

THE PACIFIC LEAGUE

Plan to Take in Salt Lake and Ogden.

PRESIDENT LUCAS TALKS

Says He Will Fill Places of All Batters From the Northwest League—Applauds From Vancouver and Victoria.

NORTHWEST LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P. C., E. C. Rows include Seattle, Butte, Portland, Helena, Spokane, Tacoma.

SPOKANE, Aug. 29.—(Special.)—If any of the present teams bolt the Pacific Northwest Baseball League, I will put clubs in the cities bolting, and I have the financial backing to do it completely and successfully.

President Lucas, of the Pacific Northwest Baseball League, thus replied tonight in an interview with The Oregonian correspondent on a statement that teams would be taken in by the California League next season, the clubs named leaving the Pacific League.

"I have not since brought the matter to the attention of the Portland directors or Seattle team until I was notified by the manager of the Portland team, whom I suspended for five days for infraction of the rules, has been unfriendly; therefore, I have not discussed league matters with him. I feel that his punishment was deserved, just as much as the punishment of Manager Andrews, of the Tacoma club, and Manager McCloskey, of the Butte club, both of whom were suspended for not obeying the rules.

Neither Andrews nor McCloskey are unfriendly to me now. I can say positively that I have had no direct notice that either the Portland or Seattle teams will desert this league, and as I said before, Portland and Seattle and all other clubs in the Northwest league have teams playing for the Northwest pennant next year. I leave for Helena in the morning," said President Lucas, "and shall have another talk with Manager Dugdale, in Butte, Monday.

"From Butte I intend to go to Salt Lake and Ogden. Baseball enthusiasts of those towns are desirous of joining our league, which is one of the strongest minor leagues in the United States. If they decide to join us, they will pay to 50 cents general admission, and in the custom in Montana. I have also on file formal applications for franchises from Victoria and Vancouver, B. C., although they decline to play Sunday ball, the crowds at Saturday games in those cities, where a half-dollar is the rule on the last day of the week, will more than make up for the loss of Sunday patronage. Should the league decide to admit clubs from these cities.

I know of no other reason than resentment at my refusal in suspending players who have not been properly on the ball field, for any team in this league joining another league. The season has been most successful. Every club in it has made money, and is in a fair way to be prosperous next year. It seems probable that the league will be composed of eight clubs next season, although it may take some time to decide which cities will be of most benefit. My relations with all of the directors are pleasant, so far as I know. If I have made mistakes, they have been errors of the head, not of the heart."

The project of admitting Salt Lake and Ogden to the Pacific Northwest Baseball League, while it may be news to the majority of the fans, is nothing new to those closely connected with the baseball situation in the Northwest. At the time the two Montana cities were taken into the league it was also suggested that Salt Lake and Ogden be taken in, but the matter was given up because the league officials did not think it profitable at the time. Salt Lake is a good baseball town and would make a valuable addition to the league, providing suitable transportation arrangements could be made. Long trips with a team of a dozen men and a big train on the treasuries of the different clubs, and unless very low rates are granted by the railroad companies, the directors had better look twice before enlarging the league in that direction. Ogden is a fair town but would not pay nearly as well as Salt Lake.

Of course, all this talk is in the air. Nothing definite has been done, and nothing will be done until after the season closes and the directors meet in November. Mr. Lucas intends to go to Salt Lake and Ogden and investigate the situation and report at the meeting. Just what will be done none of the directors of the Portland club are prepared to say. The Anaconda Standard treats the subject in the following manner:

Salt Lake, Aug. 29.—(Special.)—The Standard—Just at a time when the baseball situation looks darkest in Utah comes the information that the Pacific Northwest League is ready to receive Salt Lake and Ogden with open arms and give them a free franchise to join hands with the organization that controls baseball in the Northwest. This is a big business opportunity for the Northwest League in Utah for the past three years, and now that the opportunity has arrived, a little rustling on the part of those interested in the game will insure this state better baseball than they have ever seen before. The invitation to join the Pacific Northwest League comes from President Lucas, and also from Manager McCloskey, of the Butte team.

any now holding a franchise, and nearly every manager in the Pacific Northwest League are clamoring for the franchise. The matter is all that they ask is that responsible parties in Salt Lake City and Ogden agree to put in a team, and the franchise will be granted. It is stated that Mr. Lucas does not ask for any certain sum of money back up the request for a franchise, as they are convinced that Salt Lake City will be one of the best-paying towns in the league if the club was properly handled.

