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Portland Club Tied With Hollywood For First in Coast League.

Pacific Coast League Standings table with columns for team, W, L, Pct.

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The Mission Reds of San Francisco took a tight one 4 to 3 from San Francisco's other team, the Seals, in a spirited finish the last half of the ninth. With the score tied at three all in the first half, the Mission Reds retired the Seals when they had the bases full and put over the winning tally in their time at bat the last half.

Down in Southern California Hollywood's Stars beat the Angels 7 to 4 at Los Angeles. Gladia, Star third sacker, and Barton, Angel right-fielder, hit for the circuit once each.

At Oakland: H. H. E. Portland 9 18 1 Oakland 3 7 1

Walters and Woodall, Orlanum, Tubbs, Finch and Reed, H. H. E. At Sacramento: H. H. E. Seattle 2 6 2

At Los Angeles: H. H. E. Los Angeles 4 9 3 Hollywood 7 19 1

Sealy, Peters and Campbell, Hamish, Sheddick and Bassler, H. H. E. At San Francisco: H. H. E. San Francisco 4 11 2

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ALREADY COUNTING HIS CHICKENS!



Sport Slants

By Alan J. Gould (Associated Press Sports Editor)

Walter Camp, in his prime, exercised a far more dominating influence upon American football than Knute Rockne although the effect of the latter's methods and teachings may be more widespread in a final analysis of modern times.

Camp held sway over a smaller area of activity, influencing the development of the college game in its original eastern stronghold, at times dictating even the rules, and standing alone as the architect of the American professional game.

Camp, like Rockne, was an exceptionally keen strategist. Like Rockne also he was a captain and coach as well as a writer. And, as a result of rapid physical development, Rockne nationalized the game as it never had been done before.

Through the sheer force of his personality and the performance of his team. Yet both were pioneers in their time.

MADE THIRD TEAM Camp selected Rockne for his third All-American team in 1918, the season made famous by the Dorcas to Rockne passing combination.

Rockne was named on the second all-star eleven by Camp. These selections marked the first recognition of the Honors by the "father of football."

It seems worth calling the 1918 All-American roll again to show the company Rockne was in:

- End: Howell, Dartmouth; Tackle: Salter, Princeton; Guard: Fenwick, Harvard; Center: Dan Jordan, Chicago; Quarterback: Brown, Navy; Tackle: Taylor, Navy; End: Marcell, Army; C. Back: Huntington, Colgate; H. Back: Craig, Michigan; H. Back: Brickley, Harvard; F. Back: Harkness, Harvard

- Second Team: Fritz, Cornell; Tackle: Butler, Wisconsin; Guard: Bosch, Carleton; Quarterback: Marling, Yale; Guard: Kretschm, Yale; Tackle: Weyand, Army; End: Harwick, Harvard; C. Back: Wilson, Yale; H. Back: Spogard, W. J.; H. Back: Guyon, Carleton; F. Back: Elmer, Notre Dame

- Third Team: Soden, Minnesota; Tackle: Hallinan, Nebraska; Guard: Mann, Cornell; Quarterback: Talmann, Rutgers; Tackle: Peterson, Michigan; Tackle: Storer, Harvard; End: Rockne, Notre Dame; C. Back: Miller, Penn State; H. Back: Baker, Princeton; H. Back: Norton, Chicago; F. Back: Whitney, Dartmouth

ROCKNE APPLIED Rockne's forte was in the application and improvement of football methods, rather than originality. Line as well as backfield shifts were taught long before his day but the perfection of these maneuvers was distinctive.

Rock simplified and reduced the weight of gridiron equipment. He was the first to equip his squad with a "back" to study the position with his coach from the sidelines.

He made famous the use of "back troops," not only to balance the enemy and keep the variety fresher and more on edge, but to enable the quarterback to study the position with his coach from the sidelines.

A grain of popcorn was removed from the nose of Nettle Jean, Trotter 2, of New Ark. by Little Rock physician.

Bob Kruse is winner over Cantonwine

SPOKANE, Wash., Apr. 15 (AP)—Bob Kruse, Portland, Ore., heavyweight boxer, won a three-fall fight from Howard Cantonwine, Iowa Thunderbolt, to win their headline wrestling match here last night.

The match, billed as a "struggle" after appeared to be exactly that. Cantonwine took the first fall, pinning Kruse with an arm lock after 45 seconds of the first round.

