

LOSING STREAK IS BROKEN BY GROOM

Portland Pitcher Keeps Oakland From Getting Hit for Six Innings.

STRONG RALLY IN SEVENTH

Visitors Make Four Runs in Succession and Give Fans Scare, but Runners Are Forced, Retiring Side.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Table with columns for Club, W, L, Pct. and Stand. of the Clubs.

Pitcher Groom took his place in the box yesterday and turned the trick against the Oakland players with a 5 to 4 victory.

Portland Takes Big Lead.

Portland added another in the fourth, when Raftery walked, Hassey sacrificed and Lewis dropped Cooney's long fly.

Poor Batters Fatten Averages.

A peculiarity of the game was that most of the hitting was done by the men down low in the batting list.

Table with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

ANGELS SHUT OUT SEALS, 3-0.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—The Angels shut out San Francisco today by a score of 3 to 0.

Table with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

LOS ANGELES.

Table with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Table with columns for Player, AB, R, H, PO, A, E.

SUMMARY.

Two-ham hit—Easterly. Three-ham hit—Easterly. Home run—Ellis. Run—Off Berger.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Club, W, L, P.C.

Chicago 0-2; New York 1-1.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Both games of today's double-header with Chicago were closely contested, each team taking a game, and only four runs all told being scored.

First game—R. H. E.

Chicago... 0 4 2 New York... 1 5 1

Second game—R. H. E.

Chicago... 2 4 0 New York... 1 5 3

Detroit 1-2; Philadelphia 0-11.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Detroit and Philadelphia broke even here today in a double-header.

First game—R. H. E.

Detroit... 1 2 1 Philadelphia... 0 10 1

Second game—R. H. E.

Detroit... 2 1 1 Philadelphia... 1 17 2

Boston 3; St. Louis 1.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Boston bunched four of the six hits off Powell in the last two innings and won from St. Louis today, 3 to 1.

First game—R. H. E.

Boston... 3 6 1 St. Louis... 1 6 1

Second game—R. H. E.

Washington... 2 8 2 Cleveland... 0 0 0

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Washington shot out Cleveland today in both games of a double-header.

First game—R. H. E.

Washington... 2 8 2 Cleveland... 0 0 0

Second game—R. H. E.

Washington... 2 8 2 Cleveland... 0 0 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Club, W, L, P.C.

Pittsburg 1; Philadelphia 0.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 28.—Pittsburg advanced a few points in the national race today by taking an exciting game from Philadelphia by a score of 1 to 0.

First game—R. H. E.

Pittsburg... 1 1 1 Philadelphia... 0 0 0

Second game—R. H. E.

Pittsburg... 1 1 1 Philadelphia... 0 0 0

No Game at Vancouver; Rain.

TACOMA GAME POSTPONED.

Spokane game postponed; rain.

RUN FOR \$35,000 STAKE TODAY

Entered for Futurity.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Over the beautiful course of the Coney Island Jockey Club at Sheepshead Bay, nine high-bred 2-year-olds, the pick of the racing stock of the country, will struggle tomorrow for supremacy in the classic Futurity.

Harry Payne Whitney leads the nominators with three entries, while James R. Keene and Mr. Madden have each two.

Mr. Madden's Sir Martin and Fayette have several times taken to camp the best of the 2-year-olds in training, only, however, to be beaten decisively by Mr. Keene's Helmet at Saratoga.

Mr. Whitney will depend upon Persuasion, a son of the great English Derby winner, Perseus, as his chief color-bearer, but also will start Hillside and Bobbin.

The entries follow: Futurity, for 2-year-olds, six furlongs, estimated \$25,000—Sir Martin, 119; Helmet, 122; Bobbin, 122; Hillside, 119; Persuasion, 117; Fayette, 117; Perseus, 117; Mediant, 116; Madden entry; Keene entry; Whitney entry.

Bellingham Track Too Wet.

BELLINGHAM, Aug. 28.—Bad track, caused by 12 hours' downpour of rain last night and today, forced the abandonment of the last three days of the Bellingham race meet, and horses and horsemen are leaving the city for Everett, Wash., where the second meet of the North Pacific Circuit opens September 1.

Pastor Golf-Player Kills Himself.

CANTON, O., Aug. 28.—Rev. I. D. Milligan, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and well known in the state both as a minister and a golf player, killed himself by a charge from a shotgun today. The coroner is inclined to believe the shooting was accidental.

McCREDIE SPEAKS FOR EIGHT CLUBS

Hopes League May Be Reorganized Next Year, if Not This.

FANS ALSO WANT CHANGE

Business and Professional Men Join in Request for Admission of Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane Teams.

That a Pacific Coast baseball league including four of the big cities of the North and four of the big cities of the South will be the result of the present Portland agitation, is the prediction of Judge W. W. McCredie, vice-president of the Pacific Coast Baseball League, and president of the Portland club.