Lucas and McCloskey have agreed to visit Salt Lake City and Ogden after October 15, and are anxious that persons desiring to take hold of the proposition be ready to meet with them on that date. The annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest League will be held the early part of November, and President Lucas wants to have the Salt Lake and Ogden proposition ready to submit to the other clubs of that time. Both McCloskey and Lucas think this city would be a money-maker to those taking hold of the baseball franchise, and McCloskey it is stated, says that he would put a club in Salt Lake City himself if he could take hold of it.

Lucas said the Pacific Northwest League has been a big-paying venture this year, and they are now better situated financially than any league outside of the bigger organizations. As seen by Coast Manager.

In an interview D. E. Dugdale, manager of the Seattle baseball club, said there has been some correspondence in August by men prominent in baseball circles in Ogden and Salt Lake City with President Lucas, of the Pacific Northwest League, to consider the taking on of those two cities in 1920. No action has been taken in the matter as yet, Mr. Dugdale said, except the clubs had been consulted. President Lucas to visit the two cities. The trip, however, had to be postponed until after the settlement of the train club and the state of the Weaver. Weaver is the instigator of the movement, according to Mr. Dugdale.

He added in this connection that no consideration of the proposition can be entertained unless some reduction in railroad fares can be obtained. "At all events," he said, "it is an experiment, and as the league stands today it is an assured success."

Talking along these lines, Manager Dugdale said that Vancouver, B. C., has also offered a bid to come into the Pacific Northwest League, and was under consideration.

"For the last two seasons it has given the independent league the best of support. In fact it is a reborn baseball town. They are very anxious to have them come into the league," said the leader's manager.

Manager McCloskey and Manager Dugdale were talking last evening about the proposition for the expansion of the league. Both strongly favor it.

"Salt Lake is an awful good ball town," said Mr. McCloskey, "and I would like to strengthen the league to admit Salt Lake and Ogden. Ogden is as good a ball city as Helena."

"It is all up to the railroads," said Dugdale. "If the Short Line will make the rate it will be feasible to admit the Utah cities. It will manager Weaver, of Portland, who has made a rate. I should judge that the line from Portland to Pocatello would be used a good deal in the jumps, with a saving in railroad fare and time when there is no game to be played in Montana between the Coast and Utah teams."

WITH THE CELLAR CHAMPIONS.

Tacoma Gets a Game From Spokane After Ten Innings.

SPOKANE, Aug. 29.—Spokane, after Gordon had apparently given the game away in the first inning, substituted Litch and McCarthy for the first two innings. Meanwhile Spokane, by terrific batting, crept up to Tacoma's score of seven, and in the first half of the ninth made two, but Tacoma was not to be denied, and the score after ten innings was 10 to 4. Donahue and Eisey figured in dramatic fashion in the ninth, and the fielding of both teams was fast. Score:

Table with columns: AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows include Tacoma and Spokane.

*One out when winning run was scored.

TACOMA.

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*Swindells took Johnson's place in 10th to run.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Table with columns: Innings 1-9, Tacoma, Spokane.