Kruse took his first fall in the fourth after seven minutes, 55 seconds of punishing living writhings. Cantonwine was too busy done up that an elbow patch fell from him as he staggered into action in the fifth.

The time was 37 seconds. Kruse, who has been known a few years ago as a fullback on the George University football team and later as a member of professional teams, made his debut as a wrestler by defeating Cowboy Ray, of Texas, in two straight falls. They are heavyweights.

Stratfield, composer of the first American opera with an American theme, has presented his work for the first time at the University of North Dakota.

First oil tax collections in Georgia during February totaled \$961,124.78.

Jack Thompson, Negro Youth, On Welter Throne

By Charles Dunbar (Associated Press Sports Writer)

CLEVELAND, Apr. 15 (AP)—Young Jack Thompson, Oakland, Cal., negro youth, is back on the throne today as welterweight champion of the world.

Thompson regained the title he lost to Tommy Freeman six months ago by scoring a technical knockout over the titleholder in the twelfth round of their scheduled 15-round encounter.

Thompson's public address system last night, Freeman, with his left eye swollen shut, was unable to respond when the bell changed for the start of the twelfth round. The eye started to swell in the tenth round by the end of the eleventh it was tightly closed. He protested that he was unable to see and surrendered to the California negro on the advice of a physician.

By his victory, Thompson exploded the popular belief that they never come back. His performance in winning the title he lost takes rank with the achievements of the late Stanley Ketchel and Pete Herman, who won back their championships after losing to champions.

Now he isn't that something, grinded Thompson as he sat in his dressing room after the fight.

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Major Leagues Launch Season; Athletics Win

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr. (Associated Press Sports Writer)

With all the fanfare that usually accompanies the start of a new baseball year, the major leagues have inaugurated, what has been promised to be a highly successful season.

The size of the opening day crowds, which filled eight ball parks with nearly 200,000 fans, and the quality of the first game performances combined to promise great things for future days between now and September.

All around the two cities, the teams that have been pegged to finish in the first division performed well enough to justify the predictions while the others showed that they may become contenders.

A number of the recruits, particularly on the weaker teams, shone in the opening games.

ATHLETICS WIN In no case was the margin of victory more than four runs while one game which brought together two of the prospective pennant contenders was carried into extra innings.

The Philadelphia Athletics, the world champions, defeated the Washington Senators, who finished second to the A's in the American league last year 5 to 3, in an eleven inning battle.

The A's tied the count in the sixth just about the time President Hoover left the scene, then bunched hits off Al Crumler in the seventh to win. For the most part the game was a mound duel between Babe Wilkes of Philadelphia and Lloyd Bruce of Washington.

Three other good pitching performances turned up in the American league. Before a crowd of 70,000, Charley Ruffing of the New York Yankees held the Boston Red Sox in check to gain a 6 to 3 victory. Babe Ruth added to the festivities by hitting his first home run of the new season while Winsett made a pinch runner for Boston. Wesley Ferrell started out to beat last year's mark of 23 victories for Cleveland as his

manager hit well behind him to beat the Chicago White Sox 5 to 4. Walter Stewart of St. Louis limited the rebuilt Detroit Tigers to six hits while the Beavers doubled that number to win 7-3.

Root Doing Well Charley Root, ace of the Chicago Cubs, turned in the National league's best hurling performance as he allowed the Pittsburgh Pirates only four blows while gaining a 6 to 2 triumph. A homer by Gabby Hartnett also helped entertain the 45,000

fans of the National league's biggest crowd.

The champion St. Louis Cardinals, now just one of the teams battling for the flag, found trouble with Larry Beaton's pitching in the early innings but came with a rush at the finish and defeated Cincinnati 7 to 3.

The New York Giants and Philadelphia quickly found the range of the right field wall at Baker bowl, Philadelphia, and slammed out four homers, three in that direction. Chuck Klein walloped two in suc-

cession but could not keep his team ahead as a big seventh inning gave the Giants a 9 to 5 victory.

John Pious Quinn started his 29th year as a professional pitcher on the mound for Brooklyn but failed to foil the Boston Braves batters after the first few innings. He was removed at the seventh but the damage was done and Boston won by a 7-4 count. Boston's starter, Tom Zachary, was driven to cover in the first inning.

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