OAKLAND PLAYERS HAMMER OUT RUNS

Commuters Earn Victory From Portland Club by Score of 7 to 1.

RUNNING OF BASES HELPS

Elmer Koestner's Curves Are Found Frequently by Wolverton's Team, Which Plays Good Ball Despite Leader's Absence.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Oakland 7, Portland 1.
San Francisco 5, Vernons 2.
Los Angeles 10, Sacramento 4.

Standing of the Clubs.

CLUBS.	Oakland	San Fran.	Los Angeles	Sacramento	Portland	Vernon	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Oakland		6	5	5	2	9	10	6	.714
San Fran.	6		6	1	0	7	8	5	.571
Los Angeles	5	6		1	4	6	8	6	.553
Sacramento	7	4	1		0	0	6	8	.462
Portland	0	0	3	0		3	3	9	.400
Vernon	0	2	0	0	3		5	7	.333
Lost	4	6	7	7	9	10	43		

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—(Special.)—Oakland made 13 hits off the Portland club today. Thirteen may be an unlucky number usually, but the Oaks didn't stop on account of that. They went slashing their way through Elmer Koestner, some time since of Los Angeles, then again a big league twirler and more recently an Oregonian annex. Koestner didn't "have much" on the ball and he had less when the Commuters had wound up their slugging bee with a 7 to 1 score. They hit him from all corners and with such rattling regularity that it was little wonder the score piled up.

At that, Pernoll, the chubby-legged chap with the face like a full moon, was mighty lucky, so lucky, in fact, that he may easily have had a horseshoe concealed somewhere about his person.

Oaks Earn Victory.

The Oaks were not lucky in winning, for their hitting strength earned them the long end of the score. Pernoll, however, was fortunate in keeping down the Portland tallies. Once, at least, he was saved two runs when a little drive that Ryan clipped hit the twirler on his fat legs and bounded off to be fielded by Cutshow for an out at first, thereby robbing Ryan of a perfectly safe hit under other conditions. There were other times, also, when the ball fell right into the hands of the fielders.

The Commuters were slinging the ball from the first inning to the last and the way they ran the bases helped them largely in gathering in the runs.

Pernoll allowed but five hits, two of them doubles, as compared with the baker's dozen for the Oakland bunch, and he scattered them successfully, never more than one coming at a time. Even the absence of Manager Wolverton, who is on the suspended list for four days, didn't affect the spirit of the Oaks.

Bunny Pearce "Blessing."

Bunny Pearce, sent in to relieve Mitze, who hurt his finger, proved a blessing in disguise. His first single scored two runs and later, with an infield hit, he helped the Commuters ahead of him around the bases.

The Oakland players landed on Koestner for two hits in the first inning as an indication of what they proposed to do, although there were no runs.

In the second the Beavers got their solitary run on an error by Clyde Wares. Krueger singled to center and was forced at second by Kuhn. An out by Peckinpaugh sent the red-haired catcher to second and when Wares made a boot of a grounder by Rodgers, Kuhn tallied, due also to the fact that Pernoll stopped the ball on its return to the plate instead of letting Mitze gather it in.

Maggart's home run in the third tied the score and the Oaks forged to the front in the fourth, after which it was simply a case of the Commuters piling the tallies.

The score in detail:

PORTLAND.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Chadbourne, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Ryan, cf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Sheehan, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Rapps, 1b	3	0	0	12	0	1
Krueger, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Kuhn, c	4	1	0	6	0	0
Peckinpaugh, ss	3	0	1	0	5	0
Rodgers, 2b	3	0	1	0	4	0
Koestner, p	2	0	0	0	4	0
Total	31	1	5	24	15	1

OAKLAND.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Maggart, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Wares, ss	4	1	2	2	2	1
Hoffman, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Bower, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Pfyl, 1b	3	2	2	10	1	0
Cutshaw, 2b	3	1	1	5	4	0
Hetling, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	0
Mitze, c	1	0	0	1	1	0
Pernoll, p	3	0	0	0	3	1
Pearce, c	3	0	2	3	1	0
Total	35	7	13	27	20	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	—5
Oakland	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	*	—7
Base hits	2	0	1	4	1	2	2	1	*	—13

SUMMARY.

