GALLOPING COLTS BEAT RUBES 15-4

Fans See Great Team in Nick Williams' Northwestern League Bunch.

MAXMEYER IS HIT OF PIECE

Big Crowd Turns Out for First Taste of Real Baseball in New Park—Portland Men Show Great Batting Ability.

LEAD COLTS—SPORTS

The Portland Colts, the diamond squad which will represent Portland in the Northwestern League season which opens at Seattle Tuesday afternoon, made a splendid debut before the home fans at Vaughn-street Park yesterday afternoon. They performed in a manner sufficient to draw from the crowd of nearly 2000 many expressions of confidence anent its ability to hold its own in the season's affrays. Incidentally the Colts walloped Red Rupert's Rubes, 15-4.

As an exciting exhibition of the National sport the game could not be styled a huge success, but it served to give the fans their first taste of "league" ball this season, enabled them to make an inspection of the new park, and also size up the Colts, who will not appear here again until the week commencing May 6.

Maxmeyer Furnishes Comedy.

Jesse Garrett and Richard Maxmeyer were the center of interest; Garrett because of his efforts to vanquish his former teammates, and Maxmeyer because his injection into the proceedings gave the exhibition the taint of comedy needed for a successful afternoon.

The game was featured by the terrific clouting of the Colts, led by Speas. Billy gleaned two singles, a double and a triple in five trips to the plate, while Fries slammed out three singles. Mathes was the only man who failed to connect safely. Garrett had nothing mysterious in his repertoire and was whanged for 12 hits, netting 11 runs in the three innings he officiated. A slugging bee of this kind will send Seattle hopes into the basement on Tuesday.

Doty Makes Good Impression.

Of the new men, Doty and Kibble probably made the best impression. Doty is a big fellow with a world of speed and splendid control, while Kibble is fast on his feet, carries himself like a finished product, and is one of the chattering variety, which is so essential to secure the proper amount of "pep." Strait, the hitting sensation of the training season, did not perform up to his usual standard, but stole two bases, was walked twice, and scored three runs.

While 16 hits go a long way towards totalling 15 runs, nine errors figured largely in the 15-4 result. Four of the miscues were bunched in the first inning, which had much to do with Garrett's further mediocrity. The Rubes tossed the sphere around with supreme disregard for its landing place in the early stages of the contest, but settled down towards the last.

The score:

Rupert's Rubes—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Portland Colts—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Robin'n,ss	5	2	1	0	1	Mens'r,2b	5	2	1	3	0
Ladell,1b	5	1	8	2	2	Speas,cf.	5	4	3	1	0
Hinkle,rf	5	1	2	0	0	Fries,rf..	5	3	1	1	0
Nadeau,lf	4	0	1	0	0	Strait,lf..	3	1	1	0	0
Briggs,cf	4	3	2	0	0	Mathes,ss	4	0	2	0	1
Brown,2b	4	1	3	4	3	Harris,1b	4	1	8	2	1
Black,3b	4	1	1	0	1	Moore,c..	2	1	6	1	0
Det'mn,c	4	1	2	2	0	Troeh,c	2	0	2	0	0
Garrett,p	3	1	0	1	0	Kibble,3b	3	1	2	3	1
Maxe'ld,p	2	0	0	4	0	Doty,p....	3	2	0	3	0
						M'myer,p	2	1	0	1	0
Totals	39	11	24	13	9	Totals	40	18	27	12	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Rubes	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—	4
Hits	2	0	0	3	2	0	1	2	2	—	11
Colts	3	2	3	0	0	1	1	2	3	—	15
Hits	4	4	4	0	0	0	2	2	3	—	19

SUMMARY.

Runs—Robinson, Hinkle, Nadeau, Briggs, Mensor 2, Speas 3, Fries 2, Strait 2, Mathes, Troeh, Doty 2, Maxmeyer. Struck out—By Garrett 3, by Doty 4, by Maxmeyer 4. Bases on balls—Off Garrett 1, off Moreland 2, off Doty 1. Two-base hits—Brown, Doty, Speas, Kibble. Three-base hits—Mensor, Speas. Sacrifice hits—Mathes, Harris. Stolen bases—Strait 2, Mathes, Maxmyer. Innings pitched by Garrett 3, Doty 5, Moreland 3, Maxmyer 4. Base hits—Off Garrett 12, Doty 8, Moreland 4, Maxmyer 4. Time of game—1:50. Umpires—Moran and Van Haltren.

