

SLOW GAME GIVES OAKLAND VICTORY

Commuters Take Five From Harkness in First, and Hold Lead to End.

SEATON MAKES HIS DEBUT

New Pitcher Does Well for Beavers, Holding Oaks Down to But Single Run, and Scores Only Portland Run.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.									
Yesterday's Results.									
Oakland 4, Portland 1.									
Sacramento 7, San Francisco 5.									
Los Angeles 12, Vernon 4.									
Standing of the Clubs.									
CLUBS.	A.	R.	H.	P.	O.	E.	Per cent.	Games	Lost
Sacramento	10	13	10	10	10	10	.750	20	1
Los Angeles	10	13	10	10	10	10	.666	20	3
Oakland	10	13	10	10	10	10	.444	20	6
San Francisco	10	13	10	10	10	10	.333	20	13
Portland	10	13	10	10	10	10	.250	20	15
Vernon	10	13	10	10	10	10	.000	20	20
Lost	2	3	4	5	6	6	20		

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—(Special.)—Oakland beat the Beavers today, 4 to 1. It was a slow game, because the players made it so, and uninteresting because the Oaks took a lead of five runs off Pitcher Harkness in the first inning, a lead that was altogether too much to overcome. Harkness was responsible for his own downfall. He gave away four hits, one of which was a double, passed one man and made two wild throws to first base. McCredie substituted Seaton, who made a creditable debut.

Ryan, who reached first on a walk in the opening inning, allowed himself to be caught napping in the most bone-headed fashion, and the next two visitors were easy outs. In the second inning the Commuters did their worst. Murphy walked and stole second. Truesdale laid down a bunt that he beat out, and Murphy scored because Harkness tossed the ball over Kennedy's head at first. McCay sacrificed Truesdale along, and Cameron scored the second baseman with a Texas leaguer.

Breyette tried for a sacrifice that was again thrown wild by Harkness, and Cameron scored the third run. Duffey Lewis' drive to the right field fence put Breyette across the pan, and with Carroll out, Mickey La Longe hit one to the score board for two bases that tallied Lewis.

Seaton scored the only Portland run. It was in the third inning, when he singled to right, stole second, was advanced on Ort's long sacrifice fly to left field.

In the same inning a two-base drive by Duffey Lewis scored Breyette, who was on first, and that was the end of the active work.

The score:

PORTLAND.									
AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	E.				
Ryan, cf	5	0	1	2	0				
Clsen, ss	4	0	0	2	0				
Ort, 1b	4	0	0	2	0				
McCredie, 2b	4	0	0	2	0				
Johnson, 3b	4	0	0	2	0				
Breyette, 4b	4	0	0	2	0				
Green, 5b	4	0	0	2	0				
Armbruster, 6b	4	0	0	2	0				
Harkness, p	4	0	0	2	0				
Seaton, p	1	1	1	4	0				
Totals	30	1	6	24	12				

OAKLAND.									
AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	E.				
Murphy, cf	4	1	1	1	0				
Truesdale, 2b	4	1	1	1	0				
McCay, 3b	4	1	1	1	0				
Cameron, 1b	4	1	1	1	0				
Breyette, 4b	4	1	1	1	0				
Lewis, 5b	4	1	1	1	0				
Carroll, 6b	4	1	1	1	0				
Harkness, p	4	0	0	1	0				
Boles, p	4	0	0	1	0				
Totals	38	8	8	27	12				

tailed the first team Oregon ever had away back in the '70s. Kelly has a great weakness for left-handed first basemen.

Curtis Coleman and Dad Clark will hold down the positions of second base and shortstop. Both were members of last year's team. Clark has been given the shortstop place. Third base has been assigned to Mackenzie, captain of last year's second team.

The pitching staff, as it now stands, contains the two veteran southpaw pitchers, Captain Hurd and Henkle, a Portland boy, and the two right-handers, Van Marter and Nelson. Hurd and Henkle, both members of last spring's team, are hard to beat as ball twisters. The new men, Nelson, a junior and former second-team pitcher, and Van Marter, a Lebanon freshman, are both showing good form.

Hayes and Gabrielson are the two probables as utility men. Hayes is a Portland boy and an old H. M. A. pitcher. He was sub on the varsity nine last season. Gabrielson has played star ball for the Salem High School team.

