

ATHLETICS—YANKS BOTH DEFEATED

New York Team Fails to Take Advantage of Chance to Gain.

By William J. Chipman (Associated Press Sports Writer)

The reported crumpling of the athletic pitching staff seems to be gathering confirmation in the west and the coach will have to assume a much heavier role before it becomes available to the Yankees because of the Indians and central league. The leaders and their pitchers, both broke over on the weekend in the Cubs' pick-up one and one-half games on the Pirates by winning twice while the Yankees were dropping the big game in three.

The weekend in the American league was notable chiefly for Moose Groves' third failure within a week to swing that elusive eighth-inning victory and for Babe Ruth's 49th and 50th home runs of his unique career.

Indians Down Yanks

Ruth disrupted his 49th on Saturday to put the finishing touch on a 4 to 2 Yankee victory, and fanned Willis Huddell for his 50th in the second inning yesterday when the Indians out-vented him by six to five. Lou Gehrig also got his twenty-seventh of the season at Cleveland yesterday.

Ruth's eighth drive placed him in a tie with Hank Wilson of the Cubs and Mel Ott of the Giants for second place in the interleague home run derby and left him only three behind Chuck Klein of the Phillies, who has thirty-three.

George Earnshaw undertook the task of turning the Tigers yesterday but in the ninth he covered a home run ball to Red Harrgrave with two outs on base.

Moss Pitchers Parade

Harrgrave's drive placed the margin of the Mackintosh to one thin run, and brought old Jack Quinn to the box, three singles and an error tied the score at 8 to 8, and Ossie Gravel emerged from the bullpen. Ossie got by until Johnson hit a homer within the park in the eleventh to win for the home boys, 9 to 8.

The Red Sox and the White Sox divided two games at Chicago over the weekend, the visitors winning on Saturday by 10 to 7 and the home team by 6 to 3 yesterday. Al Thomas permitted only five hits in the eighth game, one a homer by Jack Rothrock.

Washington cleaned up two games over the Browns, winning by 4 to 2 on Saturday and by 7 to 5 yesterday.

Alexander Breaks Record

The National league weekend was marked by the fall of the late Christy Mathewson's lifetime winning record of 272 games. Grover Cleveland Alexander held the Phillies to two hits in the last four rounds of the eleven-inning second game on Saturday, and got credit for the 273rd victory as the 27th of his 17-year career. The champion Cards tied the game for Alex with one in the ninth and won with two more in the eleventh.

The Cubs won two hard-fought games in Boston, by 4 to 1 on Saturday and by 3 to 1 yesterday. The Pirates the while were dividing a Saturday bargain with the Robins on Thursday and absorbing a 9 to 3 tap on the chin yesterday.

Sheriff Blake and Charlie Root turned in some fancy pitching for Joe McCarthy at Braves field in the two club victories.

Hornby Helps Cubs

With pitching such as they are receiving in Boston, the Cubs can do with less hitting but this fact is making an impression upon Eugene Hornby, among others. The right got a single, a double and his twenty-fifth homer yesterday to boost his average to .265. Red Lucas trimmed the Giants by 7 to 2 on Saturday, but no-hit Carl Hubbell returned the compliment to the redskins on the sabbath. The score was 8 to 1.

The eradication of a variety of pest vermin in Chicago has been reported by the city health department. The vermin, including fleas, ticks, and lice, were found in increasing numbers. Presumably they have a fertile source of security there.

A LITTLE SUGAR—LOTS OF FLAVOR

How a Dash of Sweetness Can Add to the Joy of Eating

Everyone is interested in improving cookery. Women like to have their meals appreciated. Men like to enjoy foods so that eating becomes a pleasure. Children fight against bland and tasteless meals. Unappetizing foods encourage malnutrition among children.

This points out the rightful place of sugar in the diet. Sugar is the flavor supreme developed by nature to make eating a pleasure. The latest thing in cookery is an old secret rediscovered. Add a dash of sugar to vegetables while they are cooking (preferably in little water). The sugar works wonders in picking up the flavors, freshness and colors of vegetable foods.

Try this *Egyptian en Casserole*. Pare a large eggplant. Cut it in thick slices. Then in cubes. Cook in just enough boiling water to cover. Drain well when finished. Cut a small onion in slices. Cook until tender in 1 tablespoon of butter. Add the eggplant, 1 cup of tomatoes (more if mixture seems too dry), 1/2 cup of water, 1 tea-spoon of sugar, 1/2 teaspoon of salt, & teaspoon of pepper. Cover and simmer slowly in moderate oven half an hour.

Try a dash of sugar in cooking peas, lima beans, string beans, corn, carrots, beets, parsnips, sweet potatoes, squash, onions and turnips. For taste, for enjoyment, for making a varied diet enjoyable, use a dash of sugar. Good food promotes good health. The Sugar Institute.

With the old A's it was speed and defense, though we also had good hitting. Now it's mainly hitting, and we have plenty of that, but we also have good pitching for defense.

Two Fly Casting Records Smashed

MISSOULA, Mont., Aug. 12 (AP)—Two world records were broken and one was equaled here in the final events of the annual tournament of the Western Association of Angling clubs.

Louis Guerin of San Francisco broke the world's mark for wet fly distance casting with an average of 125 feet, 4 inches. His longest throw, 141 feet, also eclipsed the world's record. The former marks were made in Denver in 1923 by George Chitt of Chicago. Chitt's average was 123 feet, his longest 125 feet.

Ralph Lyttaker, of Seattle, tied the world's record wet fly accuracy casting with a score of 180, Dr. W. E. Schreiber of Missoula scored one-fourth of a point less than Lyttaker.

George Guerin of San Francisco won the 5-8 ounce bait accuracy event in class "A" with a score of 99.7. William E. Peterson of Seattle took honors in class "B" with a score of 99.3.

