SEALS, TOO, FAIL TO STOP BEAVERS

When San Franciscans Blow Up in 11th Home Players Romp Off With Game.

HENLEY TASTES DEFEAT

Ryan Scores Saving Tally in 2-to-1 Contest When His Fly Is Muffed and Wild Tosses Follow Error. Harkness Is Invincible.

BY W. J. PETRAIN.

In the opening game of the last week of baseball in Portland this season, the Beavers captured an extra-inning battle from the San Francisco Seals by a score of 2 to 1 and kept themselves in first place.

The game went 11 innings, and the Seals held a little donation party in the final chapter when two weird miscues put Buddy Ryan across with the winning run after one man had been retired. "Cack" Henley was the twirler selected by "Kid" Mohler.

Henley is usually fortunate against the Beavers, but yesterday he went up against the top-notchers when they had all the horseshoes, rabbits' feet and like trophies of good omen corralled, and the home club beat him in a tight game.

Harkness in Great Form.

Opposed to Henley was "Speck" Harkness, and "Speck" had something for he made the Seals eat out of his hand except in the fifth inning, when they tallied the first run of the game on a lucky Texas leaguer by Johnson and a corking two-base smash by Tommy Tennant. Johnson was first up in the inning and his Texan landed just out of the reach of Bill Rodgers.

Naylor, another of the new Seals, sacrificed, and Tennant brought Johnson home by his smash, which went to right field for two sacks. Speck then settled down and in the remaining innings the Seals did not land the semblance of a base hit off the ex-Clevelander.

Henley weakened also in this inning, for the Beavers tied up the score and should have won the game then and there. Overanxiety to kill the ball when the sacks were densely populated gave Henley a respite and sent the game in the extra-frame list.

Lindsay's Swing Fails.

Mickey La Longe, the first Beaver up, walked. Harkness bunted to Henley, who made an ineffectual attempt to get La Longe at second, and both Beavers were safe. Chet Chadbourne dumped a perfect bunt in front of the plate and beat it to first, which filled the bases with none out. Bill Rodgers laced a fast one into center field, which counted La Longe, but Harkness was held at third.

Then Lindsay tried a swinging bunt, but the sphere took a perfect hop into Tennant's hands and Harkness was forced at the plate. The sacks were still populated when Bill Rapps came up, but Henley proved too good for Bill, who sat down after three vain tries to annihilate the ball.

The mighty Ryan started one for the right field wall, but the sphere was not hit hard enough and settled into the waiting hands of Mr. Naylor and the Beavers were retired with the sacks loaded.

Wild Toss Lets Ryan In.

The game ended in a totally unexpected manner. Rapps was the first Beaver up in the 11th, and Weaver winged him out at first. Ryan popped a fly to left field which Powell muffed ignominiously. Buddy then stole second and took third when Claude Berry's weird toss carried to center field.

Krueger hit a slow bounder to French, who was playing in for the bunt. That worthy cut loose with a decidedly worse toss than had been made by Berry, and Ryan scored, because the ball went to the grandstand instead of into Berry's mit. This ended the final series, and the crowd which braved the threatening rain went home satisfied.

Tom Seaton will be on the hill for the Beavers this afternoon, while San Francisco will depend on Frank Miller or Fanning. The latter is a new man and is highly appreciated by Danny Long, who picks him, next to Benny Henderson, as the best twirler in the league.

The score:

San Francisco—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Portland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Powell, lf	4	0	4	0	1	Chad'e, lf	3	1	5	0	0
Bre'h, 3b	3	0	2	1	1	Rodg'rs, 1b	4	2	8	2	1
M'Ar'sa	4	0	8	2	0	Lind'y, 3b	4	0	1	4	0
Wea'r, 2b	4	1	3	7	0	Rapps, 1b	5	1	13	2	0
John'n, cf	4	1	0	0	0	Ryan, rf	4	0	0	0	1
Naylor, rf	3	0	2	0	0	Krue'r, cf	5	0	1	0	0
Ten't, 1b	4	1	11	1	0	Peck'h, ss	4	1	2	3	0
Berry, c.	4	0	3	1	0	Lalonge, c	3	0	7	2	0
Henley, p	4	0	1	2	0	Hark'ss, p	3	0	1	3	0
Totals	33	3	31	15	2	Totals	35	5	33	16	1

One out when winning run was scored.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

San Francisco	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Hits	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Portland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	—2
Hits	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	—5

SUMMARY.

