: West and Rose.

Two-base hits—Jones, Wallace, Watson, Rodgers. Umpire—Nutter.

Dusty Rhodes, Sunday, Aug. 7. Game called at 3:30.

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Next Sunday Dusty Rhodes, champions of Louisville.

BY CARY B. LEWIS.

### Standing of Chicago League.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
West Ends.....	13	4	.765
Logan Squares .....	10	6	.625
Chicago Giants .....	8	7	.533
Rogers Parks .....	7	9	.437
Spaldings .....	7	11	.389
Red Sox .....	5	13	.278

BY CARY B. LEWIS.

Special to THE FREEMAN.

CHICAGO, Ill., August 3.—The Chicago Leland Giants made a great finish in the ninth inning on last Sunday, at Rogers Park, the result being one of the best games seen here this season. The game was played against Rogers Park, and the score ended 6 to 5 in favor of the colored boys.

A great crowd was present to see the game. It was snappy and interesting throughout. It proved more exciting when "Chapple" Johnson turned the tide in the ninth by singling, with two gone and Pettus on second. Just ahead of the colored team's success the Rogers Park team tied the game up on a single by Gertenrich and Zangerl's double. Gibbons' team had a grand chance to win, but the Giants were too clever. The white team had an excellent chance in the seventh inning, but Ball gamely held them down.

...ent down.

Walter Ball pitched a great game and his support was magnificent. Pettus, Wallace and Winston made two-base hits. Frank Leland told "Chapple" Johnson that if he made a hit in the ninth inning a \$5.00 note was awaiting him. "Chapple," anxious to make the five, came to the bat smiling, and said, "Boys, I got 'em." With this happy expression, he made a hit, broke the tie and won the game. During the remainder of the day and all the week "Chapple" has been the recipient of many congratulations.

With the winning of this game the Giants are now in third place in the City League standing. Mr. Leland and Major R. R. Jackson were very proud of the success of the team, both commenting favorably upon the excellent showing of all the players. The cleverness and ability shown in the game, together with the excitement, puts the Giants up a few notches higher in the estimation of the local fans, and this past battle means larger crowds at the Chicago Giants' games. The score:

Giants.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Wallace, 3 b.....	2	2	0	1	1
Harris, r. f.....	1	1	0	0	1
Pettus, 1 b.....	2	3	11	1	0
Moore, c. f.....	0	0	1	0	0
Winston, l. f.....	1	2	4	0	2
Johnson, c. ....	0	1	7	1	0
Ball, p. ....	0	2	2	3	0
Williams, p. ....	0	0	0	0	0
Selden, s. s.....	0	2	0	4	1
Wright, 2 b.....	0	0	0	0	0

Seiden, s. s.....	0	2	0	4	1
Wright, 2 b.....	0	0	2	5	0
Totals .....	6	13	27	15	5
Rogers Parks.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Lovett, l. f.....	0	1	2	0	0
Righter, 2 b.....	1	1	1	2	0
Giblin, 2 b.....	0	0	2	1	0
Gerberich, c. f.....	2	3	2	0	0
McDonough, 1 b.....	0	1	13	1	0
Zangerle, c. ....	1	3	4	5	0
Hage, 3 b. ....	0	1	0	5	1
Ryan, r. f.....	0	1	1	0	0
Hillendorf, s. s.....	0	1	1	1	1
Most, p. ....	1	0	0	4	0
Totals .....	5	12	26	19	2

Chicago Giants . . . 0 0 1 0 4 0 0 0 1—6  
Rogers Park.....0 0 2 0 0 1 1 0 1—5

Two-base hits—Pettus, Wallace, Winston, Zangerle. Three-base hit—Gertenrich. Struck out—By Most, 3; by Ball, 3. Bases on balls—Off Most, 3; off Ball, 3. Umpire—Fitzpatrick. Time—2:10.