Notes of the Game.

Van Haltren and Moran, Fielder Jones' arbitrators, handled the game well. Moran, the new man in this section, uses the right arm wag for strikes, keeping the left stand in his side on all occasions.

The Colts appeared in the new home uniforms, white with green trimmings, with white striped green sox.

When Maxmeyer hit to right for two sacks the fans went wild. However, Max decided to stick at first, playing a conservative game, and then increased the excitement by stealing second. After Max had fanned one of the Rubes a wag suggested: "They need you down South, Maxey."

In the third inning Garrett pegged to second, hitting Speas. The Colt galloped to third, where he stopped a toss from Brown, trotting across the plate in the melee.

Doty, the new slabster, is no infant with the stick. He lined out a single and double in three chances at the horsehide offering.

Right field bleacher, with a seating capacity of 4000, was the favorite spot on opening day. Over 1500 fans basked in the sun and boosted for "Faust" Maxmeyer.

Fries made the best catch of the day, a long fly on the right field foul line. Maxmeyer had the narrowest escape, just evading one slammed at his pedal extremities a mile a minute.

TIGERS CHASE ELKS TO COVER

Lynch's Men Win, 8 to 1, and Miguel Descries Pennant Ahead.

TACOMA, Wash., April 14.—(Special.)—The Tacoma Tigers closed their training season today by defeating the strong semi-professional team of the Tacoma Lodge of Elks by a score of 8 to 1. Mike Lynch is highly satisfied with the outlook and says he is going to take at least four games out of the first series with the Vancouver Beavers. Charlie Schmutz will pitch the first game of the season.

In addition to having a team which, according to last season's averages, should hit .267 as a club, Lynch believes the bonus salary system, which is in effect this season, will have the effect of doing away with the night league practices of the 1911 club. The team will leave Tacoma Monday night for Vancouver. None of the colts will be released for the present.

Auto Records Broken.

SAN JOSE, Cal., April 14.—Louis Disbrow, driving the Simplex "Zip" in the race meet here, established today a new world's record for 15, 20 and 25 miles on a circular earth track. The meet was sanctioned by the American Automobile Association. Barney Oldfield previously held all three records, having made them at Milwaukee, September 27, 1910. Disbrow made 15 miles in 12:10; 20 miles in 17:57 2-5; 25 miles in 22:26 2-5. Oldfield's time in the same events was 12:41, 18:15 and 22:47.

PORTLAND NORTHWESTERN CLUB WHICH PERFORMED IN NEW BASEBALL PARK IN EXHIBITION SLAMFEST SUNDAY.

FANS WOULD JUDGE

Criticism of Beavers Withheld Until Play Is Seen.

TEAM NOW IS IN CELLAR

McCredie Thinks Team Is Not What It Should Be—He Tries to Get Other Players to Bolster Up Weakest Spots.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

Portland fans will get their first real sensative impression of the Beaver Coast League baseball team Tuesday afternoon, when Danny Long's newly-prepared Seals will meet the erstwhile champions—now sovereigns of the cellar—in the opening clash of the northern swing.

McCredie's braves hike homeward on this third week of the schedule in sixth place. Last year the Beavers trotted onto Recreation diamond in the third notch, with a record of 11 wins and nine loses, while in 1910 the local bugs and buggesses welcomed a victorious band in juxtaposition to the pennant halyards.

The Portland Coasters have had a disastrous start, surely enough, but McCredie figures his men will about round to form on this junket and that he will take the heavy end of the three home series with San Francisco, Oakland and Vernon, which will send his tribe away on the second road tour not far removed from the one-two position.

Beavers Not Hitting.

The Beavers have not been winning games mainly because they have not been hitting the ball when hits meant runs. In the 12 games to date the losses have been as follows: Los Angeles, 4-2, 7-5, 13-1, 3-2; wins, 1-0, 2-0; Oakland, 3-1, 3-2, 4-2, 9-2 and 6-4. Take a squint along that arid array—the locals have batted out more than two runs only twice, and the two games which have been tucked away were shutouts in which the sticksmiths figured little. One tie game was played.

A club cannot expect to win the pennant unless it concentrates its batteries on the hit column with more deadly effect than this. Doane and McDowell, of the new men, seem to be holding up their ends fairly well, but the flimy eyeball seems common among the remaining athletes, veterans and juves.