Runs—Johnson, Ryan, Lalonge. Struck out—By Harkness 7, by Henley 2. Bases on balls—Off Harkness 1, off Henley 4. Two-base hit—Tennant. Double plays—McArdle to Weaver; McArdle to Weaver to Tennant. Sacrifice hits—Rodgers, Johnson, Naylor, Harkness, French. Stolen base—Ryan. Hit by pitched ball—Lindsay. Time—1:55. Umpires—Finney and Van Haltren.

Notes of the Game.

Both Henley and Harkness pitched great ball, but the Beavers had the better of the argument in being more effective in tight places.

Chet Chadbourne played a grand fielding game in left, for he captured two drives that were ticketed as doubles, and otherwise distinguished himself.

The Seals introduced several new faces to the Portland fans yesterday. French is at third in place of Vitt, and Napper and Johnson are new outer gardeners.

Oscar Vitt is suffering with stomach troubles and was left at home by the San Francisco club. Royal Shaw is under suspension again and he also was left at San Francisco.

The Seals tout both Naylor and Johnson as nifty performers, but yesterday neither showed much against the offerings of "Speck" Harkness, who enjoyed one of his good days.

Tommy Sheehan was ill yesterday and could not get into the lineup, which put Bill Lindsay back at third and Bill Rodgers at second. Both played gilt-edged ball.

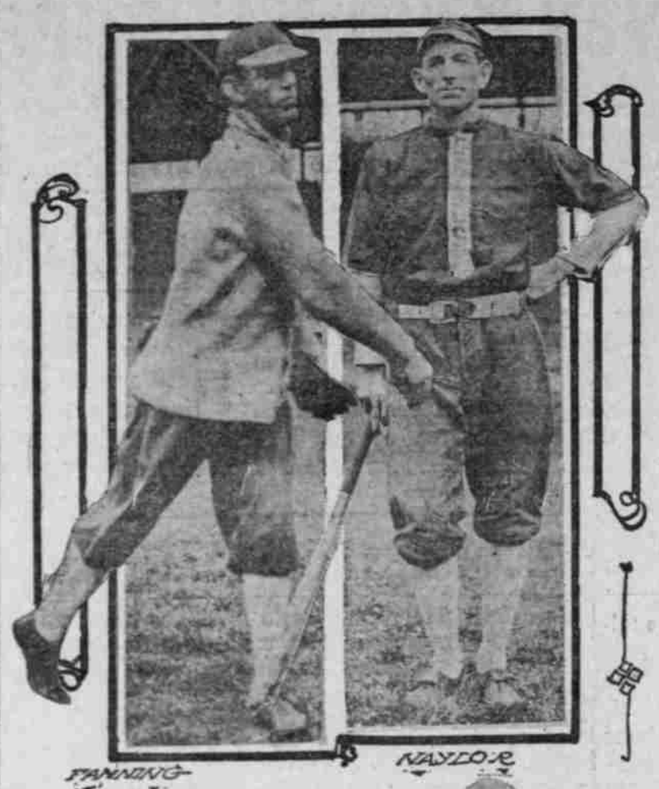
With Rapps at first, Rafferty at second and Lindsay at third, Portland's infield is well supplied with Bills. All three players are surnamed William.

The Seals pulled off a couple of speedy double plays. Chadbourne was at second on a walk and a sacrifice when Lindsay smashed a liner to McArdle, who doubled Chad at second in the opening inning.

In the ninth Peckinpaugh singled after Krueger had gone out, but was doubled at second when La Longe hit sharply to McArdle, who tossed to Weaver and the latter made a nice relay to first.

