

Ira Phillips

Davenport 1888

Played one game for Davenport on August 26, 1888

Previously played with Davenport prior to it joining the Western Association

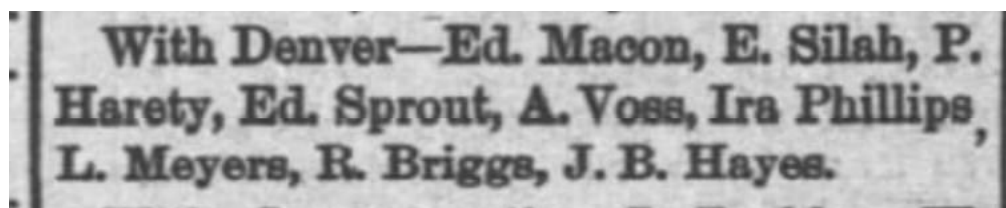
Ira Phillips

Positions: Shortstop and Third Baseman

Bats: Unknown • **Throws:** Unknown

Full Name: Ira B. Phillips

Year	Age	Tm	Lg	Lev	Aff	Stint	From	To
1884	--	New Castle Neshannocks	Iron & Oil Association	N/A				
1885	--	Portland	Eastern New England League	Ind				
1885	--	Newburyport Clamdiggers/Biddeford	Eastern New England League	Ind				
1886	--	Denver Mountain Lions	Western League	N/A				
1887	--	Denver	Western League	N/A				
1888	--	Davenport Onion Weeders	Western Association	A				
1888	--	Davenport	Central Interstate League	N/A				
1889	--	Burlington Babies	Central Interstate League	N/A				
1890	--	St. Paul Apostles	Western Association	N/A				
1890	--	Spokane	Pacific Northwest League	N/A				
1891	--	Oakland Colonels	California League	N/A				
1895	--	Dubuque	Eastern Iowa League	Ind			1895-05-10	1895-08-25
1895	--	Dubuque	Western Association	B			1895-08-30	1895-09-25
1896	--	Atlanta Crackers	Southern Association	B			1896-04-25	1896-05-08



Topeka State Journal December 13, 1886

The Best Short Field Player of the Western League Signs with Davenport—Ira Phillips and His Record—The Bloomington Meeting.

Upon his return from the Bloomington convention Manager Lucas found awaiting him the contract with Ira Phillips' signature. There is a little history connected with Phillips. Two years ago when Manager Lucas organized the Northwestern league club in Duluth, he tried hard to secure this player, who the season of '85 had given promise of becoming a great third baseman, while playing in the Portland, Me., New England league team, but as the Northwestern league had a certain salary limit, Phillips and the Duluth manager could not come to terms. Phillips then signed to play third for the Denver team of the Western league, where during the season of '86 he gave entire satisfaction. Manager Lucas kept his eye on Phillips and decided to have him in his Duluth team of '87 if possible.

By the time Duluth got in shape to do business for the season of '87 nearly

thorough gentleman. The fact that he played two consecutive seasons on the Denver team is certainly sufficient evidence that he is all that he is represented to be. He is a steady, sober fellow, and well liked by all who know him. His home is in Hartland, O., but at present resides in Denver.

The Morning Democrat January 11, 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 Meyer left for Marshall, Ill., his home, this afternoon.

The Daily Times August 8, 1888

Ira Phillips, Davenport's first short stop, left for his home near Norwalk, Ohio, last evening. He has been disabled ever since his accident in Peoria, and will not play ball any more this year.

The Daily Times August 29, 1888

Personnel of the Western.

The following is a list of the men signed in the Western association to date:

Omaha—F. J. Leonard (manager), M. P. Hines, J. J. Fleming, E. E. Cleveland, C. H. Willis, Wm. Urquhart, W. H. Clark, Clarence McConnell, Wm. A. Bays, Joseph Walsh, Wallie Andrews, Wm. Moran, Frank J. Bird, James Canavan.

Sioux City—Wm. Burdick, D. J. Murphy, T. Brosnan, John Cline, E. C. Glenn, Henry Kappell, Frank Genins, B. F. Stephens, Wm. C. Crossley, John E. Powell, James Devlin.

St. Paul—J. B. Glasscock, Ira Phillips, Joseph Cantillon, R. E. Burks, Jonett Meekin, William E. Mains, William Farmer, James Daly, Phil Viau.

Sioux City Journal Feb 11, 1890



Ira Phillips was last year an Interstate league man, and made for himself a great record. He played third base and short stop for the Burlington team, getting a batting average of .330 and a fielding average of .900. His work receives the highest commendation from those who have seen it. He is reported as always ready to take the field, active and accurate and a terrific hitter. His home is at Hartland, O.