"Father Tom's" plan is to play one of the pitchers in the outfield, and other two outfield positions are filled

WINNER OF MILE RUN LAST SATURDAY.



Harry Risdon. Harry Risdon is a clever young Seattle footracer who has made a great showing as a distance runner. He is a student at the University of Washington, and has not been defeated in an event in which he has participated.

now by Sullivan, an Oregon City lad, and McKinley, a Portland freshman. McKinley is another of the Lincoln High School players, making good in baseball at Oregon.

The coach does not name these men as permanent fixtures on the team, but selects them as the most likely ones for trial in the first games. The first game will be played with the Eugene team this afternoon.

KLING WORTH THREE PLAYERS

Chance of Chicago Nationals, Would Trade Him for Trio.

CHICAGO, April 7.—John Kling, generally admitted to be the greatest baseball catcher in the business, has been offered in trade for three Cincinnati players, Spade, McLean, and Huggins, by manager Chance of the Chicago National League team, according to a dispatch today from Terre Haute, Ind., to the Daily News. Kling signed a three-year contract with the Chicago club last year, but is known to be dissatisfied. It is said he has a chance to open a pool and billiard hall in Cincinnati, and for this reason will be particularly gratified by the rumored change.

Manager Murphy, of the champions, declared today that before Kling could return to the local fold he must reimburse the club in the sum of \$1000, which was expended in securing Catcher Needham from St. Paul on the assumption that Kling would not return.

CINCINNATI, April 7.—"There is no such deal on foot," said President Hermann today. "Why, they will soon have to trade one man for our whole club."

As to Kling's desire to start a billiard parlor in Cincinnati, that story was dropped a year ago.

It is reiterated, however, that Kling had an opportunity to start a billiard hall here, with the backing of Hermann, but the President Murphy, of the Chicago Club, objected, and that Hermann then withdrew his support.

Kling has not, it is said, felt kindly towards Murphy since then.

ROLLER INJURED HIS LEG

Forced to Postpone Match With Jess Westergaard.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 7.—(Special.)—Dr. R. F. Roller injured his leg so severely in his match with John Berg, in Portland, a few nights ago, that he has been forced to postpone his match with Jess Westergaard in Des Moines, which was scheduled for April 9. He wants to be in top form when he tackles Westergaard, for he knows the big Scandinavian is a tough proposition.

Roller came back to Seattle from Portland to rest up a few days and intends starting East tomorrow. He wants to see the Gotch-Mahmout match in Chicago April 14, so he will have no time to tarry along the way.

Auto Club Holds Annual Meeting.

The Portland Automobile Club held its annual meeting last night, at which the following directors were chosen: Robert D. Inman, Henry Wemmer, Will F. Lipman, J. B. Kelly, C. B. Brown, Louis Therkelsen, Jr., W. J. Van Schuyver, M. W. Dickinson and Dr. A. E. Mackay. These directors will meet next week and elect the officers of the club. The reports of the officers and committee show the finances of the club to be in splendid condition and the prospects for another successful year are very bright.

COLTS WIN, 18 TO 6

Casey's Team Too Fast for Medford Locals.

KINSELLA MAKES DEBUT

Slugging Ball and Pingpong Hold High Carnival Throughout Game. Guyn, Another Pitcher, Reports to Casey for Duty.

MEDFORD, Or., April 7.—(Special.)—Once again Casey's Colts romped home in front of Medford, this time to the tune of 18 to 6.

It was a game in which slugging the ball and ping-pong held high carnival. With Ed Kinsella unlimbering for the first time this season, Medford was a mighty lonesome aggregation of baseballists. The locals did manage to scratch in four hits off him in as many innings, but they weren't even near the scoring stage.

In the fifth and sixth, with Rex Ames on the mound, the locals got busy and clustered their singles. They touched the baby twirler up for four singles and a double, good for three runs. In the sixth canto four singles, right in a row, chased in three more runs.

T. Osburn, another of Casey's released colony, worked for Medford, and Beaumont and St. John alternated behind the bat and at first base. Osburn held him together until Casey's Colts opened up their batteries on him in the third round.