## EASY FOR LELANDS TO WIN; GUNTHERS LOSE, 7 TO 1

The Leland Giants are still winning. Their streak of winning has not run out. They played the Gunthers on last Sunday and won by a score of 7 to 1. Bergman lost the game, as six of the runs came off him in the first and third innings. In the first session he passed Duncan, the first man up, and Pete Hill hit the first ball for a homer. Five hits and



ball for a homer. Five hits and an error cost four runs in the third inning. Rugar was placed on the mound and held the colored boys down from the fifth inning, while "Rube" only allowed the white boys to make one score. The score:

L. Giants.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Duncan, l. f.....	2	0	1	0	0
Hili, c. f.....	2	2	2	0	0
Johnson, 2 b.....	1	1	2	3	1
Lloyd, s. s.....	1	1	4	4	0
Booker, 1 b.....	1	3	7	0	1
Payne, r. f.....	0	0	0	0	0
Pryor, 3 b.....	0	1	2	1	1
Petway, c. ....	0	1	9	2	0
Foster, p. ....	0	0	0	2	0

Totals .....	7	9	27	12	3
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Gunthers.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Lynch, c. f.....	0	4	1	0	0
Andrews, r. f.....	0	0	1	0	0
Schall, 3 b.....	1	1	0	3	0
Hutton, 1 b.....	0	1	11	0	1
Heckinger, c. ....	0	3	6	0	0
Meddy, l. f.....	0	0	4	1	1
Dicke, s. s.....	0	0	2	4	0
Reitz, 2 b.....	0	0	2	2	0
Bergmann, p.....	0	0	0	0	0
Rugar, p. ....	0	0	0	2	1

Totals .....	1	9	27	12	3
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Leland Giants .....	2	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	—7
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Gunthers .....	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1
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Two-base hits—Hill, Schall, Hutton, Heckinger. Home run—Hill. Double plays—Reitz to Dicke to Hutton; Foster to Petway to Booker; Meddy to Dicke to Hutton.

to Petway to Booker; Meddy to Reitz. Struck out—By Foster, 6; by Bergmann, 4; by Rugar, 2. Bases on balls—Off Foster, 1; off Bergmann, 2; off Rugar, 1. Umpires—Meyer and Vanderpoel. Time—1:50.

Upsets marked Saturday's round in the Chicago Baseball League, the leading West Ends being beaten, 12 to 9, by Eddie Hahn's Red Sox on the West Side; Spaldings defeating Rogers Parks, 5 to 4, at Gibbons' grounds, and the Logan Squares downing the Chicago Giants on Callahan's diamond, 1 to 0.

"Cal's" battle with the colored players proved a pitching duel between Pete Henning and "Cyclone Joe" Williams, in which the Logan Square twirler allowed only three hits to Williams' seven scattered wallops.

Callahan won the game largely by his own efforts when he singled in the fourth, took second on Hertel's sacrifice, and came home on a Texas leaguer by Brown. Winston made one of the greatest one-handed catches ever seen at the park on Callahan's terrific drive to the left-field fence. Score:

Logan Squares.		R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Wicklund, c. f.....	0	2	1	0	0	0
R. Meinke, s. s.....	0	0	4	1	0	0
Green, r. f.....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Callahan, l. f.....	1	2	1	0	0	0
Hertel, 1 b.....	0	1	13	1	0	0
Lynch, 2 b.....	0	1	3	3	0	0
Brown, 2 b.....	0	1	3	3	0	0

Brown, 3 b.....	0	1	0	6	0
Henning, p. ....	0	0	1	3	0
Federson, c. ....	0	0	4	1	0
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Totals .....	1	7	27	15	0
Chi. Giants.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Wallace, 3 b.....	0	0	0	1	0
Winston, l. f.....	0	0	1	0	0
Pettus, 1 b. y.....	0	1	7	0	0
Moore, c. f.....	0	0	2	0	0
Ball, r. f.....	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson, c. ....	0	0	10	2	0
Selden, s. s.....	0	0	0	2	0
Harris, s. s.....	0	1	0	0	0
Wright, 2 b.....	0	0	2	2	0
Williams, p. ....	0	0	2	0	0

Totals .....	0	3	24	7	0
Logans Squares....	0	0	0	1	0
Chicago Giants ....	0	0	0	0	0

Two-base hits — Wicklund, Hertel.  
Struck out—By Henning, 3; by Williams,  
10. Bases on balls—Off Henning, 3; off  
Williams, 4. Umpire—Fitzpatrick. Time  
—2:00.