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Spokane, 4; Tacoma, 4. Hits—off Gordon, 5; off Quirk, 3. Bases on balls—off Quirk, 3; off Johnson, 1. Struck out—by Quirk, 2; by Johnson, 2. Three-base hits—McCarthy, Litch, Fisher, Letcher, Johnson. Sacrifice hits—Litch, Hutchinson. Stolen base—Fisher. Doubles—Litch, Fisher to Litch; Fisher to Hutchinson; Donahue to Eisey to Donahue. Wild pitch—by Quirk. Umpire—Fisher. Attendance—300.

BEATS TWO MINUTES

DAN PATCH PAGES A MILE IN 1:59 1/2 AT PROVIDENCE.

Within a Quarter of a Second of the World's Record, Made by Star Pointer Five Years Ago.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 29.—The grand circuit meeting at Narragansett Park was brought to a close this afternoon in a blaze of glory. Dan Patch, the unbeaten son of Joe Patchen, paced an exhibition mile in 1:59 1/2, reducing his record from 2:00 1/2. The mile was within a quarter of a second of the world's record of 1:58 1/2, made by Star Pointer at Reasville five years ago.

This is the fastest mile in harness in half a decade, and Dan Patch is the second horse to beat two minutes. No other horse except Star Pointer ever went so fast, and he did it only twice. Star Pointer also went once in 1:59 1/2, so this is the third time a horse ever lowered two minutes. Myron McCleary drove the famous brown stallion, and his owner, M. E. Sturges, of New York, watched the performance from a box in the grandstand. An immense throng saw this exhibition. The track was lightning fast. The trial

THE STEAMSHIP INDIANA

The steamship Indiana, owned by the Empire Transportation Company, has been chartered by the Portland-Alaska Transportation Company to run between Portland and Nome. The Indiana will leave for the north not later than September 25, and will bring back 800 members of the Alaska Miners' Association, most of whom will spend the winter in this city.

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Philadelphia, 6; New York, 2.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29.—The home team defeated New York today by opportune hits. The visitors played a loose game. In the second inning Pitcher McGinty became incensed at Umpire Irwin's judgment on strikes and balls and refused to pitch, but reconsidered. Attendance, 1439. Score:

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Table with columns: League, Team, Won, Lost, P. C. Rows include National League and American League.

INLAND EMPIRE LEAGUE.

Pendleton 2, La Grande 0.

PENDLETON, Or., Aug. 29.—(Special.)—Pendleton again shut out La Grande in the second game of the series here today. Hay, the little college pitcher, did splendid work, striking out 11 men and allowing only one hit, which was a bunt along the foul-line toward third. The support behind him was perfect, the local team playing errorless ball. Russell was battered freely, but he kept the hits well scattered. La Grande made only two errors, and they were not costly. Butch and Weaver were successful in reaching first, and only one got to second. Score:

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Case of Pitcher St. Vrain.

SPOKANE, Aug. 29.—President W. H. Lucas, of the Pacific Northwest Baseball League, in an interview in the Chronicle today, states that two attorneys representing the Southern League are on their way west to confer with the president of the league. Lucas and Dugdale were responsible for Boston's run in the fifth. Attendance, 1884. Score:

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THE GREAT FUTURITY.

Sixty Thousand Dollar Race Will Be Run at Sheepshead Bay Today.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The Futurity, for a stake of over \$60,000 and with a record-making entry list, is the greatest event of the year. It will be run at Sheepshead Bay track tomorrow. Thirty-one horses are entered. Doubtless there will be six or seven post-announcements, but it is fairly certain that the stakes and field following are the entries, jockies, betting and owners:

2:11 class, racing two in three, purse \$1000—Billy H. won two straight heats in 2:06 1/2, 2:06. Don Riley, Ontario, Jesse H. Evolve, Princess Moquette, Gypsy Red, Hoehoe W., Annie Layburn, Rana, Schley Poirer, Belonica, Circle and May also started.

2:27 class, trot, three in five, purse \$1000—Anna Held won three straight heats in 2:14 1/2, 2:14 1/2. William Boy, John Patten, Daisy Direct, Florence C. Karmars, La France, Jane Tina and Handspring also started.

