WINS IN SPITE OF WEIRD DECISIONS

Fitzsimmons Rulings Are Bad, but Impartial, and Beavers Score Four Runs.

KINSELLA DOES THE TRICK

Los Angeles Takes Lead in Third, but Timely Hits Land Victory for Portland in the Sixth and Seventh.

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Portland, 4. Los Angeles, 2.

This was the way the skirmish on the Vaughn-street playground would up, but several times during the milling victory and defeat were in a deadly strangle-hold. Kinsella and Koestner were the operators and our elongated bridegroom came out of the fray slightly clawed and Stung for two runs, but smilling and happy. Koestner was belted around the veldt until four of McCredle's hired men had crossed

the scoring pan.

And right here let's say something about hippodroming baseball. The next time that George S. Shepherd gets a circusy idea, let's put it on cold storage. Had yesterday's game been just an exhibition affair, it would have been fine and dandy, and a good drawing card for Bob Fitzsimmons to play at umpiring, but in a real game, with the teams in the race so close together, it was silly and dangerous. The lanky Australian does not pretend to be a proficient "Ump" and some of his decisions on the bases were sadly off, but both teams suffered. If Secretary Shepherd wants to be in base-ball, with a sideshow attachment, we'll see if we can't get him ground space on see If we can't get him ground space on the East Side. Anyway, we shall see that he gets a long way from the Vaughn-street grounds. The best plan is to let Manager McCredle run things.

Lose Lead in Third.

Portland took the lead in the second only to lose it in the third. Bassey forced McCredle, who had walked, and by a marvelous bit of sprinting, hiked from first home on a long two-base his by Ote Johnson. This run put the fans in high fettie, but the Joy oozed when in the third Los Angeles made two. Hogan singled, but Whalen's unerring wing morgued him at third as he was trying to take part in a double steal with Oakes. Kinsella made a windgange on Oakes and the trouble was browed. Wheeler drove a neat single through second, scoring Onkos, who had worked his end of a double steal in which Hogan failed. Wheeler scored when Cooney fumbled Diflon's

the visitors were the only two runs that These were she only two runs that the visitors were able to put over, although they were dangerous twice after. In the seventh a quick double play, from Kinsella to Casey to Johnson, punctured trouble, and in the eighth there was a fretful moment. Cooney missed Oakes' grounder and Wheeler ski'd to Raftery. Dillon put one safe to right and Oakes took third. With one down Ryan took con a work of the coordinate of the coordin one safe to right and Oakes took third. With one down, Rysn took care of Brashear's difficult foul and then to put the lid on good and tight, Kinselia ozoned Jud Smith. The crowd yeined with delight when Kinselia turned this trick.

Victory Comes in Sixth.

In spite of the welrd base decisions, In spite of the weird base decisions, the game was wrapped and delivered to us in the sixth. Wheeler took care of Casey's pop fly. Byan rambled and Raftery, who had been peppering Jud Smith all afternoon, hit another liner that Jud got just close enough to knock down. Ryan went to second and Raftery what on McCradic's inseld poke knock down. Ryan went to second and Raftery died on McCredie's infield poke to Wheeler. McCredie and Ryan worked into a double steal, Ryan coming home and McCredie jamming his spikes in second. Bassey smashed a screamer to left and McCredie regis-

Just to tighten things up, we made another in the seventh. Cooney singled and Whalen sacrificed him to second. Kinsella drew a pass. Casey ski'd to Delmas and Ryan walked Jud Smith was it again. Raftery almed at the tooth carpenter's shinbone and he made a bullseye. The ball caromed off the bone and while Delmas was doing the retrieving stunt. the retrieving stunt, Cooney sailed

This was all. Remember no more

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Finishes of Some of Yesterday's Track Events, and Pictures of Some Winners



Portland 7 Time of game, 1 hour 40 min-utes. Umpire, O'Connell and Bob Fitz-

Minstrel Band at Game Today.

This afternoon the patrons of the baseball will have a chance to enjoy music furnished by Lew Dockstader's band. W. T. Pangle, one of Portland's thirtythird degree fans, has arranged with the rest of the minstrel men to be the guests of the management. A cersain section of the grandstand will be set aside for the band and the rest of Dockstader's fun makers. This will be the last appearance of the Loo Loos for many weeks. As the games now stand the locals have won two and the visitors three, and we must win this afternoon's engagement to break even. McCredle hopes to have Danzig back in the game and he feels confident with a few more warm days that his pitching staff will be right side up and

SEALS GET ONLY ONE RUN akland Balltossers Score Nine on

Ten Hits. SAN FRANCISCO, June 5 .- Out of ten Oakland scored nine runs in toy's game with San Francisco. est the home team could do was to out one run in the first inning. Score: SAN FRANCISCO.

