

PORTLAND PLAYS SOX IN RUN GAME

Comiskey's and McCredie's Men Fail to Score in Nine-Inning Contest.

CASEY AGAIN BRIGHT STAR

In Four Chances Captain Is Able to Land Three Hits on Spokane's Farmer Pitcher, Vic Holm. Chicago Clearly Outclassed.

BY W. J. PETRAIN.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., March 15.—(Special.)—McCredie's hopefuls seemed to come out of their trance of the day before and played glib-edged ball against the hired men of Comiskey, though neither team was able to score in nine innings.

Portland out-hit and outplayed the Sox, but was unable to get a man past third base, though on two occasions they had runs knocking at the door, with good batsmen up. McCredie failed once and Buddy Ryan fell down on the other occasion. Some sensational outfield work by Barrows, of the Sox, also served to hold down the score.

Vic Holm, formerly with the Spokane Northwestern League Club, started to pitch for Chicago and was lucky in having good support, for line fielding is all that prevented Portland from scoring in the first and fourth innings. Freddie Parent in center field also pulled down some line hits and long flies, which robbed the Portland players of singles, as well as possible runs.

Steen and Krapp Pitch Fine Ball.

McCredie brought only enough men to play the game and pitchers William Steen and Eugene Krapp pitched splendid ball and had no difficulty in shutting out the Sox. Steen allowed three hits in five innings and Krapp was found for one in the last four innings.

Portland's best chance to score was in the fifth inning. Armbruster led off with a clean hit to left and stole second immediately. Steen fanned and Charley Mullin appeared Casey's drive and came near doubling Armbruster at second. Holm lost control and walked both Perrine and Ryan, but Manager McCredie was not equal to the occasion, for Lee Tannehill tossed his grounder to first base yards ahead of the tall manager.

George Ort opened the fourth inning with a two-base smash to the left field wall, and only fast fielding by Barrows prevented it being good for three bases. Joseph Smith followed with a drive which looked like a homer, for the ball seemed ticketed for the center field pasture, which is a thousand or more feet long, but Parent made one of the prettiest running catches ever seen in a ball game and another Port and chance went glimmering.

Casey Again Bright Star.

Casey again carried off the batting honors for the day. He rapped out three clean hits, while Barrows, the Sox batting demon, only annexed two. "Doc" White pitched well and whiffed for the White Sox and Casey was the only Portlander to get on the sacks and he landed there by virtue of his third hit of the game.

Jess Harrington and Charley Barenstcher, both of Portland, came down from Paso Telesio and did well during the day and were numbered among the rooters for McCredie and the Portland team. The attendance here was about half that at Santa Maria yesterday.

The Portland team leaves Santa Maria tomorrow for San Jose, where a series of four games will be played with the State League Club commencing Thursday. McCredie has received an offer from Chicago to play in the use of Southport Schmitz during the coming season, and Mac may take an option on the player until a certain date. He wants to try out all his present staff before engaging new pitchers.

How the Teams Played Ball.

CHICAGO.

AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Barrows, If	4	0	7	0	0
Hahn, If	0	0	1	3	0
Mullin, 2b	0	1	1	3	0
Gill, 1b	0	1	1	3	0
Parent, cf	4	0	4	0	0
Shaw, 3b	0	0	1	1	0
Tannehill, ss	4	0	1	1	0
R. Ryan, c	3	0	4	0	0
Holm, p	2	0	2	0	0
White, 2b	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	27	9	0

PORTLAND.

AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Casey, 2b	4	3	2	3	1
Ryan, cf	3	0	2	3	1
McCredie, rf	4	0	1	1	0
Ort, If	4	0	1	1	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	1	0
Armbruster, c	3	0	2	0	0
Steen, p	2	0	1	1	0
Krapp, p	4	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	27	12	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Inning	Chicago	Portland
1	0	0
2	0	0
3	0	0
4	0	0
5	0	0
6	0	0
7	0	0
8	0	0
9	0	0
Total	0	0

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Golden bases—Armbruster. Perrine. Sacrifice hits—Perrine. Mullin. Double plays—McCredie to Perrine. Strike out—By Holm 2. By White 2. By Steen 2. By Krapp 1. Bases on balls—Off Holm 4. Off Steen 1. Off Krapp 1. Time—1:35. Attendance, 1000. Time, 1:35.