Throw in a little ragged fielding and some wry pitching and you have the story of the unraveling to date. Harkness and Koestner each twirled a magnificent shutout contest, but both have been battered out of the mound on other starts. Henderson, on the other hand, has been pitching consistent ball, and the fact that he lost three straight games by scores of 4-2, 3-2 and 3-2 is hardly a reflection upon his form, for Benny has kept himself in fine condition. He was hit hard Sunday, but went in cold.

Temple Is Making Good.

Temple, the Connecticut League recruit, has performed exceedingly well, barring his start in Los Angeles, when he was sent in to relieve Steiger, and will likely weather the waivers a while longer. Gilligan, too, will probably stick, but Steiger and Lamline have already been announced as sledding Class B-wards.

"Defeats or no defeats, the Beavers look just about as strong as last season."

This was the remark ventured by Billy Reidy, ex-Oakland manager, a day or two ago, after watching the Sharpe-shooters walk all over the Portland prides. Al Baum, president of the Coast League, is of the same mind, while San Francisco newspapermen unite in the prediction that another month will see Portland and Vernon in the first division. Reidy believes the Oaks are considerable stronger than in 1911, but the writers take the other end of the argument. Yesterday's wins gave the Oaks 11 straight victories.

Walter McCredie's friends find solace in the discouraging start of the Philadelphia Athletics last season, when they occupied the second segment for many weeks, eventually winning the pennant and the world's title. McCredie, though, isn't saturated with optimism over his present squad, and while he thinks the club is playing away below form, Mac is sizzling the wires trying to land a trio of capable blue-bloods to bolster up the weaknesses.

Waivers Cause Silence.

Just at present he is afraid to talk for fear of failure to get his prospects through the major league waiver route, which has already cheated him of Gus Fisher. He admits that Pitcher Klawitter, of New Orleans, is one of the "stars" for whom he is angling. Mac also says that Girot, the Santa Clara College southpaw whom he signed in Oakland a few days ago, looks like a promising slabster. Girot was originally scheduled for Philadelphia, but McCredie talked him over to a Beaver document.

When Umpires Hildebrand and Casey start proceedings at 3 o'clock Tuesday the fans will consult their identification slips on several new players. Portland will have in new wares Catcher Howley, Shortstop Bancroft and Right-fielder Doane, besides the coterie of twirlers, Gilligan, Temple, Steiger and Girot, and extra man McDowell.

San Francisco has been even further mussed up, with Jackson, a southpaw, at first; Corhan at third, and an entirely new outfield, McIvor, Hartley and Raftery, in addition to Pitchers Baker, Toner and one or two others. Raftery is the old Portland base thief.

Mohler will ship Henley or Baker against the locals for the opening game, while Henderson has been groomed for knob work by McCredie. Coupled with the dedication of the new park, the opening game should attract upwards of 12,000 fans. San Francisco drew 15,000 on lid-lifting day, and Los Angeles close to the mark set for Portland.

Group reading (left to right), Greer, Maxmeyer, Tonneson, Veazey, Hirsch, Williams, Mathes, Strait, Harris, Troeh, Doty, Eastley, Fries, Speas, Kibble, Thomas, Moore, Mensor, Coltrin—Lower Photograph, Upper Left, Pitcher Doty, Who Made His Initial Bow in Portland Yesterday, and Action View Showing Kibble Tagging Robinson at Third Base.

Minor Baseball.

Weonas 5, Vancouver Independents 2. Lents Archer-Wiggins 8, Marshall-Wells 0.

Brooklyn Grays 7, Lents Independents 2. For games with Brooklyn address H. J. Sherrett, 254 East Sixteenth street.

Portland Moose 11, Salem Woolen Mills 3. The Salem men were unable to hit Byers and Crandall. Kelly's homer was a feature. For out-of-town games address H. B. Glidden, Moose Club.

The Winton Six team wishes games. Address N. E. Willis, 244 Page street. Telephone East 5128.

Eugene 9, Cottage Grove 2.

EUGENE, Or., April 14.—(Special.)—"Father" Tom Kelly's Eugene team played rings around the Cottage Grove nine, winning by a score of 9 to 2.

FOUR LEAGUES TO START

OPENING DATES OF ALL ARE EARLIER THAN BEFORE.