"Kid" Mohler says J. Cal Ewing will be in Portland this week as he is coming with several prominent California Elks to confer with the Portland officials relative to the coming session of the grand lodge here next year.

THREE NEW FACES IN SEAL LINEUP PLAYING FINAL SERIES OF SEASON AGAINST THE BEAVERS.



FANNING — NAYLOR

FRENCH

MADDEN SHINES WITH STICK

Sacramento Outfielder Largely Responsible for Oak Defeat.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Sacramento took the first game in the series against Oakland, Madden, the Senators' right fielder, being the star of the affair. In five times at bat he made five hits and three runs, one of them a home run.

The score:

Sacramento—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Oakland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Mad'n, rf	5	5	4	0	0	Hoff'n, rf	5	2	3	1	0
Shinn, 3b	4	0	3	1	0	Coy, rf	4	0	2	0	0
O'R'ke, ss	5	1	1	3	2	Patt'n, cf	3	0	2	0	0
Danzig, 1b	5	1	9	1	1	Wolv'n, 3b	3	1	3	1	0
V. B'n, cf	4	3	2	0	0	Tied'n, 1b	4	1	7	0	0
Lewis, lf	4	1	3	0	0	Cut'w, 2b	4	2	3	2	1
Thomas, c	5	3	4	3	0	Wares, ss	3	2	4	3	0
Heis'r, 2b	4	1	0	1	1	Mitze, c..	3	1	8	1	0
Baum, p.	3	1	1	2	2	Fister, p.	2	0	0	1	0
						Christ'n, p	1	0	0	2	0
						*Sacher..	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	41	16	27	11	6	Totals	33	9	27	13	1

*Batted for Christian in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Sacramento	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	—5
Base hits	2	3	1	0	2	3	1	1	2	0	—16
Oakland	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—3
Base hits	0	1	2	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	—9

Three runs, 8 hits off Fister, 4 1-3 innings.

SUMMARY.

Runs—Madden 3, Van Buren, Lewis, Hoffman, Coy, Wares. Stolen bases—Madden, Wares. Home runs—Madden. Sacrifice fly—Wolverton. Two-base hits—Cutshaw, Madden, Van Buren, O'Rourke, Hoffman, Thomas. Sacrifice hits—Heister, Patterson, Mitze, Lewis. Bases on balls—Off Baum 2, off Fister 1. Struck out—By Baum 4, by Fister 0, by Christian 1. Hit by pitcher—Van Buren by Christian. Double play—Cutshaw to Tiedemann. Balk—Baum. Wild pitch—Fister. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Hildebrand.

VERNON VICTORY PROTESTED

Dillon, of Angels, Thinks Hogan's Men Got Best of Decision.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 26.—Vernon won today, 7 to 4, in an exciting game. Dillon, however, said he would protest the game, objecting to a ruling of the umpire in calling Heitmuller out at second base in the third inning. R. Smith had a finger split in the eighth and gave way to Abbott. Score:

Vernon—	Ab	H	Po	A	E	Los Angeles—	Ab	H	Po	A	E
Car'le, cf	2	1	4	0	0	How'd, 2b	4	1	2	2	0
Ross, lf..	4	2	1	0	0	Met'er, 3b	4	1	2	3	0
Pat'on, 1b	4	3	12	0	0	Daley, cf.	4	2	3	1	0
Br'ear, 2b	3	2	2	3	1	Dillon, 1b	3	2	11	1	0
St'son, rf	4	2	2	0	0	Hei'r, rf.	4	2	1	0	0
Hosp, ss..	2	0	1	3	0	Delmas, ss	3	1	1	4	0
Bor'll, 3b	4	0	0	3	0	Lobert, lf.	4	0	0	0	0
Hogan, c.	4	0	4	0	0	Smith, c..	3	0	2	2	0
Carson, p	3	1	0	2	0	Abbott, c.	1	0	1	0	0
McD'll, 2b	1	1	0	0	0	Delhi, p..	3	1	0	2	1
						Moore*...	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	12	27	12	1	Totals	34	11	24	14	1

*Batted for Delhi in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Vernon	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	2		*—	7
Hits	3	3	1	0	0	3	2	2		*—12	
Los Angeles	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2		0—	4
Hits	2	1	1	0	2	0	2	3		1—11	

SUMMARY.