Home run—Maggart. Two-base hits—Ryan, Peckinpaugh, Wares, Hetling. Sacrifice hits—Koestner, Cutshaw. First base on called balls—Off Koestner 2, off Pernoll 4. Stolen bases—Krueger 1, Maggart 1, Bower 1, Pfyl 1, Cutshaw 1. Struck out—By Koestner 5, by Pernoll 2. Time of game—1 hour 45 minutes. Umpire—Hildebrand.

SEALS PUNISH HOGAN'S MEN

Hard Hitting Feature of San Francisco-Vernon Game.

LOS ANGELES, April 12.—Hard hitting was again the feature of the game between San Francisco and Vernon today.

San Francisco made nearly all its runs in the fifth inning, when Breckenridge was hit hard. Vernon did its only scoring in the same inning. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
Vernon 2	5 0	San Fran.. 5 9 0

Batteries—Breckenridge and Brown; Miller and Barry.

ANGELS WIN BATTING BEE

Sacramento's Errors Add to Advantage of Southerners.

SACRAMENTO, April 12.—Los Angeles landed on Fitzgerald for seven hits in the first three innings of today's game and clinched the second game of the series by rolling up six runs in that time. Byram, the southpaw, was sent in to relieve Fitzgerald and was found for six hits and four more runs.

Heavy hitting marked the game and errors on the part of Sacramento were responsible for several of the visitors' runs. Catcher Smith, of Los Angeles, was ordered off the field by Umpire Finney for questioning a decision. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
Los Aang. 10	13 2	Sacramento 4	10 7

Batteries — Criger, Wheeler and Smith, Abbott; Fitzgerald, Byram and Thomas. Umpire, Finney.

UNIVERSITY RACE IS ASSURED

Washington Oarsmen Will Meet Stanford or Berkeley.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, April 12.—(Special.)—The crew race between either the University of California or Stanford University is now assured, according to information received today from the institutions of the southern state. Next Saturday California and Stanford will race for the championship of those two institutions. The winner will come to Seattle in May, where the race for the Pacific Coast championship will take place.

Coach Cunnibear is unusually anxious to show his first-year men off owing to their unusual strength, and if possible the "1914's" of California will be brought to Seattle.

Until the real college activities on the water begin, Washington will prepare for a race with the Vancouver, B. C., Boat Club. Vancouver wants a four-oared race, but Washington has no four-oared crew. However, "Conny" will put four of his best in action this week to meet the northerners May 24. Two years ago Vancouver won a similar race from Washington on Lake Washington.

CLUB SWIMS WILL END SOON

Multnomah to Give Only Few More of Popular Events.

Only a few more social swims are to be given by the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club, one of which will be tonight at the Portland Swimming Baths, Fourth and Yamhill streets.

This swimming event, originated by Frank E. Watkins, has proved the most popular event of its kind ever gotten up in Portland. In the year that it has been in vogue probably more interest in swimming among the women folk of the club has been stirred up than in any other way.

Arthur Cavill, ex-swimming instructor of the club, will leave in another two months for several months' absence. Mr. Cavill will aid the swimmers in the funmaking tonight.

PRIZE IS IN DISPUTE

SEATTLE MAN THINKS WINNERS OF DOG RACE ARE HIS.

Q. A. Berger to Claim $6000 and Loving Cup in Alaska Contests Awarded to Mrs. Darling.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 12.—(Special.)—Six thousand dollars and a silver loving cup, the prize for the all-Alaska sweepstakes dog race finished yesterday afternoon at Nome, which was won by a team driven by A. A. (Scotty) Allen and entered in the name of Mrs. C. E. Darling, of Berkeley, Cal., will be claimed by Q. A. Berger, a wealthy mining man of this city, who asserts that the canines which composed the winning team are those which won the great event in 1909 and are from his own kennels.

Mr. Berger cabled to Nome this morning to ascertain the names and pedigrees of the dogs which carried off the prize, and his future actions will be guided by the answer he receives.

Berger became a dog-racing enthusiast in 1908, when a team owned by him, with the exception of the leader, "Dubby," was entered in the great endurance test of the north. Allen owned the leader. Berger's teams, driven by Allen and Percy Blatchford, finished first and second, respectively. Berger left his teams in care of Allen and they were entered last year, one of them finishing third.

