

## CHANGES IN THE LEAGUE.

Simon Bamberger Secures the Railways' Franchise.

## THE CONTESTS YESTERDAY.

Ogden Defeats Salt Lake and Railways Win From Miners at Park City—Saturday's Game.

## STANDING OF CLUBS.

P. W. L. P. C.				
Ogden	15	10	5	667
Salt Lake	14	8	6	571
Railways	13	6	7	462
Park City	12	9	3	250

F. ALL said tales of ball or bat—The saddest of all are "Where am I at?" Thus quoth "Clay" Tullius Risley, field marshal of the White Wings, better known as the Salt Lake, as he and Willy Morrow, sadly made their way to their lodgings yesterday afternoon. Did was sad and he had a right to be. Just as victory was in his grasp, ruthless hands were stretched out to wrest the victory from him. Morrow, the inexorable sadness of these miffs," said Morrow, and then they went sluffly together.

The results of yesterday's games places Ogden higher and the Park City lower in the race for championship honors. The Salt Lake still hold second place by a good many points.

It is expected that the percentage column will receive a good shaking up when Mr. Bamberger's new team gets to work. From all accounts the team is one of the best in the country and will very likely play havoc with the Ogdenites. Of course, the Lobsters are feeling very happy just now and expect to hold their lead to the end of the season. Next Saturday the Salt Lake and Ogden will meet again at Ogden.

## OGDEN WINS ANOTHER.

A Couple of Expensive Errors Cause Salt Lake's Downfall.

Once more the Lobsters from Ogden have torn a victory from the maroon stockings. They can afford to lose it provided, however, that some of the misplays made by the white boys yesterday will not happen again. It was really too bad though for the Salt Lake had the battle well in hand at one period and looked sure winners until the seventh. Then Morrow, who failed to use enough glue on his mitts and let a couple of flies slip through his fingers, when Ogden came to the bat in that inning, the Salt Lake were five to the Lobsters one. That one was made by Hansen in the first inning. He sent out a two-bagger in Morrow's country and it unfortunately hid itself in a bunch of hay, which some unknown individual had unwisely left there, and Morrow assisted by others were unable to locate it. The result was that Hansen made his way home. But the seventh was the critical period of the game. Plake came to the bat and soured out a single utterly regardless of the feelings of Mr. Pink Hawley. It looked better when lengthy Izzy Hansen knocked out to Hawley, who retired him at first, and still better when Casey went benched on a nice fly to McQuaid. In the meantime, however, Borchers got one—first by Morrow's error. It was followed by another sent out by Nagle, Hansen singled and Barr was not soon enough to block one from Gimlin. Hawley permitted Clark to go to first without a charge and later, because of Plake each singled, which brought in six runs. If it hadn't been for Hansen going out there is no telling what might have happened. When the Salt Lake got through with their half the score was tied and intense because intense. Hansen fanned but Borchers smote the ball for two bases. Right here is where Williams' inability to throw to first was manifest again. It was a grounder from Casey, but he threw it too high to Plake, who made another blunder on a grounder by Nagle. Hansen secured another single, which scored Borchers and the second home coming was forced by Hawley walking Clark again with the bases full.

A pleasing feature of the contest was the brilliant stops made by little Billy McCausland. Pace played a great game at first for the Salt Lake and was also there with the team.

Both Hawley and Borchers pitched in a manner lovely to behold, but the big "Frisco" had the big end of the argument, allowing but seven hits. Following is the detailed score:

## OGDEN.

SALT LAKE.					
A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.					
Risley, s. g.	5	0	1	2	4
Barr, 2nd b.	5	1	1	2	4
Webster, r. f.	5	1	2	0	0
Morrow, l. f.	4	2	3	3	0
Pace, 1st b.	5	0	2	10	0
Williams, 3rd b.	4	0	0	2	1
Hawley, p.	4	0	1	1	2
McQuaid, c. f.	4	1	0	4	0
McCausland, c.	3	2	1	6	2

