

# BEAVERS WIN IN PITCHERS' BATTLE

## Graney's Duel With Baum Ends in Victory for the Local Twirler.

### ELEVEN INNINGS; SCORE 1-0

#### Shinn's Work for Portland, in Making Bad Throw, Followed by Armbruster's Hit, Brings Kennedy Safely Home.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results

Portland 1, Sacramento 0.  
Los Angeles 5, San Francisco 1.  
Vernon 4, Oakland 4.

Standing of the Clubs

CLUBS	W	L	P	Pct.
Portland	9	7	1	.562
Los Angeles	8	7	1	.538
Sacramento	8	8	0	.500
San Francisco	5	10	1	.333
Vernon	4	10	1	.286
Oakland	4	10	1	.286
Last	0	0	0	.000

BY W. J. PETRAIN.

Portland won another eleven-inning game from Sacramento yesterday, a pitchers' battle between John Gladstone Graney, McCreddie's star southpaw, and Charley Baum, better known as "Spider," who was a member of the famous pennant-winning Los Angeles team of several seasons ago, but who is now drawing salary from Coarley Graham and Sacramento.

The day was cold and dismal, but throughout the regulation nine innings and two extra, the fans, and there was a goodly crowd present, were engaged to work up plenty of enthusiasm that offset the frigid atmosphere. Jimmy Shinn, the much-maligned player, who is now holding down shortstop for Sacramento, contributed greatly to Portland's chances of winning, for the only run scored in the game was by a home run scored in the final chapter. That was followed by a healthy sweat to left by Catcher Armbruster, who eluded the grapping mitts of Indian House and rolled to the fence, permitting Portland's first baseman to trot home all alone for the only tally of the season credited to Portland.

The pitching of both Graney and Baum, and the battling of Walter McCreddie were spectacular features, but the fielding stunts of Olson, Johnson, Kennedy, Ryan, Raymer and Jansing offered opportunities aplenty for the rooting of the fans.

Charley Graham, the brainy leader of the Sacramento team, was behind the bat himself, and his working partner, Baum, and his frequent conferences with Baum plainly indicated he has not forgotten the tricks of the trade, and it might be mentioned that Baum is unable to deliver the goods when Portlanders were on the paths. That is, he was until the eleventh inning, for he failed completely in his effort to pounce on a healthy away broke up one of the prelate game ever pitched in the league.

Walter McCreddie had his batting eye normally developed for the tall manager, but in as many trips to the plate, but on his fifth essay he sent a screaming liner to center that struck the catcher, the center of Charley Doyle, and Mac lost one more benefit on that account. Armbruster and Olson figure in the next column twice each, and the former last hit as the coach that counted against the visitors, while his first tap was an infield chance that he best to make.

Shinn makes Wild Throw.

Breen opened the eleventh with a fly to House. Kennedy smashed the first ball at Shinn. The lithe shortstop fumbled momentarily and then pitched wildly to Gandall, the ball sailing to the right field bleachers, and Kennedy romped to second on the error. Shinn then sent a screamer over Shinn's head, that House failed to stop. The ball rolled to the fence, and the players did not feel called upon to chase the ball, as the runner was racing over the plate with the run that would up the game.

The contest became a pitchers' battle from the beginning, as the two hurlers Graney walked Jansing, but Gandall's best effort was a fly to McCreddie. Ryan and Jansing fanned as the first two batters for Portland in the second inning to Shinn. Graney closed the second inning by fanning Raymer and Adams. Portland filled the paths in his first two-sacker, and Johnson was safe when he hunted to Baum, who threw to third to catch McCreddie, but the wily manager had remained at second, and two were on. Breen fled to House, and Kennedy walked. McCreddie at third, but Armbruster walked and the paths were loaded with players in white suits. Graney was unable to do better than to hit to Raymer, and the excitement was over.

Portland again filled the bases in the seventh. Kennedy was out at first, but Armbruster beat out his infield tap. Graney flew to Doyle and Ryan walked. Olson beat out Shinn's third and fourth grounder, filling the sacks, but Ort could not negotiate the pinch, his effort consisting of a pop fly to Jansing.

Sacramento Grows Threatening.

Sacramento opened the first of the eleven-inning chapter in the most dramatic fashion. Shinn was safe on Johnson's error, and went to second when Charley Doyle was hit by a pitched ball. Jansing hit to Graney, who promptly hurled to Johnson, retiring Shinn on a forced play. Gandall lifted a high fly to Breen and the danger was over.

Both teams fought hard for every advantage, but good pitching, combined with splendid fielding, held the contestants runnerless for ten innings and a half. The umpire McCarthy gave satisfaction; in fact, he was eminently fair and impartial in all of his decisions. Thus far the knight of the indicator has been the usual remark more strenuous than the usual arguments about balls and strikes. The

# TIMES OF HIS JOB

## Ewing Says He Would Like to Step Down.

### DEFENDS SHINN TRANSFER

#### Pacific Coast League President Says McCreddie Gave Consent to Sacramento Having Portland Player for One Year.

### LOS ANGELES TAKES ELEVEN

#### But Wins Over Seals in Last Cantos on Double Steal.

### Oakland Loses First Game.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

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