Troeh opened the swiftest with a single and Kinsella fouled out. Casey slammed out a double, scoring Troeh, and Riskey, who took Cooney's place at short, because the little New Yorker is under the weather, was hit. Bassey singled and so did Mullen. While Riskey was scoring Mullen was being put out, yet he has a fairly good head on his shoulders and he can be taught easily. Troeh is the same kind of material. He level head on his shoulders and the level head on his shoulders. Behind the bat Troeh is plenty cool, but he is a little flighty when on the bases, and he hasn't been taught the art of running bases to the best advantage.

Some friends of Bassey sent him two packages of Limburger cheese the other day. Clerk Wood, at the Nash Hotel, where the players are staying, did not know what the package contained and placed it behind the desk. It was not long before the cheese started things up, and they came near scaring the hotel down looking for the dead rat. The City Marshal escorted Bassey and his Limburger to the outskirts of the city.

Chief Pinnacle is thinking seriously of becoming a long-distance runner. If he fails to make good this summer he says he is going to train for Marathon races. He has already run 14 miles.

Withington, Colvig and Kelly, three members of the local bar, never miss a ball game. All legal business is suspended when there's a ball game on. Briefs, conveyances and all other legal questions are passed up, and the three lawyers talk nothing but bingles, boots and curves.

Court Hall lost 20 pounds of flesh during the cold snap here. Court had boasted Medford's climate, and he was worried for fear Casey would think him some fibber.

It looks as if the name Casey's Colts would stick. The name seems to appeal to Judge McCredie, and you know he is the court of last resort.

Marathon for Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 7.—James J. Callahan, representing the local syndicate, which has a \$10,000 option on the service of the six Marathon runners who competed in New York last Saturday, has wired an offer of a \$5000 purse for the appearance of the Northwesters League circuit know that they would be playing in July around Seattle until July rolls around; so they are, if anything, better satisfied because it hasn't been too warm down here.

Only the toughest kind of luck and a big blow-up in his pitching department can keep Manager Casey's team from being a most important figure in the race for the Lucas rag this Summer. The team that he has rounded himself with is as well rounded as that playing under Manager McCredie, and if the pitchers turn out as it is hoped they will, Casey will, in my opinion, be more strongly fortified with curve-mixers than the other team. Portland fans know what big Ed Kinsella can do, and I look for him to be better this season than ever before. The big fellow has his eyes fixed on the big bucks, and he's going up sure. Pinnacle looks like he'll be better this season than he did last. He has taken on some weight and has filled out a lot. He has been careful of his arm since he left the team last year. Chinault is as strong as ever. Chinault is a whale in size and has the speed of a rabbit. If he can keep his control department working, he will be a wonder up through the Northwest bushes. Carnes is another husky whose only weakness is lack of control. Both Carnes and Chinault are putting in hard stunts daily, working for their control and speed, and neither of them have attempted to pitch a curve ball. Ames is the only sprout on the team. The youngster will need some coaching before he is fully Welsenheimer to the game, but Casey thinks the lad is worth fooling with. Guyn is yet to report. He must be some twirler, for Walter McCredie is getting ready to hook him and give Casey either Willett or Seaton for him. Casey hasn't spoken yet, and won't until he sees Guyn in action. Pender will be carried because he is a southpaw.

The three Jacks will make up the outfield. It will be three daisies to draw to these three Jacks. There will be Jack Bassey, Jack Garibaldi and Jack Swanton. All of the Jacks are good hitters, all are just a trifle above the average with the bat, and every one of them is speedy on the bases. A glance over the other outfielders in the league doesn't show them to have anything on Casey's men.

It will be some time before Casey's infield will be a smooth-working bit of machinery, but every day it gets into action there is evidence of a decided improvement in the work. Now that Mullen's muscles are getting thrustered up, he is moving around faster and covering more ground around first. Eaton also is showing better form, and if Cooney isn't by long odds the best shortstop in the Lucas colony, then I'll be greatly mistaken. "No foolness this Summer" is the way Phil puts it, and he is going at his work as if he meant what he says.

In Fourstar and Troeh Casey will



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have a couple of hardworking and clever-throwing catchers. They may not have this important department of the game learned from soup to nuts, but they are learning every day. Pourrier has shown a world of improvement since he joined McCredie's team and had a couple of weeks with Arm-brook. Pourrier is only 19 years old, yet he has a fairly good head on his shoulders and he can be taught easily. Troeh is the same kind of material. He level head on his shoulders and the level head on his shoulders. Behind the bat Troeh is plenty cool, but he is a little flighty when on the bases, and he hasn't been taught the art of running bases to the best advantage.

