

Ed Mayer

Davenport/Omaha 1888

All the teams in the league are making great preparations for next season. The Danville club has been signing several players lately and they are good ones. Charlie Halstrom is manager, captain and pitcher. He stood far above the twirlers in the Northwestern league last season. Esterquest, another pitcher, played with Birmingham last season, ranking sixth out of 15 pitchers in the Southern league. Lotz, first baseman, played 40 games last season with only 6 errors. Belden Hill, from last year's Akron, O., team is second baseman. He is a sure hitter and heavy batter. For short stops they have secured Fisher and Lindley both good base ball men. Grim, Schnor and Newman will receive for them. Moyer will be center fielder and an amateur player whose name is White, will play left field. At a recent meeting of the directors of the Danville club it was decided to increase the capital stock to \$5,000.

The Morning Democrat (Davenport, IA) Jan 10, 1888

by join this team.
Danville—Tony Esterquest, M. H. Brimblecom, Charles Halstrom, M. Schnoor, Ed. Mayer, Ben Lotz, A. E. White, Sidney A. Lindley, J. J. Noone, L. O. Platt, manager.
Rockford—Thomas Low, John Bates

The Daily Times (Davenport) Jan 16, 1888

Ed. Mayer, the newly signed center-fielder of the Davenporters arrived last evening. He hails from Danville. Harrington, the new catcher, arrived yesterday also.

Morning Democrat July 8, 1888

... and the new players, accepted every chance that came their way, and did admirably. Hoffman is fully the equal of the former Davenport right-fielder, Manlove, and Moyer is worth a dozen Jacobys. The new players are batters too and Manager Lucas believes they will not be weighed in the balance and found wanting. Voris umpired. He doesn't become rattled; he understands the rules, knows a "ball" from a "strike," and decides accordingly.

Quad-City Times July 11, 1888

The positions of the players of the re-organized Davenport club, will be as follows: Crossley and Broughton catchers, and Sowders, Winkleman and Small pitchers, Hawes, first base, McCabe second, Walsh short, Tebeau third, Jevne leftfield, Moyer centerfield, and Williams rightfield.

At 4 o'clock yesterday Patrick

Morning Democrat Aug 2, 1888

The only members of the Davenport-base ball club left in the city are Manager Lucas and Ira Phillips. Phillips is almost sick, and has been ever since he was hit with the ball in Peoria. Harrington left for his home in Keokuk this morning on the Pittsburgh, and Moyer left for Marshall, Ill., his home, this afternoon.

The Daily Times Aug 8, 1888

Some tall hustling has been done in the way of signing players for our new club. Up to present writing the following men have been secured: Klopff, pitcher; Harrington, catcher; McCauley, first base and change pitcher. Phillips, our old reliable short stop, will cover third bag, his favorite position; McCullom of the defunct Minneapolis club, will play left, while Moyer will look after the right garden. This is the nucleus for a strong team. Manager Lucas is negotiating with other players equally as good, and expects to have the team complete by to-morrow. The players will all be here by to-morrow evening, as they leave then for Des Moines in case Morton refuses to transfer the two games to this city.

Quad-City Times August 23, 1888

Moyer, Davenport's new centerfielder, arrived yesterday afternoon from Marshall, Ill., and Klopff and Fisher, pitcher and shortstop respectively, arrived last night. Klopff comes from Minneapolis and Fisher from Milwaukee. Stephens, pitcher, and McCullom, leftfielder, will meet the club in Des Moines. Manager Lucas will not go to Des Moines with a full list of players this morning. He expects to fill in with Des Moines players as the other members of the club will not arrive here in time to take the morning train for Des Moines.

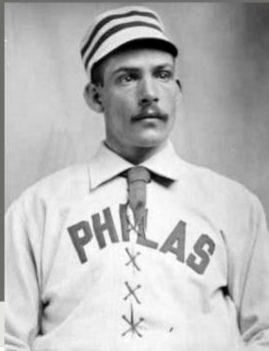
Morning Democrat August 25, 1888

The players of the Davenport team will leave for their respective homes in a day or two. Stephens goes to Romeo, Mich., McCauley to Indianapolis, Ind., Klopf to Little Falls, N. Y., Forster to New York city, McCullum and "readway to Pittsburg, Burquinto Pe , and Moyer to Marshall, Ill. Davenport has had a season of queer base ball experience.

Quad-City Times October 1, 1888

Ed Mayer, of Danville, formerly connected with the Danville and Burlington inter-State clubs, has closed a contract to play outfield next season with the Philadelphia National League Club.

Philadelphia Times Nov 10, 1889



Edward H. Mayer

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