## GUNTHERS BEAT CUBANS, 2 TO 1.

Rugar Keeps Islanders' Hits Scattered  
in Tight Contest—North-Siders  
Clinch Game in Eighth.

The Gunthers defeated the Stars of  
Cuba, 2 to 1, at Gunther Park, Saturday,  
the Cubans presenting Niesen's men with

the Cuban team presenting Niesen's men with the first run on errors by Chacon and Munoz, and the Gunthers hitting out a victory in the eighth on singles by Reitz,

Lynch and Andrews. Two doubles in the second inning allowed the Stars to tie the score temporarily. A catch by Andrews against the fence and Rugar's pitching were features of the game. Score:

Gunthers.					
	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Lynch, c. f.....	0	2	3	0	0
Andrews, r. f.....	1	1	1	0	0
Schall, 3 b.....	0	0	0	1	0
Bergmann, 1 b.....	0	0	14	1	0
Heckinger, c. ....	0	1	5	1	0
Meddy, l. f.....	0	1	1	0	0
Dicke, s. s.....	0	0	1	6	1
Reitz, 2 b.....	1	1	1	3	0
Rugar, p. ....	0	1	1	2	0
Totals .....	2	7	27	14	1
Stars of Cuba.					
	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Valdez, l. f.....	0	0	2	0	0
Villa, r. f.....	0	0	1	0	0
Cabanes, 2 b.....	0	1	3	1	0
Hidalgo, c. f.....	0	1	4	0	0
Chacon, s. s.....	1	2	2	2	1
Mendez, 3 b.....	0	1	0	0	0
Figarola, c. ....	0	0	6	1	0
Suena, 1 b.....	0	1	4	1	0
Munoz, p. ....	0	0	2	0	1
Totals .....	1	6	24	5	2

Gunthers ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 \*—2  
 Stars of Cuba..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1  
 Two-base hits—Chacon, Mendez, Heckinger. Struck out—By Rugar, 4; by Munoz, 4. Bases on balls—Off Rugar, 1. Umpire—Wheeler. Time—1:50.



## LELAND GIANTS, 9; THORNTON, 0.

The Leland Giants defeated the Thornton team at Thornton, Ill., Saturday, 9 to 0. The feature of the game was four home runs by the Lelands. Score:

Lelands	.....	0	2	3	0	0	2	1	0	1—9
Thornton	.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Batteries—Dougherty and Booker; Mahoney and Sleir.

### Diamond Dashes.

In the series of the past week the Leland Giants and the Stars of Cuba have played to big crowds at the old White Sox Park, the champions winning several games by sensational ninth inning rallies. The Leland Giants may soon become the world's champions.

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The Chicago Giants returned to the city from St. Paul, where they carried off the honors of the week. They won four games out of five. The Chicago Giants received great newspaper notices, the best, possibly, that any colored team has been given this season. The champions are holding their own and are climbing to the top of the City League.

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Major R. R. Jackson, secretary of the Chicago Leland Giants, has returned to the city, after a delightful visit to the Kentucky Grand Lodge, K. of P., at Frankfort, Ky. Mr. Jackson was not

0 only heralded as a Pythian, but as a  
1 baseball magnate. He says Kentuckians  
2 are great people for hospitality.  
3 . . .