Against time, to beat 2:04 1/2, pacing—Dan Patch, Jr., by Joe Patchen-Zelma, by Wilkes Berry (McCleary) won. Time by quarters: 0:29 1/2, 0:29, 0:29 1/2, 0:29 1/2. Total time, 0:30 1/2, 0:29 1/2, 1:29 1/2, 1:59 1/2. Against time, to beat 2:20 trot—Betty Yoss won, time, 2:14 1/2.

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CRACK POOL PLAYER HERE.

W. W. King, Champion of Chicago, Challenges All Comers.

W. W. King, the champion pool player of Chicago, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. King, accompanied by his wife, has been on the road just a year and has visited all of the principal cities in the Northwest, giving exhibitions and playing matches. In all of the towns in which Mr. King has visited, he has made a hit. While in Portland he expects to give a number of exhibitions, and if possible he would like to have several matches. Mr. King is ready to challenge all comers.

The pool champion has two world records to his credit. One was made in Chicago in August, 1899, where he beat 20 straight balls, banking the fifth in each frame. The other was made in 1903, when he beat 100 straight balls in three ball shots in succession, two or three being double banks. Mr. King is undecided as to just how long he will stay in the city, but he will be here for several weeks at least.

Aderyn Wins Championship Cup. WAUKESHA, Wis., Aug. 29.—The yacht Aderyn, by coming in 20 seconds ahead of the Anita in today's class race, captured the championship cup regatta, captured the championship cup. The Anita will take second prize, while the contest for the third prize is between the Minnow and Mavis, with 13 points. The yachts will have to sail a deciding race.

Other Winners in Races at Seattle, and the Entries for Today. SEATTLE, Aug. 29.—Summary: Free-for-all trotters, three in five—Boodie won three straight heats, in 2:34 1/2, 2:34 1/2, 2:34 1/2. Caville stakes, mile heats, two in three—Olie N. won in two straight heats; time, 2:19 1/2, 2:19 1/2. Five and one-half furlongs—Doreen won, Red Spinner second, O'Day third; time, 1:28. Six furlongs—Sallie Goodwin won, Almoner second, Sailor third; time, 1:14 1/2. Five and one-half furlongs—Pettigrew won, Tourist II second, Senora Caesar third; time, 1:28 1/2. Seven furlongs—Vohler won, Gibraltar second, Call Bond third; time, 1:28 1/2. Following is the programme for tomorrow:

Six furlongs, for 3-year-olds—Platinum, Doreen, Rosebud, Resin, Call Bond, Silver Cur, Neptune, R. Five furlongs, 3-year-olds and upwards—Senora Caesar, Pat O'Day, Almondal, Idaho Chief, Tourist II, Loma, Gypsy Boy, Piasador, Mateo, Dicon, The Elk, Master Bishop, Sally Goodwin. Two and one-half furlongs, 2-year-olds—Chastota, S. B. Hurles, Wallace L., Will Wahrung, Sampson Plunkett, Oregon George, Escarala. Five furlongs, for 3-year-olds—Montezuma, Lady Curle, Phyllis, J. H. Bennett, Iraq, Will Weirna, Bifidul. One mile, handicap—Dancing Kid, Jr., Almo, Magonio, Vohler, Idaho Chief, Tim, La Borgia, Forest King, Rimrock. Seven-furlong mile, special try-race for 3-year-olds—Rimrock, Spindle, Louise, Gibraltar, M. L. Rothchild, Sally Goodwin, Tado, O'Day, Sailor.

Races at Hawthorne. CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Hawthorne summary: Five furlongs—Lady Churchill won, Naulahka second, Siege third; time, 1:03 1/2. One mile and 70 yards—The Caxton won, Tina second, Red Tip third; time, 1:47 1/2. Six furlongs—Adios won, The Picket second, Lady Jocelyn third; time, 1:15 1/2. One mile, handicap—Harry New won, Jane Holly second, Water Edge third; time, 1:09 1/2. One mile and 29 yards—Major Dixon won, Charley Moore second, Geyser third; time, 1:49 1/2. Six furlongs—Lass of Langdon won, All-year second, Della Ostrand third; time, 1:14 1/2.