Runs—Carlisle, Ross 2, Patterson, Brashear, Carson, McDonnell, Howard, Metzger, Dillon 2. Stolen bases—Howard, Dillon, Heitmuller. Three-base hits—Patterson, Dillon. Two-base hits—Brashear 2. Sacrifice hits—Metzger, Dillon, Hosp, Delmas. Bases on balls—Off Carson 1, off Delhi 1. Struck out—By Carson 2, by Delhi 2. Double play—Hosp to Brashear to Patterson. Passed ball—Smith. Time—1:53. Umpire—McGreevy.

FANDOM AT RANDOM

WITH the major league pennants cinched for Philadelphia and New York, the fans can devote their entire attention to the Pacific Coast League race, which is far from being cinched for any club. The margin between Vernon and Portland is so small that it keeps the fans on edge watching the results of these games.

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Happicus Hogan is said to have offered Charley Graham a handsome price for Patsy O'Rourke. After the way O'Rourke and his band behaved before Hap, that worthy and Eddie Maier ought to pension the Sacramento captain for life. Vernon took six out of seven games from Sacramento and will probably take a similar number from the tailenders this week.

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Every time the Seals have visited Portland this season Pitcher Meikle, one of the best youngsters on the club, has not been a member of the squad. He is always among the "stay at home" squad which reports to Danny Long each day the Seals are away. A visit from Meikle would not be any more startling to the Portland fans than would the coming of Long himself, for the Seal manager with his several additional jobs has not visited Portland since he became secretary of the league.

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J. Cal Ewing, main squeeze back of the finances of the San Francisco club, and also prominent member of the Oakland Lodge of Elks, is on his way to Portland according to Ernest Mohler, the Seal captain. Ewing is a member of the California Elks committee which will confer with the Portland Elks relative to the plans for entertaining the grand lodge in this city next July.

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Seven games are to be played between the Seals and the Beavers this week, for there is a postponed game from the first visit of the Bay City club here which will be played off in a double header next Sunday afternoon, the last day of the season in Portland. While the Seals are out of the running for the flag, they are a hard team to beat just the same, and the Beavers will have to keep up their great work of the last several weeks.

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"Hunky" Shaw is once more on the suspended list. This time he is benched by Danny Long for indifferent playing. Shaw does not like the San Francisco club and would be the happiest player on the Coast if he could get away from Long & Co. However, it is doubtful if Shaw played any more indifferently than the rest of the Seal aggregation, for that club shot the chutes in the most alarming fashion after being beaten in five out of six games in Portland the last time it appeared here.

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Clarence Brooks, drafted from the Boise team of the Union Association, reported to Dillon at Los Angeles yesterday. Brooks is a Fresno lad and former teammate of Walter Kuhn. He is a fair catcher, and is known in Portland, for he played here in 1906 with Fresno, and in 1909 with Aberdeen and other Northwestern League teams.

Twins Are Gridiron Stars.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—(Special.)—Edwin and Elmer Leader, twin brother athletes from Washington High School, Portland, have turned out for football practice under Coach Eakins. Edwin was captain of the Washington High School team two years ago and both boys were on the all-star interscholastic Portland team in 1910. The Leader twins are big tackles and it is not unlikely that they will get on steady with Doble.

BASEBALL IN EPITOME

Six Leagues at a Glance.