Allen is secretary of the Darling & Dean Company, a corporation in which Mrs. Darling is a heavy stockholder.

INDIANS WIN SPOKANE GAME

City League All-Stars Beaten From Beginning on Snowy Grounds.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 12.—(Special.)—The Spokane Indians and the City League All Stars battled for six innings today before one of the largest crowds that has witnessed the practice games. Spokane won, 7 to 1.

The weather was cold, and the snow made the game very slow, the players being unable to handle the ball. It was the Indians' game from the start and in the second inning four straight hits, two of them being for two sacks, netted them four runs and enough to cinch the game.

Kraft pitched for the Indians and allowed the All-Stars only two scattered hits. Nordyke and Frisk were the heavy sluggers. Nordyke connected safely twice and Frisk three times. The Indians made 14 hits.

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OREGON BEATS WHITMAN

FIRST GAME OF SEASON AT EUGENE IS CLOSE.

Freshman Pitcher for University Strikes Out Ten Washington Players in Five Innings.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., April 12.—(Special.)—Playing on a muddy field, the baseball team of the University of Oregon defeated the Whitman College here today in the first game of the season by a score of 5 to 4.

The Whitman team secured all its points in the seventh inning, with two lucky two-baggers on full bases. Oregon tied the score in the same inning and made the deciding run in the eighth.

Houch, the freshman pitcher for the University of Oregon, formerly a student in Washington High school, Portland, pitched a strong game, striking out 10 in the first five innings. Cozens went into the box for Oregon in the sixth and pitched the remainder of the game.

Oregon will play a second game against Whitman here tomorrow. The lineup in this afternoon's game was:

U. of O.		Whitman.
Taylor	c	Johnson
Houch	p	Bennington
Cozens, Annunson	ss	Conover
Jamiron	1b	Sykes
Fenton	2b	Thorn
Roberts	3b	Hughes
Chandler	lf	Periger
Mount	cf	Meese
Barbour	rf	Greenwall

Umpire—Ferdinand Henkel.

Y. M. C. A. TENNIS MEN OUT

Club of Asociation Will Elect Officers Next Week.

Tennis is becoming popular at the Y. M. C. A. with the advent of Spring. Plans are being made for an early start this year and the holding of two or more big tourneys. A meeting of the Tennis Club of the association is planned for next week, at which time officers for the ensuing year will be chosen.

The courts at Tenth and Columbia streets have been scraped and rolled and have been inclosed with new wire screening. The association men have made arrangements for the use of a former automobile garage next to the courts, which will be fitted up for a clubhouse, obviating the necessity of dressing at the association building, half a mile away.

A. M. Grilley, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., has given a silver trophy cup for the winner of a round-robin tennis tournament to be held during the month of May. The annual championship tourney will probably be held during May or the early part of June. It is hoped to have dual meets on the courts with Pacific University and McMinnville College, and possibly Willamette University.

STRAIGHT MATCH IS WANTED

Peter Buzukos Wants to Wrestle Eddie O'Connell Again.

Having met Eddie O'Connell in a handicap wrestling match at Roseburg Monday night, Peter Buzukos, whom O'Connell failed to throw twice in one hour, is anxious to secure a straight match with the Multnomah club instructor.

O'Connell took Buzukos on while handicapped with a lame leg, and this accounts for his failure to place the Greek's shoulders to the mat even once in the hour. Buzukos stipulates that O'Connell weigh in at 145 pounds. He says he is prepared to post a side bet of from $100 to $1000 to bind the match.

Umatilla Plans for Meet.

ATHENA, Or., April 12.—(Special.)—Preparations for the Umatilla County track meet and oratorical contest, to be held here April 29, are being made by the Commercial Association. The track has been graded and is in good shape. Excursion trains will be run both ways for the contestants coming from Milton and vicinity and Hermiston, Echo and Pilot Rock.

SALE TO ATTRACT NOTED HORSEMEN

Auction of Fine Steeds to Be Held Here Next Week at Fair Grounds.

STANDARD-BRED STOCK UP

Brook Nook Ranch, of Montana, Sends Five Carloads of High-Class Steeds — California Breeders Represented.

