

Teams of Western New York

THE SILVER CREEK HORSESHOES.

Base ball flourished equally as well in the smaller cities and towns of Western New York as it did in Buffalo and many a Buffalo club met defeat at the hands of their country cousins. The bustling little town of Silver Creek boasted a team that gave the Buffalos, champions of the Eastern League, a good argument shortly after the close of the regular season.

The Silver Creek Horseshoes were organized early in 1904, with Ernest F. Greene as manager, and had the most successful season of any team that has ever represented the village. This has been mainly due to the loyalty of the boys who compose the team, every one of whom has played through the season, doing his best, on and off the field, for the success of the game.

The team was made up as follows :

William Maack, captain and second base ; Ben Chesbro, catcher ; Harry Pfeififer, pitcher ; George Setzow, pitcher ; Conrad Reese, first base ; Earl Shofner, short stop ; Charles Jaeckle, third base ; Heman Jaeckle, left field ; Harry Montgomery, centre field ; Forest Lanphere, right field. W. I. Lanphere and William Ludeman, umpires.

Following is the record for the Horseshoes for 1904 :

Won - Against Dunkirk ^Yest Ends, 8 - 6 ; K. O. T. M. -Globes, 4 - 2 ; All College, 4 - 1 ; Irving Indians, 5 - 3 ; Superbas, 8 - 6 ; East Ends, 19-7 ; F'idelity Trust, 3-2 ; Lafayettes, 10-7, 11-7 ; East Ends, 11 - 10 ; Lockport, 6-5 ; Irving Indians, 7 - 3 ; M. & T. Bank, 4-3 ; Crescents, 12 - 9, 4 - 3 ; Farnham, 5 - 3.

Lost- To Gowanda, 9-12 ; Angola, 3-4 ; L. S. & M. S., 1-8 ; Fidelity Trust, 2-6 ; Chautauqua, 0-18 ; Milburn, 0-7 ; Fidelity Trust, 8 - 10; Angola, 3-8.

This team has used the Spalding supplies from uniform, bases, ball, etc., to gloves and mitts, and, of course, are perfectly satisfied with the goods. The Spalding supplies will be used exclusively in 1905. The new uniforms and horseshoe emblem, furnished this season, have been very much admired. -j^