COLTS TO BREAK CAMP

CASEY'S LADS LEAVE FOR PORTLAND MONDAY.

Team Sizes Up Like Winner and Is Especially Strong in Pitchers.

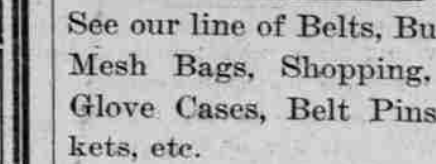
Gossip From Mac Rae.

BY WILL G. MAC RAE.

MEDFORD, Or., April 7.—(Special.)—Manager Casey will break his training next Monday afternoon and will journey to Portland with Manager McCredie, who will be on his way home to open the Pacific Coast League season. While we haven't had the best of Medford in many ways, yet, the ideal training ground and the fans here from Court Hall to the end of the list are the best fellows in the world. These fans have fussed more over the weather than the players themselves, for those of them who have played over the Northwesters League circuit know that they would be playing in July around Seattle until July rolls around; so they are, if anything, better satisfied because it hasn't been too warm down here.

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BIG MATCH ON TONIGHT

TREMBLAY AND O'CONNELL TO MEET ON EVEN TERMS.

Canadian Believes He Will Win, but Expects One of His Hardest Tests of His Career.

Eugene Tremblay, the Canadian light-weight wrestling champion, who is to meet Eddie O'Connell at the Exposition rink tonight, arrived in Portland yesterday morning. Tremblay is accompanied by his manager, George Kennedy, of Buffalo, N. Y., one of the most successful wrestling promoters in America, and a man who has charge of a string of champions and near champions of all weights. In addition to Tremblay, Kennedy manages the destinies of Yousouff Mahmout, the big Turk who wrestles Frank Gotch on April 14 at Chicago; Hjalmar Lundin, who recently met Dr. R. F. Roller at Seattle, and Raoul de Rouen, the big Frenchman, as well as several other lesser lights.

Kennedy has been more than successful in the wrestling game, for he has had

the faculty of picking up good men and matching them with grapplers in their class. In Tremblay, Kennedy says he has the prize of all, for the lightweight is a drawing card wherever he goes, and the fact that he has maintained superiority for over two years adds to the interest in his work. Tremblay is a quiet young fellow, who makes no boasts and does not assert that he is going to beat O'Connell double. He merely says that he thinks he can beat the Multnomah instructor, and adds that he will at least do his best, and that he will weigh about the same as will O'Connell tonight.

Speaking of wrestling and of the prospects both of tonight's match and wrestling in general, Kennedy said last night: "I have heard a great deal about Tremblay, and have known of Eddie O'Connell for something like four years, but have never seen him until tonight. I have met him, but somehow or other we could never meet and perfect arrangements for a date. O'Connell is the only good Eastern grappler whom Tremblay has not yet met and defeated, and I hope to see him accomplish this tomorrow night. However, we are not counting our chickens before they are hatched, and Gene may have his work cut for him when he gets O'Connell on the mat."

"I look for a great match, and from what I learn of Portland and its wrestling fans, I believe all will be thoroughly satisfied with the bout. This wrestling game has become very popular all over the country, and whenever good men like O'Connell and others, who have appeared here, give the fans a run for their money, the game prospers immensely. It is now a hard matter for the fakery to get on any place, because the people are too wise to patronize men who discredited the game in years gone by."

"Today, there are many first-class wrestlers who are making good money. Tremblay is a mighty drawing card, and I was very sorry to see him go back to France. While he did not win any of my many matches, his powerful physique and extraordinary strength brought him popularity. I will return to Chicago immediately in order to be on hand when Mahmout meets Gotch. This match will be one of the best ever seen, for the people are too wise to patronize men who discredited the game in years gone by. O'Connell has brought himself down to 125 pounds without weakening in the least, and says that he feels in better shape for his bout with Tremblay than he has for some time. He expects Tremblay to weigh about 142, and will be on even terms with the Canadian if that is the case."

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