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NORTHWEST LEAGUE. Aberdeen 1; Vancouver 3.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 6 .- (Special.) Vancouver won a 10-inning game tobaseball moguls for the band and the day that was exciting from start to finish and well-played until the last inning. It was a pitchers' battle most of the way, and only three hits were scored off Califf, one of which was a scratch. Till the tenth only one run was made off his delivery, a drive over the fence in the seventh by Hyatt. Erckson had the Aberdeen team shut out until the ninth, when two singles and a long fly tied the score. Brinker was sent in to hit for Brown in Aberdeen's half, to no effect. He took Brown's place at short and booted the first ball hit to him. Then he muffed Moore's on. Sugden hit clean to center and Van Buren let the ball get away from him, and both runners scored. Sugden was run down, while Erickson went to third. Fitzgerald booted the next drive and Erickson scored. Aberdeen council score in the second half. Score

R.H.E. Aberdeen .. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 5 7 Vancouver-. 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 3—4 3 2 Batteries-Califf and Boettiger; Erickson and Sugden.

Spokane 10; Seattle 9.

SPOKANE, Wash., June 6 .- (Special.)-In an old-fashioned slugging match, abounding in loose fielding, reckless baserunning, raw muffs, sensational stops and catches, wildness on the part of the pitchers and frenzied enthusiasm on the part of the biggest week-day crowd Spokane ever saw at a ball game, the Indians won from Seattle in the last half of the ninth inning, 10 to 9.

The feature of the game was the abundance of features. It was chockfull of sensations, and various stops, good, bad and indifferent, but wildly exciting all the time. Makin finally drove the ball far out to right center when the score was tied, two out, and two strikes on him,

Chandler showing the winning run amid scenes that beggar description. McNune reported to Scattle today and played short, his one error being a costly high throw to the plate. He siammed the ball hard at bat. Carney was in right field for Seattle, and played a corking

all-round game. Five old Spokane play-ers were in the game for Seattle today. man was injured and forced to retire Score:

Satteries-Allen, Coy, Rush and Stanley; Wright, Roosevelt and Rogers. -Carruthers.

INLAND EMPIRE LEAGUE.

Pendleton 5: La Grande 3.

PENDLETON, Or., June 6 .- (Special.) -Pendleton's team gingered up today and took the third game of the series from La Grande, 5 to 3. Had Aubin been given the support yesterday that was afforded Taliaferro today, the visitors would have been shut out. Umpire Buerstetti occupied a seat on the bench today, having become disgusted with his inability to please either side. Van Houten, the disabled Pendleton catcher, umpired the game. Pendleton secured 10 hits and La Grande 5. Each team was credited with five errors. Furchelle struck out eix and Taliaferro

Walla Walla 6; Baker City 1.

BAKER CITY, Or., June 6 .- (Special.)-Walla Walla took the game from Baker's team today by a score of to 1. The game was uneventful. Batteries-Baker City, Cryderman and Ward; Walla Walla, Killeday and Munson, Umpire, Robertson. Walla Walla 0 0 3 0 2 1 0 0 0 -6 Baker City 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 -1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago 5, Washington 4.

CHICAGO, June 6 .- A grand batting rally in the final two innings today gave Chicago the second game of the series with Washington. Score:

R.H.E. | Washington ..4 12 1 Batteries-Altrock, Owen, Nelson, Sulli-van, Weaver and Shaw; J. Tannehill and

Boston 10: Detroit 5.

DETROIT, June 6 .- In the worst game seen here in years, Detroit lost. Jennings, Donovan, Jones and Burchell were put off the field, and Manager McGuire was notified of indefinite suspension. Ross-

RHE Detroit . .5 7 4 Boston Batterles-Mullin, Willets and Schmidt; Morgan, Young and Criger,

New York 6, Cleveland 2.

CLEVELAND, June 6.—New York de-feated Cleveland today, Chase working the "squeeze" play and placed New York in the lead in the first inning with two runs. Score:

Cleveland ...2 6 2 New York ...6 10 Batteries-Joss, Hess and N. Clarke; Chesbro and Kleinow.

Philadelphia 2, St. Louis 0.

ST. LOUIS, June 6.-Only one St. Louis player reached second base today, the Philadelphia Americans shutting out the R.H.E. St. Louis 0 3 2 Philadelphia .. 2 8 0 Batteries—Howell and Spencer; Plank

and Powers. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 14, Boston 0. BOSTON, June 6 .- Chicago decisively

defeated Boston today, 14 to 0. The visitors made 19 hits off four Boston pitchers, while the locals were unable to hit Fraser. Score:
R. H. E. | R.
Chicago ... 14 19 0 Boston 0 Batteries-Ruelbach, Kling and Mar-shall; Dorner, Young, Pfeiffer, Boults

Cincinnati 8; Brooklyn 2. BROOKLYN, June 6.-Cincinnati

made it three straight by winning to-day from Brooklyn. Findlayson, in the fourth inning, forced in a run on passes and a bad throw. Score: R. H. E. R. R. Zincinnati ... 8 9 0 Brooklyn ... 2 Batteries-Campbell and McLean; Rucker, Findlayson and Bergen.