## SALT LAKE.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ogden .. . . .	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Hits .. . . .	1	1	1	1	0	0	4	2	1	2
Errors .. . . .	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Salt Lake .. . .	0	1	0	1	3	1	0	2	0	0
Hits .. . . .	1	0	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
Runs responsible for										
Morrow 3										
Rice hit, Hansford. Stolen bases. Glim										
In. Morrow. Pace. McCausland. Base										
on balls. Hawley 3. Borchers 5. Two										
base hits. Borchers, Morrow. Home run										

## SCORE BY INNINGS.

Ogden	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Errors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salt Lake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11

Runs responsible for: Morrow & Sacrifice hit, Hansford, Stolen bases, Gimlin, Morrow, Pace, McCausland, Bases on balls, Hawley & Borchers 5, Two-base hit, Borchers, Morrow, Home run, Hansen, Double play, Barr, Pace, Struck out, by Hawley: Gimlin 2, Borchers, McGregor 2, Hansen, Hansford 7, By Borchers: Risley 2, Williams, Hawley 5, McQuaid, Webster 8, Wild pitch, Borchers, First on errors, Ogden 7, Salt Lake 3, Left on bases, Ogden 11, Salt Lake 9, Umpire, Clarkson, Time, 2:24. Attendance, 2,300.

## CLIPPINGER'S DISCOVERY.

He Digs Up a Pitcher Who Wins a Game for Him.

Once upon a time, far back in the dim and distant past, there was a young man of thoughtful mind and husky build, who was wont to assassinate time

in the healthful and harmless amusement of playing baseball. He conceived the idea that he was born to be a pitcher, and in his fancy he could see himself winning the plaudits of thousands as he made his enemies battling averages shrink like a bar of soap in a hard day's wash. He united him with the amateur or professional of Shylocks known as the bankers, and at the end of the season beheld his team sported the title of "amateur champions." When the time came to lay by the ball and bat, the young man was forgotten, forgotten by everybody, the exception of one person. That person was little Jimmy Clippinger, manager of the erstwhile Short Lines. "He looks good to me," said Jimmy, "and I will use him," and he made a note on the tablet of his memory.

Last Saturday Jimmy concluded it was about time to put his thought into execution. His team, the Railways, were to play a game with a certain aggregation known as Miners, and it was important that he win out. He needed the money. So he dug around until he located this young man and placed him on the slab with orders to slay without mercy. The young man whose name is Raymond Romney, obeyed like a soldier, and true and won the day. "Clippie" only regret is that the attendance was not 15,000.

Thirteen times Romney permitted the Parkites to obtain hits of no very damaging quality, and did not give a single walk until the seventh, when he gave two. Besides that he struck out five of the cultured clan from over the summit.

Comparing his work with that of Pendergraft he has the better part of it. Romney hit the same number of times but they were much harder, and more expensive, and he only struck out one man.

While there was entirely too much work, the game was a good one and contained numerous brilliant plays. Midget Asbury's sensational fielding and his timely trips and single were distinctive features of the event. He took four chances, which looked pretty good, but fell down on none. In the third Seare knocked a fly out in the neighborhood of middle field. No sooner had it left the bat than Asbury began to sprint. It was a long run, but he was there first, caught the ball about the level of the ground. In the same inning he smote out a three-bagger and a single in the fifth each scoring a run.

A pretty play was made by Boylan in the second. Gimble, a hot line doper, which Boylan neatly blocked. Cope was running to second and Boylan hit him on the heel as he passed and got the ball to first in time to catch Gimble.

Following are more particulars:

## RAILWAYS.

Pace, c. ....	5	0	1	6	0
Wlecke, 3b. ....	5	1	2	3	0
Kimerer, c. f. ....	3	0	1	1	0
Margatts, 1b. ....	5	1	3	6	0
Martin, s. s. ....	3	1	1	1	3
Taylor, r. f. ....	4	2	1	2	0
Asbury, i. f. ....	4	2	2	4	1
Boylan, 2b. ....	4	1	1	4	1
Romney, p. ....	3	0	1	0	3
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## PARK CITY.

AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.					
Hanley, 2b., .. .	.5	0	3	4	4
Cope, 3b., .. .	.4	1	1	2	2
Gamble, 1. f., ..	.4	1	1	0	0
Maloney, 1b., ..	.5	1	1	11	1
Redmond, c. f., ..	.5	0	1	2	0
Seare, c., .. .	.4	1	0	2	0
Selson, r. f., ..	.5	0	2	2	1
Cain, s. f., .. .	.4	0	2	1	5
Pendergraft, p., ..	.4	1	2	0	3
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## SCORE BY INNINGS.

Railways	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13
Errors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Park City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11

Runs responsible for: Martin 2, Sacrifice hits: Kimerer, Martin, Hansen on balls, Off base, by Pendergraft 2. Two-base hit: Taylor. Three-base hit: Asbury, Double plays: Boylan-Margaret; Sealar-Maloney; Hanley-Cain-Maloney; Cope-Hanley-Maloney. Struck out: By Romney-Redmond, Maloney, Cope, Sealar, Selson, by Pendergraft-Pace, Passed ball: Seare. Wild pitch: Pendergraft. Left on errors: Railway, 4; Park City, 1. Left on bases: Park City, 10; Railway, 6. Umpire, Clarkson, Time, 1:40. Attendance, 650.

## SOME IMPORTANT CHANGES.

Simon Bamberger Secures Railway's Franchise—New Team Coming.

The result of the meeting of the International league officials held Saturday night, has created no surprise. The agreement to allow Manager Clippinger of the Railways to sell his franchise to Simon Bamberger, who is confidently expected from the time the subject was first broached, on Saturday evening before the meeting, Mr. Clippinger stated to a "News" man that the only matter to be settled, so far as was concerned with the franchise, was the price. "I have set the price," said he, "and if they come up with the money that's all I care."

The price Mr. Bamberger pays for the franchise is \$1,000, deducting \$250 forfeit, which gives him \$750. Before June 17th Mr. Bamberger will have to put in his club, and the team will be known as the Lagoon team and will play out the original schedule of dates for the Railways with the team which gives Clippie the trouble. The matter of arranging these details will be attended to by the managers of the various teams in the near future. Mr. Bamberger has purchased the franchise and the team are practically no more. If present plans are carried out the new team will be a cracker Jack in every particular. It is not improbable that one or two of the Railways will be retained, but they would be made up mostly of players Harry Stony is to bring here this week from Denver. It is said that the team will be made up with the following well known players in it:

Buck Weaver, captain and first base, Newmeyer, 2nd base, Ewing and "Sleepy" Simmons, pitchers; Cotton or Stony, second base; John Green, shortstop; Logue or McNeils, third base; Radcliffe and Bradley, outfielders.

In any event Mr. Bamberger has expressed his intention to put in as strong a team available and he has given his assurance that the salary list will be not less than \$1,000 a month and that certainly ought to bring out a winning team. The team coming with Mr. Stony, will in all probability play exhibition games with the Salt Lake on Wednesday and Friday. It is hoped that the first league game in which the Lagoon will participate will take place at Lakoon on June 17th.

## RAILWAY 8, PARK CITY 2.

Hamilton Pitches Good Game For the Miners.

In the Park City and Railways game in the Miners' camp yesterday, Arkansas Water Hamilton surprised

everybody by his splendid pitching. It is very likely that he would have won the game had his support been fair, but Hanley and Cope made sickening blunders in the fifth and the Railways gained a lead which could not be overcome. Berkley played behind the bat in Pace's place and made a high order. Kidder pitched again and allowed but six hits. Following is the score:

## RAILWAYS.

Wlecke, 3b. ....	5	6	2	3	1
Kimerer, s. s. ....	5	1	0	0	3
Margetts 1b. ....	5	1	1	11	0
Spencere, r. f. ....	5	0	1	0	0
Taylor, r. f. ....	4	0	1	4	0
Asbury, c. f. ....	2	2	0	0	3
Berkley, c. ....	4	2	2	5	0
Kidder, p. ....	5	0	0	1	3
Total .. ..	41	8	8	27	10

PARK CITS.

## PARK CITY.

Cope, 3b. ....	1	1	3	0
Gamble, 1. f. ....	5	0	0	0
Maloney, 1b. ....	4	0	1	7
Redmond, r. f. ....	3	0	1	1
Seare, c. f. ....	4	0	1	12
Seare, c. f. ....	4	1	0	2
Cain, s. s. ....	4	0	1	1
Hamilton, p. ....	4	0	0	0
Total ....	34	2	6	27

SCORE BY INNINGS.