Races at Butte. BUTTE, Aug. 29.—Results: Five and one-half furlongs, selling—Skip Me won, Virgil D. second, Governor John third; time, 1:09 1/2. Four and one-half furlongs, selling—Sultana won, Presentation second, Maud Sherwood third; time, 0:54 1/2. One mile, selling—Lena won, Brown Prince second, Ting A. Ling third; time, 1:15 1/2. Six furlongs, Miss Harney won, Great Mogul second, Winncock third; time, 1:16. One mile and 40 yards, selling—Frank Duffy won, Poorlands second, I. O. U. third; time, 1:09 1/2. Three furlongs, purse—Queen T. won, Populist second, Miss Madeline third; time, 0:34 1/2.

Races at Kinloch Park. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 29.—Kinloch Park results: Five furlongs, selling—Judge Pettus won, Tros second, Miss Guide third; time, 1:15 1/2. Four and one-half furlongs, selling—King's Lady won, Agnes Mack second, Wolfram third; time, 1:15 1/2. Six furlongs, selling—Lena won, Brown Prince second, Ting A. Ling third; time, 1:16. Five furlongs, selling—Lady Ordinance won, Sir Claribel, Phyllis, J. H. Bennett, Iraq, Will Weirna, Bifidul. One mile, handicap—Dancing Kid, Jr., Almo, Magonio, Vohler, Idaho Chief, Tim, La Borgia, Forest King, Rimrock. Seven-furlong mile, special try-race for 3-year-olds—Rimrock, Spindle, Louise, Gibraltar, M. L. Rothchild, Sally Goodwin, Tado, O'Day, Sailor.

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factious cause another class, influential enough, though in a hopeless minority, holding that federation with Canada is the only remedy for the ills from which the islands are undoubtedly suffering. And there, in fact, all the newspapers have been kept busy publishing letters and recommendations and protests. One paper had finally to decline to publish any letters bearing on the subject.

The truth of the matter is that intelligent people here are becoming altogether sick of the British colonial policy, a policy that has resulted in almost total destruction of the native industry of the islands. The fruit trade with the United States is the most profitable undertaking in Jamaica today. Its growth is continuous and phenomenal. It is said to be the mainstay of the island economy. No one would deny that without the United Fruit Company (an American concern), the island must long ago have given up the struggle.

The depression over the country is as acute as it is real. The Government departmental reports term with reference to it. Taxes are becoming harder to collect because of the general depression of work in consequence of the failure of the sugar industry. Within the past few months thousands upon thousands of persons have been prosecuted for nonpayment of taxes, and many have been in prison, which does not cancel the debt.

It is the opinion of a good many intelligent men that if the expensive system of government which obtains here were superseded by a system of the kind being introduced into Porto Rico, the island would not be long in recovering itself. The salary of \$35,000 (besides numerous exemptions and privileges) which the Governor is paid, is regarded as distinctly extravagant and out of all proportion to the colony's revenue. And the revenue cannot be increased. Import duties are at the highest possible point and the Government dare not raise them any higher. It is, therefore, not at all surprising to find the whole island seething with discontent, shouting for reforms—reforms which, like the Government's standing promise to eat, lead to nothing but a month or two in which to pay up their dues, or in default, take a term of imprisonment, which does not cancel the debt.

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Weather Bureau Officials Changed. HELENA, Mont., Aug. 29.—Section Director E. N. Glass, of the Weather Bureau, has been transferred to Williston, N. D., and will leave for his new station tomorrow. He is succeeded at Helena by Montrose W. Hayes, formerly section director at Havana, but more recently of Indianapolis. Mr. Hayes took charge today.

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