Horsemen of the West will be in Portland next week to attend the 11th breeders' sale at auction of fine horses, which will be held from April 18 to 22. That this city is regarded as a good distributing market is shown by the fact that the present offering includes five carloads of standard-bred and Morgan horses from Brook Nook Ranch, Montana.

Brook Nook is probably the largest breeding establishment in America, devoted to the harness horse and is owned by a Portland citizen, C. X. Larrabee. For seven years the output of this ranch has been sold here through these Spring sales. The Meadowbrook Farm, Aberdeen, Wash., disperses its entire breeding stud of registered Kentucky saddle horses, including the handsome stallion, Lawrence Denmark.

Noted Stock Coming.

General J. B. Castleman, president of the American Saddle Horse Breeders' Association, and the recognized authority of Kentucky on this breed, selected all the Meadowbrook horses which are typical of a beautiful and useful line.

California breeders have for several years sent shipments to this sale and are well represented in the coming offering. Charles L. De Ryder, one of the most noted trainers in the West, will bring two carloads of speed horses, by such noted sires as McKinney 2:11¼; Carlokin, 2:07¼; Kinney Lou, 2:07¾; Star Pointer, 1:59¼; Searchlight, 2:02¾; Charles Derby, 2:20, and Nutwood Wilkes, 2:16¼. James Thompson, of Sacramento, who drove Charley D, 2:06¼, so successfully in the Portland races of two years ago, is coming with a carload belonging to Sacramento, Dixon and Stockton horsemen.

Local Horses to Appear.

Such local breeders as Paul Wessinger, H. L. Corbett and W. L. Whitmore have picked their best to appear in the sale and are confident that their Oregon-bred horses will compare well with those from neighboring states. One of the big importers and breeders of Percherons, H. G. McMillan & Sons, of Rock Rapids, Iowa, will sell through the sale a carload of 2 and 3-year-old registered Percheron stallions and mares, the Portland market appealing to them through Eastern and Coast press reports of previous sales.

It has been the custom to have a cattle offering also at these sales, and W. I. Kalter and Charles Cleveland, of Multnomah County, will dispose of some registered Jerseys. Draft horses and mules will be a feature this year, as about 100 head will be sold.

Star Auctioneer to Preside.

In the corn belt and through the blue grass auctioneering is one of the learned professions. In this line there is the one and only George A. Bain, of Lexington, Ky. Mr. Bain conducts the "Old Glory" sales of the Fasig Tipton Company in New York, the Chicago, Lexington, Indianapolis and other great sales of the country, and this year makes his first Pacific Coast appearance in Portland and will be assisted in the selling by R. R. Baily. Mr. Bain has sold such stars of the turf as Lou Dillon, 1:58½; The Abbot, 2:03¼; Star Pointer, 1:59¼; The Harvester, 2:01; John R. Gentry, 2:00¼; Sweet Marie, 2:02; Cresceus, 2:02¼; Bingen, 2:06¼, and countless others, Bingen, 2:06¼, at $32,000, being the highest priced of the lot in sale ring annals.

The sale will be held at the Portland Fairgrounds, Country Club track, commencing Tuesday, April 18. The horses will begin to arrive through the week and will be on exhibition next Sunday.

BASEBALL SEASON IS ON

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ninth with a two-bagger after two were out, with men on second and third. The score was 2 to 0. Moore, who pitched for Philadelphia, held the Giants to two hits, both singles. He received brilliant support.

The Boston Nationals pried off the lid by trimming Brooklyn 2 to 1, and at Cincinnati, the Pittsburg Pirates batted the red pitchers all over the lot, winning in a walk, 14 to 0.

National Games Attract 70,000.

It is estimated that over 70,000 people paid their way into National League parks on the opening day of the season.

Only three games were played in the American League on the opening day of the season. The weather interferred with the game at Detroit between the Chicago White Sox and the Tigers.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	1	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Washington	1	0	1.000
Philadelphia	0	1	.000
Cleveland	0	1	.000
Boston	0	1	.000
Chicago	0	0	—
Detroit	0	0	—

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost	P. C.
Boston	1	0	1.000
Pittsburg	1	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	0	1.000
Brooklyn	1	1	.000
Cincinnati	0	1	.000
New York	0	1	.000
Chicago	0	0	—
St. Louis	0	0	—

There was a gathering of notables there to witness the first contest of the year. Some of them went away disappointed, while others will wait over until tomorrow in the hope that the weather will clear up and the teams will be able to play.