Pittsburg 5, Philadelphia 2.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6 .- Pittsburg today hit Sparks hard and defeated Philadelphia, 5 to 2. Score: Pittsburg ..5 10 1 Phil'd'lphia .2 7 2 Batteries-Leever and Gibson; Sparks

Leaves French Car at Vladivostok.

St. Chaffray, the conductor of the French

car in the New York-to-Paris automobile

race, arrived here today by rail on his way to Paris. He left his car at

CANNOT ROW IN BIG REGATTA

University of Washington Sends

University of Washington in the intercollegiate regatta at Poughkeepsie on June 27, according to an announcement made here today by the chairman of the Intercollegiate Regatta Association, when his attention was called to a dispatch telling of the intention of the Pacific Colors and the color of the Pacific Colors and the colors of the colors of the pacific Colors and the colors of cific Coast champions to start east on June 9, to take part in the races at

have communicated earlier with the regatta association if it wanted to race at Poughkeepsie," said he, "as it would be impossible to accept the entry, for all the arrangements for this year's race were completed some time ago."

Results at Gravesend. GRAVESEND, June 6.-Summary:

About six furionss—Jas. B. Brady won; Besom, second; Queen Marguerite, third; line, 1:09 4-5. Steeplechase, about 2½ miles—Thistledale won; California King, second; Alfar, third; Steepechale, won; California King, second; Alfar, third; time, 4:46.

Five furiongs—Sir Martin won; Fayette, second; Bobbin, third; time, 1:00 2:5.
One mile—Chapultepec won; Question Mark, second; Transvaal, third; time, 1:39 2:5.

Mile and sixteenth—Rostine won; Hyperion II, second; Lad of Langdon, third; time, 1:46.

Five and a half furlongs—Armiak won; Madman, second; Rostrum, third; time, 1:07.

O. A. C. Drubs Varsity Nine. CORVALLIS, Or., June 6 .- (Special.)-A

defeat for the university by a score of 5 to 4, making the fourth straight victory for the college in a series of four games, was administered by the Oregon Agricultural College baseball team here this afternoon. Rooper and Clifford were the afternoon of their respective teams and the control of the contr in the box for their respective teams and both pitched good ball, no university man, and but one college runner reaching first during the last three innings. The game is the last between the two teams this season. A big crowd was in at-ST. PETERSBURG, June 6.-Bourcler | tendance.

CHICAGO WINS MEET

Close Contest in Western College Track Meet.

TIE FOR SECOND PLACE

Stanford and Wisconsin Divide Honors-Record Tied in 100 Yards. Sensational Finish by Carr in

the Two-Mile Run.

MARSHALL FIELD, Chicago, June 6.—Chicago won the annual track and field meet of the Intercollegiate Conference on Marshall Field this afternoon, scoring 24 points. The teams of Leland Stanford Junior University and the University of Wisconsin tied for second honors, with 20 points each. Hilinois, the former conference champion, is third with 18 points. The meet was so close that the result was not counted until Merriman won the

last event on the programme—the 220-yard hurdle.

No records were broken, but May of No records were broken, but May of Illinois tied the Western record in the 100-yard dash, running in 9 4-5 seconds. The real feature of the afternoon was the desperate race in the two-mile run, Carr, of Michigan Agricultural College, finishing with a sensational sprint and defeating the second and third men by inches only. Outside of this race, results were largely according to form, although the fallure of the Stanford men in the distance runs and the field events was not expected, and had much to do with the team's inability to win first place. the team's inability to win first place.

Merriman Star Performer.

Merriman was the star Individual Merriman was the star Individual performer of the day, gaining victories in both the events in which he took part. Jacobs, of Chicago, took the pole vault with comparative case, Bellah, of Stanford, failing because he could not control his pole after he had cleared the bar. May, of Illinois, won the shorter dash, though Nelson, of Colorado, gave him the hardest kind of a race for second place, the two falling across the tape but half an inch apart.

Inch apart.

The scores—Chicago, 24; Leland Stanford, 20; Wisconsin, 20; Illinois, 18; Grinnell, 11; Purdue, 8; Michigan Agricultural, 8; Ames, 7; Indianapolis, 1; Beloit, 1; Marquette, 1; Lawrence, 1; Colorado Agricultural, 1. Summary: 440-yard run—N. W. Merriam, Chicago, first; E. F. Lyndberg, Illinois, second: J. O. Miller, Stanford, third. Time, 50 2-5.