Such a termination of the present agitation may be accomplished this year, though Judge McCredie doubts that it will be effected before another year. He is thoroughly in favor of such a plan.

"It would be the best solution I can think of," he said last night. "In that way the North would contend against the South in three heats, with the same amount of interest. It would at the same time bring out all the rivalry there is between the cities of the North. In addition, it would keep the Pacific Coast League in class A."

Big Cities Are Needed.

"With the population of the Northern States alone, I doubt if that class could be maintained, and with the addition of the South, one I doubt if that class could be maintained. With the two sections combined in one league there would be a big population and it would give plenty of baseball in each section."

"I heartily favor including the Washington cities in the Pacific Coast League, Spokane especially is a hustling place and should be included. It is naturally tributary to Portland and it and other Washington cities would rather be in league with Portland than with Seattle."

"If four of the best cities in the Northwest and four in the South were to comprise the Pacific Coast League, it would be a great thing from a baseball standpoint."

Views of Portland Fans.

Business and professional men who are interested in baseball, as well as many other fans, have expressed themselves in favor of a Pacific Coast League which would include the various cities of the Pacific Northwest, as well as California cities.

The recent decision to add two California cities to the league, they contended, will only tend to create continuous baseball in the south and will fall to change conditions materially, so far as Portland is concerned. A majority of those interviewed on the subject expressed themselves as favoring the establishment of a Pacific Northwest League, which would include the various cities of the Pacific Northwest, where natural rivalry exists.

Opinion of Judge Williams.

There are others who join with Judge McCredie in advocating a league in which both cities of the north and south shall strive for supremacy. There is no antagonism or opposition to the recent action of the managers of the Pacific Coast League in admitting two other cities, but there is a general impression that the interests of Portland and the Northwest are being overlooked in the recent action. Judge George H. Williams, an enthusiastic follower of the game, said:

"In my opinion it would be better, in case of any addition to the league, to include our neighbors rather than others who are so distantly remote that little rivalry can ever be established between the various cities of the Northwest, where natural rivalry exists."

A. H. Devers, another devotee, expressed similar sentiments. Personally he would prefer to see of another league as rivals in baseball, as well as in other lines.

Wants to See Good Ball.

"I want to see just as good ball as we have been having, and even better, if possible," he said. "I like to see the various cities of the Northwest compete with each other. Seattle, at least, should compete with Portland, and in case of the establishment of a Northwest League, Spokane, Tacoma and other cities should be included."

Dr. Emmett Drake is inclined to believe that the public is losing interest in baseball simply because it has reached such a point of professionalism that there is little local rivalry between the public which sees the game and none between the players. However, he believes that a league including all the big cities on the Coast would answer the purpose.

"If the league included all the big cities of Oregon, Washington and California," he said, "a great deal more of interest might be aroused, and then it could not be said that one state was getting the best of it to the detriment of another."

"However, if there are to be two leagues, I think better results could be accomplished if the cities of Oregon and Washington played against each other, while the cities of the south had a league of their own. If they took in Sacramento and another California town they should certainly have taken in some cities up this way."

TIE FOR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Smith and McLeod Play Off Dead Heat Today.

HAMILTON, Mass., Aug. 28.—For the third time in the history of the association, and the second at the Myopia Hunt Club, the open golf championship of 72 holes resulted today in a tie, and tomorrow will see the contest between Fred McLeod, of the Middlebury Country Club, Chicago, who ended the fourth round this afternoon with 223 strokes each, play 18 holes more for the title and for the possession of the championship cup and \$500, of which \$300 will go to the winner.

The other prizewinners of the day, with their scores, were as follows: Alex Smith, Nassau, 227; Willie Anderson, Orientals, 230; John Jones, Myopia, 231; John Hobens, Englewood, 233; Peter Robertson, Oakland, 235; Jack Hutchinson, St. Andrews, 238; Peter Barrett, Toronto, 238; Richard Kimball, New Bedford, 238; Tom McNamara, Woolaston, 238.

Jost Whips Peterson.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Charles Jost knocked out Bert Peterson in 12 rounds of fast fighting today.

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HALF-MILE EXCITING RACE

CLOSE FINISHES MARK EVENTS AT MARSHFIELD.

Creighton and the Counsellor Run Even in First Heat, but Latter Finally Wins Out.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The races today in connection with the Southern Oregon District Fair furnished fine sport.

The half-mile running race for best time in three heats was the best race ever seen at a Southern Oregon District Fair. There were five starters and The Counsellor, owned by J. H. Herrow, started the race off with a dead heat, coming in neck and neck.

A mule race, with local boys mounted, was introduced as a novelty and furnished much fun. The summary of the races today follows:

Special trot, purse \$200—Wahle, bay stallion (stager), won in two straight heats; Tyler, bay stallion (Rochel), second. Time, 2:40.