In Washington President Taft acted as a mascot for the Senators. The Chief Executive tossed the first ball to Pitcher Gray of the Washingtons, who proceeded to trim the Boston Red Sox to the tune of 8 to 5. More than 16,000 persons saw the game.

Taft Is Forgotten.

The President attracted a great deal of attention at first but in the sixth the crowd forgot all about him when the Senators forged to the front by overcoming a lead of four runs. The fielding of the Boston team was decidedly off color.

The Philadelphia Americans, champions of the world, disappointed a big crowd of rooters on the home ground when the New York Highlanders, under the leadership of Hal. Chase, took a hard-fought game by the score of 2 to 1.

Down at St. Louis the Browns romped away with an easy victory over Cleveland by the score of 12 to 3. The Naps sent three pitchers to the firing line in an effort to stem the tide but all the box artists looked alike to the locals and all met with the same fate. Powell went the full distance for St. Louis.

TAFT TOSSES FIRST BALL

President Forgotten When Washington Overcomes Lead in Sixth.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—For the second time in his term, President Taft today opened the American League baseball season here. From his box in the new grandstand, he tossed the first ball to Pitcher "Dolly" Gray, of the Washington team, and saw Washington romp away from Boston in a very ragged game, by a score of 8 to 5.

A crowd estimated at 16,000, breaking all Washington records, cheered the President first and then forgot all about him when, in the sixth inning, the home team, overcoming a lead of four runs piled up by the visitors, batted Wood out of the box and scored six runs. Walter Johnson, Washington's truant pitcher, came back today and was in uniform. The score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
Washington .. 8	12 2	Boston 5	7 5

Batteries—Gray, Walker and Street; Wood, Karger and Kleinow, Madden. Umpires—Connolly and Mullen.

ATHLETICS DROP FIRST GAME

New York's Pitcher Holds American League Champions to Three Hits.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12.—New York defeated Philadelphia, the world's champions, this afternoon in the opening game of the American League season here, 2 to 1. Vaughan pitched great ball for the visitors and only three hits, two doubles and an infield single, were made off him. Before the game began, Collins was presented with an automobile. Four out of five New York players who tried to steal second were thrown out. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
New York .2	7 3	Philadelphia.1	3 3

Batteries—Vaughan and Blair; Bender and Thomas. Umpires, Evans and Egan.

NAPS' PITCHERS ARE HIT HARD

12,000 St. Louis Fans Cheer Team on to Victory From Cleveland.

ST. LOUIS, April 12.—Twelve thousand spectators saw St. Louis hit the Cleveland pitchers for 16 hits and win the opening game of the local American League season, 12 to 3. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
St. Louis..12	16 1	Cleveland.. 3	9 7

Batteries—Powell and Clarke; Blanding, Gregg and Smith. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Dineen.

30,000 SEE GIANTS LOSE GAME

Philadelphia Gets Better of Pitchers' Duel in Ninth Inning.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The pitchers' duel which went for eight innings without a score and which ended in the ninth with two runs for Philadelphia, marked the opening game of the National League season in New York City. More than 30,000 noisy fans filled the polo grounds. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
Philadel. 2	5 1	New York..0	2 1

Batteries—Moore and Dooin; Ames and Myers.

ELEVEN INNING GAME IS TIE

Darkness Halts Game Between Chicago Cubs and St. Louis.

CHICAGO, April 12.—The National League baseball season was opened here today by Chicago, with St. Louis as opponents, when Carter H. Harrison, Mayor-elect, tossed the first ball into the diamond.

After eleven innings, the teams were on even terms and the umpire called the game on account of darkness. The final count was 3 to 3. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
Chicago... 3	10 0	St. Louis.. 3	4 1

Batteries — Reulbach, Weaver and Kling; Sallee and Bresnahan. Umpires—Rigler and Finnerman.

BOSTON DEFEATS SUPERBAS

Timely Hitting Helps Beaneaters but Contest Is Close.