Pacific Coast.	W.	L.	Pct.	Northwestern.	W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	97	68	.588	Vancouver	99	61	.618
Vernon	102	74	.551	Spokane	93	71	.567
Oakland	95	87	.522	Seattle	86	76	.534
San Fran	83	87	.488	Portland	82	72	.532
Sac'to	78	98	.443	Tacoma	79	80	.497
L. A'geles	75	106	.414	Victoria	42	111	.253

National.	W.	L.	Pct.	American.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	90	48	.652	Phila.	90	46	.676
Chicago	81	58	.583	Detroit	85	58	.595
Pitsburg	82	64	.562	Cleveland	75	68	.525
Phila.	76	64	.543	New York	74	70	.514
St. Louis	73	68	.518	Boston	71	72	.497
Cincinnati	67	79	.459	Chicago	70	71	.497
B'klyn	58	82	.414	Wash'ton	60	84	.417
Boston	57	102	.264	St. Louis	45	102	.282

American Association.	W.	L.	Pct.	Western League.	W.	L.	Pct.
M'apolis	88	63	.601	Denver	93	60	.610
Kan City	81	66	.578	St. Joseph	85	65	.570
Columbus	88	74	.533	Pueblo	81	69	.540
St. Paul	76	81	.493	Lincoln	75	72	.510
M'wa'kee	76	82	.481	Sioux City	79	74	.516
Toledo	74	86	.464	Omaha	76	75	.503
Ind'apolis	71	86	.453	Topeka	54	96	.360
Lo'ville	64	96	.393	Des M'nes	47	102	.315

Yesterday's Results.

Pacific Coast League—Portland 2, San Francisco 1; Sacramento 5, Oakland 3; Vernon 7, Los Angeles 4.

Northwestern League—Portland 18, Spokane 4; Seattle 9, Tacoma 6; Vancouver 10, Victoria 4.

American League—Washington 8, Cleveland 3; Philadelphia 11, Detroit 5; Chicago 5, New York 4; Boston-St. Louis game postponed on account of rain.

National League—Chicago 10-5, Boston 2-7; Brooklyn 5, Pittsburg 2; no other games scheduled.

American Association—Milwaukee 7-3, Louisville 0-2; Kansas City, 9-10, Columbus 4-3; Toledo 4, St. Paul 3; Minneapolis 5, Indianapolis 2, called in seventh because of rain.

Western League—St. Joseph 4, Pueblo 8; Omaha 3, Lincoln 1; Topeka 11, Sioux City 3; Denver 3, Des Moines 0.

NICKS START FIGHT FOR SECOND PLACE

Spokane Collegian Pitcher Falls Before Roadsters' Fierce Onslaught.

EASTLEY HOLDS INDIANS

Williams' Men Take Advantage of O'Loughlin's Unsteadiness to Bat Out Victory in First Game of Final Series.

SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 26.—(Special.)—The Roadsters got off in the lead and were never headed, winning under wraps, 10 to 4. It was due to the erratic pitching of O'Loughlin, the young college slabster, that the visitors had such a snap.

Like the rhyme about the little girl, "when O'Loughlin was good he was very, very good; and when he was bad, he was horrid." He would have a streak when the Roadsters fanned out one after another, then would come a lapse when Portland murdered every ball that came over the plate.

With a one-run lead when the eighth inning began, Portland discovered that O'Loughlin was having one of his generous periods. Five smashing hits, a fielding bobble and a walk sent five runs over the plate, and the game was gone beyond redemption, so far as Spokane was concerned.

Eastley, on the other hand, was seldom in trouble, except in the seventh inning, when the Portland pitcher and his team weakened and three runs came over the pan.

Williams and Pettigrew did some nifty hitting and baserunning in the second inning for Portland. The score:

Portland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Spokane—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Mon'f, 3b	5	0	4	1	0	Netzel, 2b	4	1	2	1	2
Harris, cf	5	1	0	0	0	Cooney, ss	5	2	0	2	1
Stov'l, rf	5	1	1	0	0	Melch'r, rf	5	2	3	1	0
Will's, lb	4	3	7	1	1	Kimm'n, rf	5	0	0	0	0
Pett'w, rf	4	2	2	0	0	Carr'th, lb	2	0	2	2	0
Men'r, 2b	5	3	0	6	1	Nord'e, 1b	4	0	9	1	0
Moore, c.	5	2	7	1	0	Kipp't, cf	3	1	1	1	0
Coltrin, ss	4	1	5	2	0	Spies'n, c.	4	2	9	2	0
East'y, p	4	0	1	1	0	O'Lou'n, p	4	0	1	2	0
Totals	41	13	27	12	2	Totals	36	8	27	12	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	5	1	—10	
Spokane	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	— 4	

SUMMARY.