TEAM IS READY FOR WORK

McCredie Will Have Difficulty in Weeding Out Excess Players.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., March 15.—(Special.)—McCredie's Pacific Coast Leagueers are now on the road for a series of preliminary games which will serve to get the players into first-class form to open the season against San Francisco March 20.

Four games are to be played with San Jose, one each at Modesto and Macondo, and then four more games at Fresno with the California State League Club, of that city. This will fill all the dates up to March 28, when the team reaches San Francisco, and on that day Manager McCredie has arranged to play the Olympic Club team in an exhibition game.

With the exception of Olson, who has just reported, and Spens, who arrived Saturday, all of the players left Santa Maria in great shape to begin the season. Even Netzel, who was injured in Saturday's game between the Irish and the Dutch, was handled so carefully and cleverly by "Doc" Casey that he was lame for only one day after the accident, and got into the game against the White Sox in a gingery fashion.

Manager McCredie has become so smitten with the sensational fielding of Joe Smith that he may not turn him back to the Emerald Club of the Western Association after all. Mac bought Smith optional on the player's making good, and the clever

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had from Blaine, Wash., possesses only one weakness, and that is in batting. As a fielding third baseman he has no equal on the Coast, and all of the Portland players would regret to see him leave the club, as he is one of the most popular members. McCredie thinks Smith might pick up in batting, and intends to hold him for awhile anyway.

Netzel is too fast to play third base. At least that is the verdict McCredie passed on him after seeing him workout several days, and the tall manager announces that Ivan Olson will be the regular third sacker of the club, while Netzel will play outfield, and utility roles, which means that McCredie may dispose of George Ort. Ort is a favorite not only with the manager but also with the Portland fans, and this may be a wrong guess, but with players like Rappo, Casey, Perrine, Olson and Netzel on hand, it appears ridiculous to believe that McCredie will carry six infielders, especially when he has a pitcher like Gray who can fill in anywhere. Then there is Billy Steen, another pitcher who can hold down infield positions, and Charley Hartman, who is really a better first baseman and outfielder than a good many players who have got away with their work in the Pacific Coast League in the last few years.

The work of Catchers Armbruster and Murray will make it difficult for Manager McCredie to decide on whether or whom he will retain as second catcher to Gus Fisher, who will undoubtedly be the first

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15 days of the passage of a franchise ordinance.

Section 11 of the state laws of 1907 provides that such petitions shall be filed within 30 days of the passage of the ordinance. The Supreme Court holds that in cases of this kind the state law and not the city ordinance, controls. It is held that the ordinance became effective on May 13 and that the referendum petition filed on May 25 was not within the time prescribed by the law then in force, and for that reason was insufficient to stay the enforcement of the ordinance. The opinion was written by Justice Blatter. Other cases decided are as follows:

W. G. Davis, appellant, vs. Olson A. Brigham and Kate Brigham, his wife, and the Monroe Timber Company, a corporation (intervenor), respondents. Appeal from Lane County. Affirmed.

Mrs. I. A. Kelsey, respondent, vs. Alma Taylor and C. D. Taylor, appellants. Appeal from Wasco County. Affirmed.

Columbia Valley Trust Company, a corporation, respondent, vs. Milton W. Smith, appellant. Appeal from Multnomah County. State of Oregon, respondent, vs. Douglas, appellant. Appeal from Multnomah County. Motion to dismiss granted. Transcript not filed within the time allowed by the law.



A stellar boxing and wrestling card has been arranged for the interclub meet between the Multnomah Club and the Spokane Athletic Club next Friday night in the M. A. A. C. gymnasium. This will be the last interclub event of the year for the local organization.

The programme for the meet will include eight matches, two wrestling and two boxing interclub matches, and four preliminary boxing bouts between local athletes.