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125-yard hurdle—F. J. Natwick, Wisconsin, first; O. G. Fiffield, Purdue, second; H. W. Horton, Stanford, third, Time 15 4-5.
Pole vault—C. S. Jacobson, Chicago Pole vault—C. S. Jacobson, Chicago, first, height 12 feet; S. H. Bellah, Stanford, zecond, height 11 feet 10 inches; W. R. Jones, Illinois, third, height 11 feet 6 inches, High

W. R. Jones, Illinois, third, height 11 feet 6 inches.

High jump—D. J. Martin, Stanford; H. T. Slaght, Grinnell and J. J. Schommer, Chicago, tled for the three places. Height 5 feet 10 inches. Martin won the toss for the medals.

889-yards run—L. O. Miller, Stanford, first; C. J. Oviatt, Michigan Agricultural, second; J. W. Davis, America, third. Time, 1:5:12-5.

Shotput—O. P. Ostoff, Wisconsin, first, distance 42 feet 1 inch; J. P. Schommer, Chicago, second, distance 41 feet 1 inch.

120-yard dash.—H. L. Horton, Stanford, third, distance 41 feet 1 inch.

120-yard dash.—H. H. Huff, Grinnell, first; W. W. May, Illinois, second; J. W. Nelson, Colorado Agricultural, third. Time, 221-3.

Two-mile run—M. J. Carr, Michigan Agricultural, first; J. E. Waggoner, Ames, second: H. H. Maundrell, Stanford, first, distance 138 feet 4½ inches; E. W. Lambert, Ames, second, Merchanter, 128 feet 11; inches; C. Bayer, 128 feet 12; inches; C. Bayer, 128 feet 128 feet 12; inches; C. Bayer, 128 fee

distance 136 feet 1½ inches; C. Beyer, Lawrence, third, distance 135 feet 1½ inches.

Rogoway Captain Albany Eleven.

ALBANY, Or., June 6.—(Special.)— Morris Rogoway, halfback on the 1968 team, has been chosen captain of the Albany College football team for next year. The local college will make efforts to put out a strong team.

SEVENTEENTH CUSTOMER. WRITES A LETTER

Wants to see the fur fly, but is apt to be disappointed

"I see your old enemy is coming back to town. I and a number of friends take it that this will mean the resumption of the hostilities of the early days between your house and it. We, who witnessed the valiant fighting and your bold exposure of their methods nearly ten years ago, look forward with much interest to what is to come. You drove them out six years ago; we hope you will do it again.

"Very sincerely,"

"YOUR SEVENTEENTH CUSTOMER."

The above is an interesting letter. It

Entry Too Late.

NEW YORK, June 6.—No provision can be made for the eight-oared crew of the University of Washington in the intercollegiate regatta at Poughkeepsie on fune 27, according to an announcement made here today by the chairman of the intercollegiate Regatta Association, when his attention was called to a dispatch telling of the intention of the Pacific Coast champions to start east on fune 9, to take part in the races at Poughkeepsie.

"The above is an interesting letter. It calls to mind much of plano-selling history that has been forgotten by most of us. When Eliers Piano House came to Oregon nearly ten years ago, plano selling was little short of commercial trickery.

Ellers Piano House boldly exposed the unsavory methods that then prevalled. It plainly proved that houses then prominent in the trade were conducted on no other than a "get-all-you-can" or inciple. Instances were found where unsuspecting buyers had been or less obscure makes of planos (cheap inside, but showy, gaudy cases) which same styles were obtained by other and more careful or shrewder buyers for \$185, \$180, yes, even \$475. The lister price was all such instruments were worth. Eliers Plano House never sold them for more.

Needless to say that the exposure of such methods quickly caused the deciline of the houses guilty of such practices, Nearly a dozen firms have passed out of existence altogether since those days.

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tices. Nearly a dozen firms have passed out of existence altogether since those days.

But our old friend, who writes the above letter and who is actually, as he signs himself, our seventeenth customer waen we started, is apt to be disappointed in his expectations. Portland is developing rapidly, its commercial life must grow with it. The plano trade cannot possibly be centered altogether in one house. As stated in the early days, we are happy to state again that we have but one course to pursue in the conduct of our business, and that is the furnishing of the very best of everything in planos and organs at the lowest possible cost.

In the conduct of our business along such lines, competition pursued on a fair and honorable basis cannot be otherwise than welcome to us and to every member of the trade. If, on the other hand, the unsavory, not to say, unscrupulous methods, that prevailed in the trade before the coming of Ellers Piano House should again become prevalent, then we shall certainly take tupon ourselves to expose them as openly as we did in the early days.

Straightforward methods and fair dealing have established the piano trade of Oregon upon the very highest commercial plane, and Ellers Piano House will ever be found in the foremost rank in an honest endeavor to uphold the reputation and standing of the music trade at the highest possible point.

Ellers Piano House.