Runs—Harris, Stovall 2, Williams 2, Pettigrew 2, Menser 2, Moore, Netzel 2, Kippert 2, O'Loughlin. Two-base hits—Menser, Melchoir, Williams, Spiesman. Three-base hit—Kippert. Sacrifice hit—Kippert. Stolen bases—Stovall, Williams, Pettigrew, Moore, Zimmerman. Struck out—By Eastley 6, by O'Loughlin 9. Bases on balls—Off Eastley 5. Hit by pitcher—Pettigrew By O'Loughlin. Passed ball—Spiesman 1. Left on bases—Portland 6, Spokane 9. Double play—Melchoir to Spiesman. Time, 1:50.

SEATTLE OUTPLAYS TACOMA

Tiger Defense Goes Up in Air at Critical Moment in Game.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 26.—The visitors went to pieces in the eighth inning and Seattle won a 9-to-6 victory over Tacoma. Until the fatal round the game had been a see-saw affair. Whaling's throwing to bases was the feature.

The score:

Tacoma—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Seattle—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Morse, ss.	2	0	5	2	1	Leard, 2b	3	0	6	4	0
Cole'n, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	Moran, cf	4	1	3	0	0
Abbott, rf	5	0	2	2	0	Hous'r, rf	4	1	2	0	0
Lynch, cf.	5	2	1	0	0	Bues, 3b.	2	1	2	2	0
Guyn, rf..	3	0	1	0	0	Weed, rf.	4	3	0	0	0
Burns, 2b.	1	0	0	3	1	Ort, lb..	4	1	8	0	0
Siebt, c...	3	0	9	2	0	Ray'd, ss.	4	2	3	3	2
Fisher, lb	4	2	6	1	1	Wha'ng, c	3	1	2	4	0
Gordon, p	3	1	0	0	0	Seaton, p	4	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	6	24	11	3	Totals	32	10	27	13	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Seattle	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	4	*	—9	
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	—6	

SUMMARY.

Runs—Leard, Moran, Bues 2, Weed 2, Raymond 2, Whaling, Morse, Coleman, Lynch, Burns Fisher 2. Two-base hit—Gordon. Home runs—Bues, Coleman. Sacrifice hits—Whaling. Stolen bases—Raymond 2. Struck out—By Seaton 2, by Gordon 8. Bases on balls—Off Seaton 9, off Gordon 3. Wild Pitches—Gordon 2. Hit by pitched ball—Gordon, Siebt, by Seaton. Passed ball—Siebt. Double plays—Bues to Ort, Fisher to Morse to Fisher. Left on bases—Seattle 8, Tacoma 5. Umpire—McCarthy.

VANCOUVER TREADS ON BEES

Leaders Trounce Tailenders in Hard Hitting Battle.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 26.—Vancouver defeated Victoria in a free-hitting game today by a score of 10 to 6. Both Clark and Surphlis were hit hard, but the local man was strong at critical stages. Million's catch of Scharnweber's short fly over second, after a hard run, was the only fielding feature. Score:

Vancouver—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Victoria—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
B'nett, 3b	4	1	2	2	1	M'llon, cf.	4	1	2	0	0
B'hear, 1b	2	1	3	1	0	G'd'an, 3b.	4	3	1	1	0
Frisk, rf..	3	1	0	1	1	Keller, 2b.	4	1	1	1	0
James, 3b	4	0	2	1	0	K'nedy, rf	4	0	3	0	1
Swais, cf.	3	1	3	0	0	C'tson, lf.	4	1	3	0	0
S'w'r, ss	4	0	3	0	0	M'M'do, lb	4	1	7	1	0
Cates, lf..	3	2	2	0	0	Br'nan, ss.	4	2	1	4	0
Lewis, c..	4	1	8	1	0	Grindle, c.	4	2	6	0	0
Clark, p..	4	2	0	3	0	S'phila, p..	4	0	2	3	1
Total.	31	9	27	8	2	Total..	36	11	24	10	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Vancouver	0	0	4	2	0	2	0	2	0	*—10	
Victoria	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0— 6	

SUMMARY.