The programme for the meet will be:

- 105-pound boxing—McCarr, Multnomah, vs. Al Hughes, of Spokane.
- 115-pound boxing—J. Casley, of Multnomah, vs. L. McCoy or A. Rourke, of Spokane.
- 125-pound wrestling—Duff, of Multnomah, vs. Gesek, of Spokane.
- 135-pound wrestling—Franke, of Multnomah, vs. Breslin, of Spokane.
- 165-pound boxing—Powers (unattached) vs. Leonard (unattached).
- 165-pound wrestling—J. Casley, of Multnomah, vs. Prickett, of the Catholic Club.
- 136-pound boxing—Adams, of Multnomah, vs. Graham, of Multnomah.

A fourth preliminary fight for 135-pound boxers is being arranged.

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MRS. GEORGE KADDERLY WINS

Victor's Handicap Is Half Length of Tank—Eight Contestants Enter.

Mrs. Watkins Close Second.

With an advantage of not over three lengths, Mrs. George Kaddery won the 50-yard race by members of the Multnomah Club women's swimming class yesterday forenoon in the club tank. The contest was the most exciting event held at the club for some time and was witnessed by 100 of the fair sex.

There were eight participants in the race. Mrs. Frank Watkins, the only scratch entry, finished but a fraction of a second behind Mrs. Kaddery, who had a handicap of 20 seconds. Miss Grace O'Neill, with a handicap of 20 seconds, finished third. Mrs. Watkins covered the distance in the exceptionally fast time of 44 seconds flat.

The winner was awarded the George Bannion trophy, which was held over from the Christmas swim, having been intended as a second prize in that event. Mrs. Kaddery will retain permanent possession of the cup.

Mrs. Kaddery's handicap amounted to about half the length of the tank. Mrs. Watkins swam in magnificent form, overtaking the lead of her opponent foot by foot and finishing with a grand flourish. Her hand touched the end of the tank barely a second after Mrs. Kaddery had reached the goal.

After the fancy diving was exhibited by Miss O'Neill, Mrs. Frank Watkins, Miss Hewlett and others. The women accomplished many difficult feats, including practically everything Instructor Cavill, himself, is able to do, and their efforts brought forth prolonged applause from the gallery.

Superintendent Walker acted as judge for the race and Mr. O'Neill was starter and timer. Plans are being made for a general meet for both men and women in April.

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NEW PHYSICAL DIRECTOR WILL COME

From Denver Association

H. T. Smith, who has been connected with the Denver Young Men's Christian Association, has been called by the Portland association to a position as assistant physical director. He will take the position left vacant by the resignation of James G. Archibald, who left the local association to accept a position in the gymnasium of the Oregon Agricultural College. The decision to engage Mr. Smith was made at the meeting of the physical committee held yesterday afternoon, and his acceptance was received by Y. M. C. A. members with the following events:

April 5—Bible class, five-mile relay between five or six teams of ten men each.

April 8—Aquatic meet for Y. M. C. A. members with the following events: 40-yard novice swim, 100-yard novice swim and 100-yard handicap swim, all for seniors. Bible class relay swim.

April 22—Five-mile relay for intermediate students and business boys' classes.

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AUSTIN MAKES HIT WITH FANS

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Jimmy Austin, the 115-pound youngster who will meet Jimmy Carroll next Monday night in one of the feature bouts at the Rose City Athletic Club smoker, is making a favorable impression with the sports who witness his daily training antics at the fireman's hall on East Third and East Pine streets.

Jimmy took Kid Gillon and Ned Whitman, two 137 pounders, for two rounds each yesterday. Though out-

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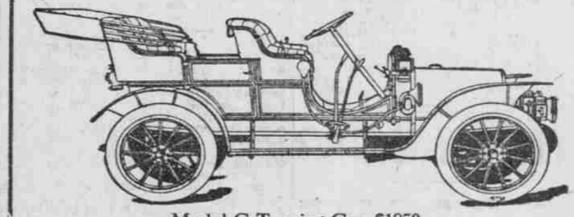
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White Sox Beat Fresno. R.H.E. R.H.E. FRESNO, Cal., March 15.—Olmstead, the White Sox pitcher, was in mid-season form in the second game with the

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