0 A five-dollar bill is the best that's been  
0 done yet this season in a financial way  
0 among colored baseball players. "Chap-  
0 pie" Johnson leads the rest when it comes  
0 to drawing down "extra." "Chappie"  
1 wears the honor with becoming dignity.  
2 . . .

0 Walter Ball, one of the most polished  
0 baseball gentlemen among colored play-  
0 ers, is still holding his own at the mound.  
0 He claims that when his arm gives out  
0 he will go in vaudeville. This, however,  
1 is no likely to happen soon.  
2 . . .

0 Pettus, of the Chicago Giants, got two  
0 home runs off Johnny Davis, the St. Paul  
0 star pitcher, and in the same game "Chap-  
0 pie" Johnson banded a home run. Next  
1 we will hear of "Home Run 'Chappie.'"  
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0 In the series between the St. Paul Go-  
0 phers and the Chicago Giants, "Bob"  
0 Marshall, the W. and W. football star,  
0 who was released early in the season by  
0 the Giants, played the most sensational  
1 game at first base this season. He also  
2 made a home run.  
3 . . .

0 Taylor, the former Chicago Giant third  
0 baseman, played a good game of ball dur-  
0 ing the series.  
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Since the season has opened, Capt. Pete Hill, the demon slugger of the Leland Giants, has slammed out fourteen home runs, sixteen triples and twelve doubles. Can you beat it?

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Dave Wyatt has been declared the baseball critic of the minute, Jimmy Smith of the hour, Brown of the day and M. Haynes of the week. For any kind of information these four gentlemen are top-notchers. For baseball information The Freeman correspondent acknowledges their worth.

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During the series of the week, when the Leland Giants were playing the Cubans, S. H. Dudley, the world's fun-maker and premier entertainer, made haste to be present at each game. Mr. Dudley is from Texas, the home of "Rube" Foster and Jack Johnson. He not only displayed his loyalty to his friends, but to his native State. They claim that Texas is the greatest State in the Union and has produced more men of a national character than any other State.

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Padron, the former Cuban Star player, has got two home runs, besides playing a star game sinnce joining Eddie Hahn's Red Sox, of the Chicago League.

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The mighty "Rube" Foster returned to his old-time form on Sunday at C.



his old-time form on Sunday, at Gunther Park, and stood the Gunthers on their heads. The big manager had everything his way. "A mighty man is he."

Johnson, Lloyd, Hill, Duncan and Booker are batting in the 350 class this season. On these men one can depend for a hit at most any old time, especially at the critical moment.

Bill Lindsey, of Kansas, and Earl, the star pitcher of the Brooklyn Royal Giants, are expected to be in the team that will go with "Rube" Foster to Cuba this winter.

Capt. Nate Harris and his men are making a great showing these days for sensational baseball playing. Mr. Harris is one of the best captains in the country, and he has a record for knowing the game and displaying his knowledge on the field.

Milliner, the former St. Paul and Chicago player, is scoring some great points for Jack Johnson's Kansas City bunch, and he appears faster than ever.

During the Stars of Cuba and Leland Giants series at White Sox Park, Ed Walsh, Billy Sullivan, Lange and Gandil were eager spectators. Walsh said that Hill was equal to "Ty" Cobb.



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William Adams, the popular tailor, is a hard rooter, and never misses a game. He is considered one of the best baseball critics on State street.

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The question is being asked here, What has become of the A. B. C.'s? No one reads of them any more. Are they sewed up

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Peters' Union Giants have hit the road and won several games. The team is said to be in excellent shape and doing well. Success to them.

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Pettus, with his clouting, is one of the mainstays of the Chicago Giants. When it comes to batting a ball, he is leading the other boys.

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Wallace, Moore, Seldon and Wright, of the Chicago Giants, are in all the games with heart and mind. They are doing their best to lead their team to first place in the City League. While they look with favor upon their weekly salary, they also look with honor to be victorious.

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Duncan, Hill and Pryor are a trio in the outer field hard to beat. They are numbered among the very best in the country.