Runs—Bennett, Brashear 2, Frisk, James, Swain 3, Cates, Clark 3, Million, Goodman 2, McMurdo, Clementson, Brennan. Stolen base—Brashear. Sacrifice hits—Frisk, Scharnweber. Two-base hits—Brennan, Million, Cates, Clark, Goodman. Three-base hit—Goodman. Home runs—Swain, Bennett. Bases on balls—Off Surphlis 7. Struck out—By Clark 7. Double plays—Lewis to Scharnweber; Clark to James to Scharnweber. Wild pitch—Clark. Hit by pitcher—Brashear, Cates. Time of game—1 hour 48 minutes.

OREGON CITY TEAM STRONG

Prospects for Fine Season Cheer Football Followers.

OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 26.—(Special.)—Prospects for one of the fastest football elevens that ever represented Oregon City on the gridiron were never better than they are at present, say Captain Roos and Manager White, of the Oregon City football club, which is reorganizing for the coming season. Nearly all of last year's players are on hand, and there is some good, new material to draw from, so a good account is expected when the eleven gets into action against other 145-pound teams.

Practice has already commenced and the players are getting into their old-time shape again. A number of new plays are being experimented with and it is possible that a coach will be secured before the season is very far advanced. It is expected that the team will line up somewhat after the following manner: Montgomery, center; Smith and Barry, guards; C. Freeman and Harry Seiler, tackles; Captain Roos and Moore, ends; White, quarter; Carothers and F. Freeman, halves; Long, fullback.

Though it is somewhat early in the season, Manager White has already commenced the work of arranging a schedule of games and he promises to bring in some of the fastest independent teams in and around Portland. Some of the Willamette Valley teams may play here also. A tour of the Valley later in the season is also being arranged.

ONLY ONE FAVORITE WINNER

Two Outsiders Get Money in Races at Lake City Meet.

COEUR D'ALENE, Idaho, Sept. 26.—Lake City favorites fared badly today. Oxer was the only first choice to land in front. Three third choices and two outsiders cornered the rest of the card, with Hand Satchel proving the biggest surprise. Results:

Five and a half furlongs, selling—Hand Satchel (Gargan), 15 to 1, won; Burnell (Gross), 10 to 1, second; Frank Ferris (Buxton), 5 to 1, third; time, 1:09 2-5. Edmond Adams, Placide, Band, Helen Hawkins, Laura Clay, The Shrimp, Susan F., Bucolic and Dell finished as named.

Second, five and a half furlongs, selling—Eddie Mott (Forsyth), 8 to 1, won; Zoel (Buxton), 8 to 1, second; Barnsdale (O. Ross), 16 to 1, third; time 1:09 1-5. Cantem, Fernando, Charles Green, Burleigh, Jelico, Mosseback, Lescar and Star Actor finished as named.

Five and a half furlongs, selling—Passenger (Kirschbaum), 8 to 1, won; Sainest (Buxton), 10 to 1, second; Rusty Coat (Cavanaugh), 12 to 1, third; time 1:08. Tillinghast, Rio Pecos, Belle of Iroquois, Novgorod, Miss Sly and Pickaninny finished as named.

Five and a half furlongs, purse—Pawhuska (Kirschbaum), 8 to 1, won; Enfield (Riddle), 5 to 2, second; Imprint (Forsyth), 2 to 1, third; time 1:07 3-5. Jack Paine, Pride of Lismore, Irish Gentleman, Fern L., Bit of Fortune and General Marchmont finished as named.