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Railways	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10
Errors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Park City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10

Sacrifice hit: Cope. Stolen bases: Hanley, Cope, Redmond, Seare 2, Wickie, Margaret, Spencer 2, Bases on balls: Off Hamilton 2, off Kidder 1. Two-base hits: Cain, Taylor, Kimerer. Three-base hit: Wickie. Struck out: By Hamilton, Kimerer 2, Margaret 2, Asbury 5, Boylan, Kidder 2-12. By Kidder: Hanley, Gamble, Maloney, Sealar 2-5. Hit by pitcher: By Hamilton, Boylan 2, Taylor, Wild pitches: Hamilton 2, Umpire, Jimmy Byrne, Time, 1:40. Attendance, 350.

## League Players Averages.

The figures given below were furnished by Fred N. Hess, secretary of the International league. They show the fielding and batting averages of all the players in the league who have participated in three or more games up to and including last Friday's game. The Ogden team is ahead in batting and fielding, while the Salt Lake comes next but are first in fielding, with an average of .910.

## BATTING AVERAGES.

Player	At bats	Runs	Hits	Errors	Average
Casey, Ogden	136	34	8	16	.432
Hansen, Ogden	125	28	4	4	.475
Hale, S. L.	515	4	1	1	.467
Perrin, Rys.	412	1	5	0	.417
Kimerer, Rys.	135	14	2	3	.412
Gimlin, Ogden	147	16	2	5	.378
Kidder, Rys.	411	1	0	4	.364
Risley, S. L.	127	15	2	4	.351
McGregor, Ogden	146	12	1	3	.332
Clark, Ogden	149	17	2	1	.333
Webster, S. L.	104	12	1	5	.300
Hansford, Ogden	134	14	1	2	.298
Redmond, P. C.	107	11	0	0	.297
Martin, Rys.	83	4	0	4	.290
Maloney, P. C.	103	1	0	2	.289
Barr, S. L.	936	7	0	0	.278
Henry, Ogden	418	5	0	1	.278
Plake, Ogden	146	16	1	4	.273
William, S. L.	93	6	0	1	.267
Gamble, S. L.	334	6	0	1	.265
Taylor, Rys.	83	1	0	1	.263
Hawley, S. L.	104	2	0	3	.262
Hanley, S. L.	124	9	0	3	.252
Wickie, Rys.	114	3	0	3	.256
Zeltz, S. L.	430	5	0	2	.250
Spencer, P. C.	824	6	0	1	.250
Gierhart, P. C.	103	1	0	1	.243
Margaret, Rys.	1146	7	0	2	.239
Bluth, Ogden	145	18	0	7	.237
Beville, Rys.	417	2	0	6	.235
Margaret, S. L.	103	7	0	1	.231
Pace, Rys.	115	0	0	1	.220
Borchers, P. C.	79	1	0	0	.219
McCaus, S. L.	146	11	0	8	.217
Berkley, P. C.	520	4	0	1	.210
Selson, P. C.	410	1	0	2	.200
Hamilton, Rys.	518	2	0	0	.200
Asbury, Rys.	518	2	0	0	.200
McQuaid, S. L.	413	1	0	0	.154
McQuaid, S. L.	114	7	0	1	.149
Shanahan, Rys.	518	2	0	4	.141
Cain, P. C.	103	4	0	1	.139
Boylan, Rys.	81	0	0	0	.083

## TEAM BATTING AVERAGES.

Team	At bats	Runs	Hits	Errors	Average
Ogden	1457	168	19	68	.439
Salt Lake	1347	51	13	37	.331
Railways	1129	54	10	24	.264
Park City	1035	51	8	20	.225

## CATCHERS' FIELDING AVERAGES.

Name	At bats	Errors	Average
McCausland	761	1	.917
Margaret	649	5	.943
Hansen	1244	4	.944
Pace	1168	1	.937
Seare	1041	9	.953
Henry	413	4	.910

## PITCHERS' FIELDING AVERAGES.

Name	At bats</
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