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There is some talk of Jimmy Smith launching in the game again. "Jimmy" is a veteran and well up on the game.

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Mr. Frank Leland has not said anything. The talk of the city is the great benefit for Provident Hospital. Mr. Alfred An-

derson expects this to be the greatest game in the history of ball playing in the city of Chicago. Reserve seats will be on sale at Provident Hospital.

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Wickware lost his first game, Sunday, when the Roselands beat him 3 to 1. "Wick" is all right. He is a credit to the Leland Giants' pitching staff.

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The West Baden Sprudels left the city very suddenly last week. They went up against several clubs, and made it pretty warm for their opposers.

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Manager Wyatt, of the Illinois Giants, had several new faces on his team last Sunday. The puzzling question to the boys around Brown's is, Where does he get them?

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officially to The Freeman correspondent relative to his coming candidacy. He is, however, a candidate for county commissioner.

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Seldon, of the Chicago Giants, continues to play a good game at short.

Binga, of the St. Paul Gophers, is one of the veterans who still makes the youngsters hustle.

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The Fennimore, Wis., Gazette, a white paper, contains the cut of "Kube" Foster and his celebrated team who are beaten.

and his celebrated team, who are booked to meet the Logan Squares at Fennimore, Thursday and Friday. "Rube" says he will bring the bacon home.

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The fans are anxious to see the Chicago Giants and the Leland Giants have a mix-up. There is no doubt that a series of games will be pulled off between these two teams later in the season. The fans want it, and the will of the people usually win.

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The Freeman continues to be read by fans all over the country. Letters are received here from all parts of the country stating that readers rely upon The Freeman for baseball news from this section. After Monday there is not a Freeman to be found at any of the news stands, which handle the paper by the hundreds.

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Mayor Busse has been invited to throw the first ball at the Provident Hospital game, Jack Johnson to umpire, S. H. Dudley to umpire, and everybody to be present. The Freeman correspondent has secured one of the best boxes for himself and local newspaper critics.

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## ST. LOUIS, MO.

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The St. Louis Giants won from the Plutos Monday at Athletic Park; score 3 to 9. Score:

											R	H	E
Giants	.....	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	*	3	7	1
Plutos	.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1

Two-base hits—Watts, Tabor. Home runs—McMurray, Gatewood. Sacrifice hits—Pace, Lasuse, Jones. Stolen bases—Tabor, Lyons, Lasuse, Kindle (2). Hit by pitched ball—By Alexander, 1; by Gatewood, 1. First base on balls—Off Alexander, 1. Struck out—By Alexander, 5; by Gatewood, 11. Left on bases—Plutos, 5; Giants, 2. Time—1:35. Umpires—Handford and Bradley.

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# Leland Giants Base Ball Park

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

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.

The Freeman, Indianapolis, IN

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

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BY HAROLD C. McGATH.



## A GREAT GAME.

Errorless Game at St. Louis Played  
by Winners.

St. Louis, Mo.—The St. Louis Giants won from the Kansas City Cyclones yesterday afternoon at Athletic Park. Score, 3 to 2. The game was a pitchers' battle between Lyons of the winners and Lindsey for the visitors. The winners played errorless ball all the way. The score:

### St. Louis Giants.

	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Hewett, ss. ....	3	2	1	3	0
Harrison, cf. ....	3	1	1	0	0
Holden, rf. ....	4	0	1	0	0
Knight, 3b. ....	3	1	3	1	0
Lasuse, 1b. ....	4	1	13	1	0
Tabor, 2b. ....	4	1	0	2	0
Jones, lf. ....	3	0	0	0	0
Primm, c. ....	3	1	6	5	0
Lyons, p. ....	3	1	2	8	0