Five furlongs, selling—Oxer (Callahan), 7 to 10, won; Earlene (C. Ross), 20 to 1, second; Annie Wells (Kirschbaum), 6 to 1, third; time 1:01 1-5. Marie Hyde, Quick Trip, Zoe Young and Galene Gale finished as named.

Sixth race, six furlongs, selling—Chilla (McEwen), 3 to 1, won; Beda (Gargan), 7 to 1, second; Tipp (Hopkins), 8 to 5, third; time 1:14. Lomond and Stoneman also ran.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE IS PLANNED

Six Commercial Firms to Take Steps for Organization.

Preliminary action in the formation of the Commercial Football League will be taken next week at a meeting of those interested. The date selected for the first conference is Thudsday, October 5. Representatives from the W. P. Fuller Company, Archer & Wiggins, McLaughlin Club, Wabash Club and the Portland Heights Club are expected to attend.

These are the teams that probably will make the six clubs of the league. It is planned to have the season last two months, starting early in October.

A handsome trophy will be donated to the winning club.

ATHLETICS HAVE FLAG

AMERICAN LEAGUE RACE WON BY DEFEAT OF DETROIT.

If Connie Mack's Men Lost Every Game From Now on, Pennant Would Still Be Held.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26.—The American League championship for 1911 was decided here today when Philadelphia defeated Detroit. It was the fourth time that a local team piloted by Connie Mack has won the pennant and the first time that Philadelphia has won the title in successive seasons.

By repeating this year Philadelphia earned the right to defend the world's championship title which it won last year in a series with the Chicago National League club.

Philadelphia and Detroit have fought it out for leading honors in the American League this season. The locals gained ground on Detroit on July 4. The next day New York defeated Philadelphia and the latter dropped to second place.

Detroit kept in the front until August 4, when Mack's team for the second time jumped into first place. Since then Philadelphia never has been headed. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	5	10	1	Philadel	11	15	2

Batteries—Willett, Works and Stanage; Coombs and Lapp.

Washington 8, Cleveland 2.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Washington today batted Mitchell out of the box in the third and easily defeated Cleveland. Swindell, who relieved him, pitched good ball for the rest of the game. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Wash.	8	10	1	Cleveland	2	9	3

Batteries—Groom and Henry; Mitchell, Swindell and Adams, Easterly.

Chicago 5, New York 4.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—After tying the score in the eighth, New York lost to Chicago in the ninth today. The winning run was made on Lord's double and McIntyre's single. Score:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Chicago	5	9	3	New York	4	9	5

Batteries—Benz, Scott and Sullivan; Ford and Williams, Blair.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 10-5, Boston 2-7.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Chicago and Boston today broke even in a doubleheader. In the first game, Reulbach held the visitors to five scattered hits, while Brown and Burke were hit hard.

In the second game Donnelly allowed the locals to hit safely only six times. First game:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Chicago	10	10	2	Boston	2	5	2

Batteries — Reulbach and Archer; Burke, Brown, Weaver and Rariden.

Second game:

	R	H	E		R	H	E
Chicago	5	6	3	Boston	7	13	3

Batteries—Slapnicka, Richter and Graham; Donnelly and Kling. Umpires—Rigler and Finneran.

Brooklyn 5, Pittsburg 2.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 26.—Brooklyn today made its last appearance of the season in Pittsburg, winning by opportune hitting. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	2	6	1	Brooklyn	5	7	2

Batteries—Adams, Hendrix and Simon; Barger and Erwin. Umpires—O'Day and Emslie.

Answer to Query.

D. W. Coats, White Salmon: Misjudging a ball is an error of judgment and is not an error of commission. It does not count as an error in the box score, being scored as a hit.

Irish and Fitzgerald to Grapple.

"Kid" Irish, a Walla Walla mat prodigy, is to meet Richard Fitzgerald, of 1775 Fiske street, as a preliminary to the next Baker theater wrestling bill. The lads weigh 115 pounds.

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