

RANK DECISION IS CAUSE OF DEFEAT

Carruthers Presents Second Game to Tacoma After Colts Annex First.

OPENING SCORE, 12 TO 5

Poor Exhibition Is Followed by Fast Contest in Which Broad-bent Is Called Safe at Plate, Though Caught Out.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.									
Yesterday's Results.									
Portland 12-5, Tacoma 5-3.									
Seattle 2-3, Vancouver 0-6.									
Spokane 9, Aberdeen 5.									
Standing of the Clubs.									
CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.	CT.	P.	CT.	P.	CT.	P.
Seattle	14	10	12	18	53	424			
Spokane	14	10	12	18	53	424			
Portland	14	10	12	18	53	424			
Vancouver	14	10	12	18	53	424			
Tacoma	14	10	12	18	53	424			
Aberdeen	14	10	12	18	53	424			
Lost	47	35	63	97	70	1416			

BY W. J. PETRAIN.

That Portland did not win both games of yesterday's double dose of baseball was due to a decision by Umpire Carruthers which would be credited to a porch-climber, for he called Broad-bent safe in scoring from second on Newlin's hit in the fourth when to all it appeared as though Armbruster blocked the runner cleanly. This forced decision gave Tacoma the second game, for Portland only scored twice on 12 hits, while the Tigers registered three runs. The home team slaughtered three visiting pitchers in the first game, winning by a score of 12 to 5.

The second game was a fine exhibition all the way, for Portland in the ball game enough to keep the big crowd guessing. In fact, it was as good as the first game was bad.

In the opening game like Butler started to pitch, but he had bad luck and was unfortunate in finding his support very much on the order of a slave, so, with three runs against him, he sent Johnny Hopkins in to bat in Tacoma's half of the second, and the next inning defeated Southpaw Annie to the mound. Tacoma got to Pinnace in the second and tied up the score, but the chief settled down after that and Tacoma was rather tame.

Annie fared but little better than Butler, and after Portland had scored six runs off him in not quite two innings, Win French went in to pitch. French managed to close the home guard out in the third, but in the fourth he was handled rather roughly and Portland's total was swelled to an even score. During the next four innings Win was on the job every minute, but they had enough runs and did not try very hard.

In the second game Irving Gough faced the Tigers. In the first inning he had bunches of trouble and when the fire works cleared away Tacoma had a lead of two runs. Gough was forced over when Gough hit Kellackey with the bases full. The second was due to a passed ball by Armbruster, who failed to catch Gough, while Gough's purpose was to break up the hit-and-run signal which had been passed by Manager Butler.

Then in the fourth inning the visitors were donated the deciding run by Carruthers, who is far from being the official he was earlier in the season. With the out Broad-bent beat out an infield tap because Gough loafed on the play, and this was followed by an error by Adams which put Downs on first and advanced Broad-bent to second. Dashwood fanned and Newlin singled sharply to center. Crocker taking the ball on the bound and throwing accurately to the plate. Carruthers waited Broad-bent's throw and this decision eventually cost the game.

Commencing this afternoon the Spokane Indians will open a series of at least one game, though there is a possibility that it may be played, as a double-header is talked of for ladies' day, Friday. The Northwestern League has the prize beauty for long-winded series, and Casey's Colts will have to keep on their toes to get better than an even break with the Spokane tribe.

The official scores of yesterday's games are as follows:

First game—									
TACOMA.									
Coleman, 2b.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E			
Stevens, 1b.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Hurley, cf.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Kellackey, 3b.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Ripert, of.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Broad-bent, 2b.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Downie, 2b.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Conrad, of.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Hopkins, 1b.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Armbruster, c.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
French, p.	3	0	1	1	0	0			
Totals	37	0	9	24	10	7			
*Batted for Butler in second.									
PORTLAND.									
Adams, 2b.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E			
Casey, 2b.	5	2	1	1	0	0			
Mullin, 1b.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Stevens, 1b.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Crocker, cf.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Fournier, 2b.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Gough, 1b.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Armbruster, c.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
French, p.	3	0	1	1	0	0			
Totals	37	12	18	27	13	2			

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Tacoma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Runs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Errors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Second game—

TACOMA.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Coleman, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Stevens, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Hurler, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
McDonald, 1b	3	0	0	9	3	0
Robert, cf	4	0	1	5	0	0
Broadbent, ss	4	0	0	5	0	0
Pinnace, p	4	0	0	6	8	0

Second game—

Tacoma	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Runs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Errors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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EVEN BREAK DOWN LOS ANGELES WAY

Morning Game Goes to Beavers by Glorious Score of 8-1, Afternoon Lost, 4-0.

LIVELY HITTING IS DONE

Hatch Touched Up for 15 in First Contest, While Carson Is Land-on 10 Times—Conney Makes Three-Bagger.

SEATTLE TAKES TWO GAMES

Vancouver Goes Down to Inglorious Defeat 2-0, 8-6.

SEATTLE.									
Adams, 2b.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E			
Casey, 2b.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Mullin, 1b.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Stevens, 1b.	5	0	1	1	0	0			
Crocker, cf.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
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Armbruster, c.	4	0	1	1	0	0			
French, p.	3	0	1	1	0	0			
Totals	37	0	9	24	10	7			

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Winnipeg	Bennett	2	0	0	1	1	0
Minnesota	Ericksen	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		3	0	0	1	24	1

Struck out—By Bennett 1, Ericksen 3.
Bases on balls—Off Bennett 1, Ericksen 5.
Two-base hits—Bennett, Riordan, base—Caplan.
Struck out—By Hall 2, by Ericksen 5.
Bases on balls—Off Bennett 1, Ericksen 5.
Two-base hits—Ball—Raymond (by Ericksen).
Double play—Sugden and Scharrick.
Umpire—Wheeler, Earnest and Brennan.

Second game.

SEATTLE.									
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E	LOB		
Winnipeg	9	4	1	3	0	0	1	B	1
Minnesota	9	4	1	3	3	3	1	B	1
Winnipeg	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	B	1
Minnesota	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	B	1
Winnipeg	5	0	1	2	2	0	0	B	1
Minnesota	5	0	1	2	2	0	0	B	1
Winnipeg	3	1	1	1	1	0	3	B	1
Minnesota	3	1	1	1	1	0	3	B	1
Winnipeg	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	B	1
Minnesota	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	B	1

Second game—

VANCOUVER.						
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Portland 8-6, Los Angeles 1-4.

Vernon 2-1, San Francisco 1-3.

Oakland 3, Sacramento 2.

San Francisco 1, Los Angeles 0.

Los Angeles 1, Portland 0.

Portland 1, San Francisco 0.

San Francisco 1, Oakland 0.

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