Totals .....30 8 27 20 0

### Kansas City Cyclones.

	AB.	H.	O.	A.	E.
F. Lindsey, cf. ....	3	1	0	0	0
R. Lindsey, ss.-3b.....	4	2	1	2	0
Bryan, 3b.-ss. ....	4	2	2	0	0
Wm. Lindsey, p.....	4	0	0	1	0
Wilkins, lf. ....	4	0	1	0	0

Cox, 2b. ....	3	0	2	5	0
Webster, c. ....	3	0	8	1	1
Harrison, 1b. ....	2	1	9	1	0
Dorsey, rf. ....	2	1	1	0	0

Totals .....29 7 24 10 1

#### Score by Innings.

Cyclones ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2  
Giants ..... 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 \*—3

Two-base hits—Bryson and Hewett. Sacrifice hit—Harrison. Double plays—Tabor, Hewett and Lasuse; Cox and Webster. Stolen bases—Hewett, Harrison, Lasuse and Knight. Hit by pitched ball—By Lindsey, 1. First base on balls—Off Lindsey, 1; off Lyons, 3. Struck out—By Lindsey, 7; by Lyons, 6. Pitching record—Off Lindsey, 8 hits, 3 runs in 8 innings; off Lyons, 7 hits, 2 runs in 9 innings. Left on bases—Cyclones, 5; Giants, 7. Time of game—1:40. Umpires—Handford and Bradley.

#### BLOOMER GIRLS LOSE.

Moss Point, Miss.—Spécial.—The Moss Point Eagles and the St. Louis Bloomer Girls played an interesting game here Saturday. The Bloomer Girls had our boys hypnotized up to the fifth inning. Then it began to

rain, which seemed to cool our boys' heads, the balance of the game being played on a wet field.

Score:

Eagles ..... 0 0 0 0 0 6 1 1 0—8

Bloomer Girls... 2 0 4 0 0 0 0 1 0—7

Batteries—Eagles: Mayo and Randall. Bloomer Girls: Diggs and White.

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## BASEBALL AT LOUISVILLE.

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By Jesse Palmer.

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The Pensacola Giants ended their series of games with the Cubs Mon-

day. All of the games were well played by the Pensacola Giants. In fact, the Giants have about the best team in the South, barring none. All they need is team work. The team won five and lost six of the games played. In Sunday's double-header Pitcher Smith pitched remarkable ball in both games. The Giants outplayed the Cubs in every part of the game. In the second the Cubs evened up things a little with West in the box. The Cubs won the second game. The crowd got a run for its money and was glad to break even.



### Notes.

If proper support had been given Benton in the first game, there would have been a different story to tell. Keep at 'em, Benton; we are with you.

Old Nat plays to win at all times: goes after everything and is batting in good form.

Woods and Emory are only playing fair ball. Wonder what's the matter?

Benton, West and Griffin are a nice bunch of twirlers. All we need is a right fielder and another catcher.

Haywood Rose is doing nicely at present. Let the good work go on.

Get in the game, Wallace, old fellow. We know what you can do. Come on and give us a lift; now is the time.

Watson seems to be rather listless at times. Wonder what's the matter with "Pup"?

Bloomer Girls Sunday and Monday.

The Freeman is on sale at Spring Bank Park every Sunday.

Martin's playing at first gives general satisfaction and should be kept at first base.

There is something loose somewhere. The present Cubs are not the Cubs of old. I don't know who is to



blame. Oh, well, time will tell.

The line-up:

July 23:

P. G. .... 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 \*—4 8 4

L. C. .... 1 0 2 0 1 0 2 0—6 7 2

Battery for Pensacola—Smith and Davis.

Battery for Louisville—West and Rose.

Two-base hits. Watson. Double plays: Rodgers, Martin, Watson, Rodger, Martin.

Umpire—Walker.

July 24:

P. G. .... 1 0 5 0 0 0 1 0 0—7

L. C. .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Batteries—Pensacola, Smith and Davis. Louisville, Benton and Rose.

Two-base hits, Benton. Three-base hit, West. Struck out by Benton, 3; by Smith, 5.