BOSTON, April 12.—Timely hitting in the eighth inning won for the Boston Nationals their first game from Brooklyn. The game was anybody's game up to the eighth inning when the visitors connected with Brown, the Boston pitcher, and secured a single run before the side was out. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
Brooklyn ..1	4 1	Boston 2	5 1

Batteries—Brown and Graham; Bargere and Berger. Umpires, Klem and Doyle.

PITTSBURG SWAMPS RIVALS

Byrnes Does Wonderful Hitting and Cincinnati Is Shut Out.

CINCINNATI, April 12.—Pittsburg overwhelmed Cincinnati this afternoon by 14 to 0 in the opening game of the season. Byrnes' hitting was the feature of the game, he getting five hits and a base on balls out of six times he faced the pitcher. Score:

R. H. E.		R. H. E.
Pittsburg ..14	17 1	Cincinnati ..0	4 6

Batteries—Adams and Gibson; Fromme, Tannehill and McLean, Clark. Umpires—O'Day and Brennan.

Breakfast Food for Fans

HEINEY PERNOLL, formerly one of McCredie's art gallery, made his debut against his former teammates yesterday, and what his port-side flinging did to the Beavers is a shame to relate. The Pernoll person was quite stingy, allowing but five hittles.

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On the other hand, Elmer Koestner had bad luck in bunches, for the Wolverines profited by bases on balls followed by binglets of the timeliest of timely variety. The Oaks piled up 13 hittles, so let us hope the "jinks" number will hoodoo them the balance of the week.

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When that Beaver team hits the ball all over the lot, the team falls down in fielding; and when they field beautifully, they forget how to hit, and between the adverse combinations, they get a drubbing occasionally. However, when they get settled down, the other fellows will have to go some.

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Just as long as Happiness Hogan continues to lose to San Francisco, it makes but little difference to us whether McCredie's braves win many games on the road or not, for they will come home out of the cellar, and that is some consolation. However, Hogan is liable to win a game—worse luck.

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Gus Hetling, the ex-Beaver over whom the Oaks put "Prexy" Graham in the "Inbad Club" last season, is playing some baseball for the gang which protested him last Fall. Gus has many friends in Portland who are glad of his success, even though his efforts are devoted to another club.

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Jack Graney, the ex-Portland outfielder, led off in the batting order for the Cleveland Club yesterday, and Ivan Olson was also in the lineup. Ote Johnson, another ex-Portland player, assisted the New York Highlanders in defeating the Philadelphia Athletics in the opening game between those clubs yesterday.

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"Pa" Dillon's Angelic flock had revenge on the Sacramento Club yesterday, for they came back at O'Rourke's Senators and spanked the offerings of two Senatorial twirlers to all corners of the lot. The Sen..tors hit some themselves, but seven errors helped Los Angeles quite a bit.

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Manager McCredie will undoubtedly use Bill Steen against the Oaks today, and if "Big Six" is as good as he was on his debut in Los Angeles, the Protesters will have some trouble reducing Portland's percentage below the .400 mark. The Protesters will likely use "Big Jimmy" Wiggs today, which will encourage the "cheap skates" who bet every day, and knock the team when they lose.

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Vean Gregg made his bow in a Cleveland uniform yesterday, but only after a couple of other "Nap" twirlers had been whanged all over the lot by the husky St. Louis sluggers. Gregg made a favorable appearance, but his team was too far behind for his work to count for anything.

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Harry Wolverton, the chronic kicker and kingpin protester of all leaders who ever played in the Coast League, is under suspension already this season. Judge Graham slipped the Protester" leader a four-days' layoff because Wolverton imagined he knew more about umpiring than does McGreevy, who gets paid for the work.

College Baseball Games.

At Atlantic City—Princeton 4, Dartmouth 0.

At Annapolis—Navy 10, Rutgers 0.

At Lexington—University of Michigan 3, Kentucky State 1.

At West Point—Lafayette 6, Army 0.

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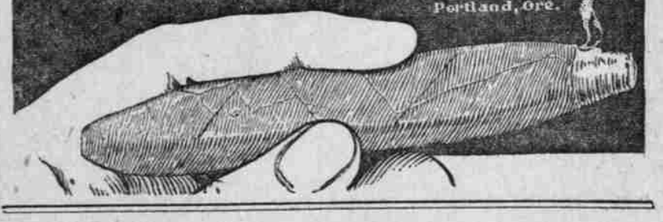

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