Half mile running, best two in three, purse \$200—The Counsellor (Herrow) won in three straight heats; Creighton (Wilson) second. Time, 0:53, 0:51, 0:50 1/2.

Four-year-old colts, running, purse \$200—Teddy, bay stallion (Maussey), won; Headlight, bay filly (Herrow), second; Vesper, chestnut filly (Magee), third. Time, 0:52.

Quarter-mile running, purse \$100—Blue Diamond, roan gelding (Herrow), won; Flava, sorrel mare (Wilson), second; Verona, bay mare (Shoman), third. Time, 0:25 1/2.

TONY FAUST AVENGES DEFEAT

Wins From Mirzer on Muddy Track at the Meadows.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Never was the course at The Meadows muddier than today and with the usual good fortune that attended a horse getting off in front, those that went out for the pace stayed to win.

In the last, outgamed Plausible and Tony Faust shook off Mirzer's pace half way around in a three-horse affair. These were the only exceptions of the winner coming from behind. Tony Faust reversed the result of the preceding Saturday, when Mirzer won easily in almost the same kind of going and the public received an awful bumping when they beat Mirzer into favoritism today. Results:

Six furlongs—Laura Clay won. Excitement second, Coleman third; time 1:15.

Four and a half furlongs—Horace H. won. Medding Hannah second, Micaela third; time 1:44 1/2.

Mile and 30 yards—Tony Faust won. Mirzer second, Miss Maxton third; time 1:45.

Mile and a quarter—Capt. Burnett won. Stoney Lee second, Rubbin third; time 2:06 1/2.

Two and a half furlongs—Old Settler won. Plausible second, Briberi third; time 1:08 3/8.

SMALL CROWD AT READVILLE

Only 4000 See Stake Races at Harness Meet.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—With only a stake programme as the attraction, the late closing event having been declared off on account of the storm of Wednesday.

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and Thursday, only about 4000 persons attended the Readville Grand Circuit meeting today to see the Futurity for 2-year-old trotters, the Blue Hill for 2:30 trotters and the Norfolk for 2:30 pacers decided. Summary:

American Horsebreeders' Futurity, foals of 1907, trot, purse \$7000, of which \$2000 goes to the winner—Leading Lady won two straight heats and the race in 2:15 1/2, 2:12 1/2; Elvool, Sadie Worley, Oro Lambert, Salem, Little Sweetheart and Silver Baron also started.

The Blue Hill, 2:30-class trot, purse \$4500 in 2:30 1/2, 2:19 1/2, 2:11; Zomalia, Bonnie Way and Vandetta also started.

The Norfolk, 2:30-class pace, purse \$3000 (three heats)—Major Brino won first and third heats in 2:04 1/2, 2:03 1/2; Gopa de Oro won second heat in 2:04 1/2; Jerry B. Bonanza and Hall R. also started.

Results at Empire City.

EMPIRE CITY, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Results: Six furlongs—Ethereal won. Fashion Plate second, Personal third; time, 1:15 3/8.

Six furlongs—Dainty Dame won. Gold Proof second, Almo third; time, 1:12 1/2.

Five and one-half furlongs—Dick Roller won. Erbet second, Gifting Belle third; time, 1:40.

Mile—Golconda won. Queen Marguerite second, Milford third; time, 1:54 1/2.

Mile and sixteenths—Toddington won. Okesite second; time, 1:54 2/5. (Two starters.)

Results at Butte.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 28.—Today's results: Five furlongs—Red Era won. Poppy second, Bill Bagwell third; time 1:02 1/4.

Four furlongs—Ray Egan won. Susie Greig second, The Mouser third; time 1:07 1/2.

Five and half furlongs—Lena Leach won.

the championship for another year, the showing made by the Boston man today caused the experts to feel much in doubt tonight as to the probable outcome of tomorrow's contest.

AMERICAN DORY IS WINNER

Captures International Prize in Races at Amsterdam.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 28.—George Gardner Fry's dory, Taulog, was again a winner in the races held here today, being victorious in the 2 1/2-mile and the 1 1/2-mile events. In the first she covered the distance in 26 minutes 50 seconds and got over the shorter course in 14 minutes 20 seconds.

Mr. Fry, racing against the heat Dutch dories, has won the international prize. The wind during the contests has been very heavy.

Game at Oregon City Sunday.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The Canby ball team will meet the Oregon City Grays next Sunday at Canby. The game here last Sunday was won by the Grays, with a score of 11 to 2. The line-up for next Sunday's game will be as follows:

Table with columns for Position, Player, Catcher, Grays, Sater, Doubt, Knight, Wang, Long, Parfich, Foster, Knight, W. Barty, Trobe, C. Barty

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