Errors—P. G., 2; L. C., 7.

Umpire—Nutter.

July 24:

P. G. .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—3 7 3

L. C. .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 \*—4 6 4

Batteries—Pensacola, Smith and Davis. Louisville, West and Rose.

Struck out by West, 3; by Smith, 3.

Umpire—Nutter.

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July 25:

P. G. ....	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4	6	3
L. C. ....	0	0	2	1	2		1		*	—6	6	2	

Batteries—Pensacola, Williams and Davis. Louisville, Griffin and Williams.

Struck out by Williams, 4; by Griffin, 2.

Umpire—Nutter.

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**MANAGER JACK JOHNSON OF THE  
ROYAL GIANTS IS FULL OF  
BROAD SMILES.**

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Kansas City, Mo.—Over 3,000 fans cheered at Shelley Park last Sunday. The Royal Giants took two games from the Kansas City (Kansas) Giants. In our last week's issue we spoke of the battle that was to be fought out at Shelley Park by our two crack baseball teams. We have seen exciting games, witnessed sensational plays, seen fans almost frenzied with enthusiastic cheers for their baseball teams, but never have Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas City, Kan., fans witnessed better games upon the diamond, nor have they shown so much feeling and spirit before as was

displayed at Shelley Park last Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday's game was a hummer all the way; it took eleven innings to pick the winner. Chin Norman, Childs and Lee were the serving boys for the Royals, while Hardy, Skinner and Tenney were the battery for the Giants from Kansas. Norman was good all the way and pitched in his usual steady form. In the tenth the game looked long. Childs was sent in by Captain Jack because he was fresh. He helped to add glory to the good work already accomplished by Norman. Hardy was stingy at first, but by gilt-edged support from his teammates was able to last six innings. At this period the Royals showered balls over the lot, and when the smoke had cleared away five bunched hits and two scores were chalked against him. Captain Norman gave him the "23" sign for the bench. Skinner, who came in advance of the Oklahoma Monarchs, was called to the mound and pitched good ball till the eleventh inning, when by a wild pitched ball the game was ended. The score was 3 to 2 in favor of the Kansas City Royal Giants.

Sunday was the big day. All fans



from both sides were there 3,500 in number. They yelled and cheered while their respective teams battled for the second game of the championship series. The Lacy boys' band was there also; they paraded from 24th and Vine and played well for a bunch of youngsters.

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### GREAT BALL PLAYING.

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#### Chicago Giants Worst St. Paul Gophers in a Series of Games.

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The Chicago Giants, formerly the Leland Giants, and the Gophers of St. Paul, Minn., had a great go last week in the latter city. The two clubs are rivals for the distinction of the leading club of colored players in America. The reputation of the Chicago Giants has been enviable. In the last year or so the inclination has been to go against the former Lelands as a sort of test of strength if nothing more. A few clubs, however, have had the hardihood to buck up against the Chicago Giants with the hopes of taking a little of the lustre off of them, among these being the Gophers of St. Paul.

The Gophers started in at a merry



clip at the initiative number of the series; threatened to make their boast good that they were the invincible; won the first game 4 to 3. About 4,500 people saw the opening "number," which required ten innings to complete. Lexington Park, July 24. Time, 2:05. Umpire, Thompson.

July 25. The pace set by the Gophers on the first day aroused the "ancient" blood of the recognized champions. They came to the diamond with the purpose of sustaining their reputation, which had suffered owing to the Gophers' work on the previous day. The Chicago men were in their old form; won; score, 5 to 1. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Thompson.

July 26. Once the fighting blood up it refused to cool; so on the next day the Giants again beat the St. Paul players by a score of 4 to 1. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Thompson.

July 27. A slugging match for true, the Giants rolling up 8 and the Gophers 5. The Gophers were clearly outclassed by the Chicago bunch, which made good its reputation as the crack team of crack teams of the country. Time, 2:00. Umpire, Thompson.

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