League Standings

By the Associated Press

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	27 16	.628
Missoula	27 16	.628
Hollywood	26 14	.619
Los Angeles	25 18	.581
Oakland	21 22	.488
Portland	20 22	.476
Sacramento	15 26	.366
Seattle	9 34	.269

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	70 22	.759
Pittsburgh	63 41	.606
New York	60 48	.556
St. Louis	54 54	.500
Brooklyn	46 60	.434
Cincinnati	44 61	.419
Boston	43 63	.404
Philadelphia	41 68	.399

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	78 31	.717
New York	65 39	.625
Cleveland	56 51	.523
St. Louis	56 52	.519
Detroit	52 55	.484
Washington	44 66	.423
Chicago	43 65	.398
Boston	32 73	.305

White Sox Sign Up Three For 1930

CHICAGO, Aug. 12, (AP)—The White Sox today announced the purchase of two minor league pitchers and an outfielder, who will report for duty next spring. They are Victor Frazier, star right-hander of the Dallas club of the Texas league; Pat Caraway, Topeka southpaw, and Jimmy Moore, Dallas outfielder and leading batsman of the Texas league.

CARPENTERS GIVEN ASSIST IN SOUTHERNERS' HOME RUNS

SARASOTA, Fla., Aug. 12 (AP)—One side-light on the lively ball game can be gathered from the averages.

Pool and Minor of the Nashville Vols, collectively have hit 20 home runs this year. Most of these homers were hit at Sulphur Hill where the right field fence is so close that an ordinary fly ball is good for four bases.

Most of the laps in the rabbit ball was put there by carpenters who built the fences around the parks.

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Missions, Seals Again Tied For Lead In League

By The Associated Press

The hard fighting Mission Reds demonstrated yesterday their determination to make a fight of it for the Pacific coast league's second half season honors, by soundly thrashing the San Francisco Seals at Recreation park in both games of a double header, and thus tying the standings at the top of the morning, 27 out of 45 for both.

In the morning game the Reds won, 11-6, and in the afternoon by 7 to 4. They cleaned up on the series, 4 games out of 7. Dutch Ruetter led only one inning in the second game by allowing Rahr, Domovian and Jolly to hang up homers.

Indians Break Even

Oakland, playing the Seattle Indians in the Oakland park, came back in the afternoon after losing a 1 to 0 game in the morning. It won, 15 to 5, in a free hitting game, featured with seven home runs, Johnny Vreese, Oaks sacker, hit two of them, giving him six four-baggers for the series.

Portland and Sacramento battled to a tie for the series at three- all in the capital city. The two clubs played to a 7-7 deadlock in the morning session, and the Ducks won the afternoon game, 5 to 4. In the first contest, the Sacramento club overcame a four-run lead. In the afternoon game, Redding and Chesterfield were chased in mid-way and Cano and Fullerton took up the battle which went ten innings.

Stars In Race

Hollywood took both ends of a double header from Los Angeles by the scores of 7 to 3, and 2 to 1. The double victory put the Stars within half a game of the league leading Missions and Seals. Frank Shick held the Angels to six hits in the opening. He helped to win his own game by clouting out two home runs and a single. In the second game, Chadbourne and Greene, umpires, were showered with bottles.

AD—MISSIONS SEALS—SPORTS

Yesterday's Coast League Results—AT STOCKTON:

Morning Game: R. H. E.
Portland 7 9 1
Sacramento 7 9 2
Batteries: Ortman, Fullerton and Tomlin; Rachae, Gould and

Harris. Called and eighth inning, time limit).

AT SACRAMENTO: R. H. E.
Portland 7 9 1
Sacramento 7 9 2
Batteries: Fullerton, Chesterfield and Woodall; Keating, Cano and Koehler. (Ten innings).

AT LOS ANGELES: R. H. E.
Los Angeles 3 6 0
Hollywood 7 12 0
Batteries: Peters, Baechel and Hannah; Sandberg, Schellenback and Severoid.

AT SAN FRANCISCO: R. H. E.
Morning Game: R. H. E.
San Francisco 4 5 0
Mission 7 14 0
Batteries: Mails, Couch and Reed; Penemsky, Cole and Baldwin.

AT OAKLAND: R. H. E.
Morning Game: R. H. E.
Seattle 1 5 0
Oakland 0 4 1
Batteries: Pipiras and Borpani; Demovich and Lombardi.

Atchison, Kas., was 75 years old this year.

TRACK STAR DESIGNS NEW TIMER FOR TRACK

COLT SPRING, Ohio (AP)—Realizing from his own experiences the uncertainty of the stop-watch in timing track records, Kent Crooks, electrical engineering graduate in Ohio State university, perfected an electrical timing device for track meets as his thesis.

A split-second watch is started by means of an electrical contact on the starter's gun and stopped when the runner crosses a beam of light which actuates a photo-electric cell.

Crooks, hurdler and broad jumper, was a member of the Buckeye quartet which set a world record for the 440-yard shuttles last winter.

HUBBELL'S BROTHER MAKES HIS DEBUT

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—Carl Hubbell, New York Giant of no-hit fame, has a successor in the old hurling job for the Oklahoma City Indians of the Western league.

It is his brother, Merrill, also a southpaw. In his first appearance young Hubbell let down the opposition with six scattered hits.

DUBUQUE C. RETURNS TO CONFERENCE FOLD

DUBUQUE, Iowa (AP)—Somewhat it isn't much fun playing all alone, and so Dubuque university which turned up its nose at intercollegiate athletics four years ago is safely back in the fold of the Iowa state college conference.

GRAF ZEPPELIN WILL START FOR TOKYO AUG. 14

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