- PHILLIPS -

St. Paul Globe March 30, 1890

Young also mailed the following list of players reserved by the Northwest League: By Portland—W. B. Whitrock, Thomas and W. Parrott, F. S. Buchtel, H. Hassamer, William Whittaker, E. L. Brickenridge, H. V. Hulin, J. F. Cahill, Joe Schachene, A. Lank, Jake Stenzle, George Movey. By Seattle—C. Broughton, O. B. France, W. B. Fitzgerald, R. E. Pender, M. Zimmer, A. Fisher, G. Whiteley, B. F. Snyder, P. Somers, W. L. Camp, S. Smith, P. Flaherty, J. Katz, T. Hernon. By Spokane—E. L. Mills, W. A. Colgan, Gus Klopp, G. Borchers, John Huston, J. McQuirk, F. G. Ward, W. L. Peeples, Ira B. Phillips, A. Powell, Thomas Turner, M. Polhemus. By Tacoma—Frank W. March, G. B. Stephens, J. J. Fanning, J. J. Reimy, W. Futler, R. Van Zant, A. L. Manassan, D. Connor, R. E. Burks, P. Wright, C. Strouthers. Mr. Young said that the California League must give up whatever Northwest reserved players the latter league desired.

Sacramento Bee May 7, 1891

Dubuque has signed three new players. They are pitcher, Walschloger; catcher, Nagle, and short stop, Ira Phillips.

The Cedar Rapids Gazette May 2, 1895

Ira Phillips, who will be remembered as the crack short stop of one of Davenport's old-time cracker jack clubs, has been signed by the Dubuque manager to hold down that position. Phillips will be a tower of strength to the Dubuque club if he plays with his old-time effectiveness.

Davenport Daily Times May 3, 1895

Ira Phillips, who is well known all over the east as an excellent short stop, has been secured by the Dubuques and will be there in a few days. He was the star short stop of the Interstate league and was for five years in the Pacific coast leagues.

Davenport Daily Leader May 5, 1895

Ira Phillips, who left for his home in Ohio Monday, was hit on the head by a pitched ball at Decorah and knocked senseless. Blood gushed out of his mouth and ears and he has been deaf ever since. The surgeon who attended him at Decorah warned him not to play ball again this season even for one hundred dollars a minute and it is feared serious consequences may yet result.





The Waterloo (Iowa) Courier October 3, 1895

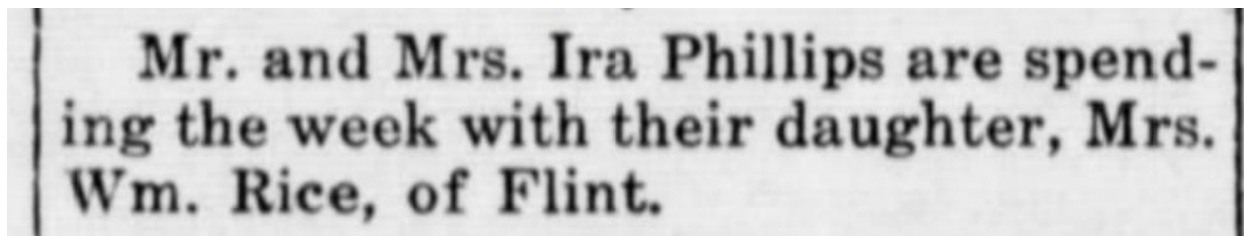
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Age in 1870:	9										
Birth Year:	abt 1861										
Birthplace:	Ohio										
Dwelling Number:	36										
Home in 1870:	Hartland, Huron, Ohio										
Race:	White										
Gender:	Male										
Post Office:	Norwalk										
Occupation:	At School										
Attended School:	Y										
Inferred Father:	Richard Phillips										
Inferred Mother:	Emily Phillips										
Household Members:											
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1870 Census

Name:	Ira Phillips										
Age:	39										
Birth Date:	Mar 1861										
Birthplace:	Ohio										
Home in 1900:	Wakeman, Huron, Ohio										
Sheet Number:	10										
Number of Dwelling in Order of Visitation:	219										
Family Number:	229										
Race:	White										
Gender:	Male										
Relation to Head of House:	Head										
Marital status:	Married										
Spouse's name:	Nina Phillips										
Marriage Year:	1886										
Father's name:	Richard Phillips										
Occupation:	Grocery Salesman										
Months Not Employed:	0										
Can Read:	Yes										
Can Write:	Yes										
Can Speak English:	Yes										
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1900 Census

Ira Phillips		Name: Ira Phillips	
BIRTH	27 Mar 1861 Hartland, Huron County, Ohio, USA	Birth Date:	27 Mar 1861
DEATH	24 Jun 1924 (aged 63) Flint, Genesee County, Michigan, USA	Birth Place:	Hartland, Huron County, Ohio, United States of America
BURIAL	<u>Smith Hill Cemetery</u> Otisville, Genesee County, Michigan, USA	Death Date:	24 Jun 1924
MEMORIAL ID	23996674 · View Source	Death Place:	Flint, Genesee County, Michigan, United States of America
Family Members		Cemetery:	Smith Hill Cemetery
Parents		Burial or Cremation Place:	Otisville, Genesee County, Michigan, United States of America
 Richard R. Phillips 1833–1913	 Luke Phillips 1858–1921	Has Bio?:	Y
 Emily Dolbee Phillips 1838–1898	Children	Father:	Richard R. Phillips
	 Mary Emily Phillips Hayes 1886–1950	Mother:	Emily Phillips
		Children:	Mary Emily Hayes
		URL:	https://www.findagrave.com/me...



The Clio Messenger, June 15, 1917 A second daughter?