Northwestern, International, New England and Western Circuits to Play This Week.

Baseball activity is to be increased this week by the start of the pennant races in four more leagues.

The Northwestern League, virtually an international affair since it includes Victoria and Vancouver in its six-club league, opens at Seattle, Vancouver and Spokane on Tuesday; last year's Eastern League, under the new name of "International," opens on Thursday in the southern division cities; the New England League, which is made up of eight Massachusetts cities, opens on Patriots' day, the 18th, and the same day the Western League opens in Denver, Topeka, Omaha and St. Joseph.

The opening dates of all four leagues are advanced slightly from last year. The makeup of the four circuits remains unchanged, excepting that Wichita takes the place of Pueblo in the Western League.

LEAGUE SEASON STARTS MAY 4

Centralia Manager Here Today to Get Baseball Material.

CENTRALIA, Wash., April 14.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Centralia board of directors last night, plans were made for starting the 1912 State League season. Transportation was sent to Roche and Hollis in California, and Howard Guyn in Canada. "Dusty" Miller, Pettus and McHenry, the latter two released by Tacoma, are already here, and Manager Patton will go to Portland tomorrow on a quest for more men. Gleason will arrive from Montesano next week.

A deal is on whereby a ball park will be purchased. The subscription committee will start its canvass for funds Monday, and all those who subscribe will be given stock in both the club and the park. The club will be incorporated as soon as the required amount has been secured. No opposition will be made by the directors to the reselection of O. J. Albers as president of the State League at the meeting in Chehalis Monday, at which time officers will be elected, a schedule adopted and the transfer of franchises effected from South Bend and Raymond to Aberdeen and Hoquiam. It is planned to start the season May 4.

Weonas 5, Independents 2.

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 14.—(Special.)—The Weonas of Portland defeated the Vancouver Independents on the Tri-City grounds here today by a score of 5 to 2. Frank Troeh and Chuck Taylor were the Vancouver battery. Scott pitched for the Weonas.

STATE LEAGUE FORMS

ORGANIZATION EFFECTED AT CHEHALIS MEETING.

Aberdeen, Hoquiam, Centralia and Chehalis Will Have Teams. Season Begins May 2.

CHEHALIS, Wash., April 14.—(Special.)—The Washington State League was reorganized here today, with Aberdeen, Hoquiam, Centralia and Chehalis represented. The final successful effort to revive the organization came only after most persistent efforts on the part of Chehalis and Centralia fans, who made trips to other cities to interest them in the game.

Raymond and South Bend, which had teams in the State League last year, were unrepresented today, and their franchises were transferred to Aberdeen and Hoquiam.

O. J. Albers, of Chehalis, was re-elected president of the league, and also will act as secretary-treasurer. Henry Harlan, of Aberdeen, was chosen vice-president. A. E. Judd represented Chehalis; C. S. Gilchrist, Centralia; Thayer Lamb, Hoquiam, and H. B. Zimmerman, Aberdeen.

The season will open May 2 with games between Chehalis and Centralia at Centralia, and between the Harbor teams at their joint grounds midway between Aberdeen and Hoquiam. Four games a week will be played at the opening, and if this proves popular, will continue during the season, the weekly series beginning Thursday and closing Sunday afternoon.

The salary limit was fixed at $1100 a month. The cork-center ball was adopted officially. President Albers will select the umpires later. Manager Murray, of Chehalis, now will complete assembling the Chehalis team, and other towns will rush their teams together.

There was an enthusiastic spirit at today's meeting, and it is believed that, with the four towns now in the league, the 1912 season will prove a great success.

GIANTS WALLOP EVERETT, 8-1

James and Fullerton Too Elusive for Northern Batsmen.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 14.—(Special.)—Rube Roberts' homer in the ninth, with two out and two strikes, was all that saved Everett from a shutout at the hands of Seattle today. In two innings the Giants turned a lot of stuff and scored eight runs, three in one inning and five in the other.

Everett could not do anything with James or Fullerton and Seattle could not get to Klein, one of Barry's twirlers who finished the game for Everett, after Singleton had retired in the fifth. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Seattle	8	6	0	Everett	1	3	4

Batteries—James, Fullerton, Shea and Devogt; Singleton, Klein and Bunstine.

American Association Results.

At Toledo—Toledo 9, Kansas City 3.
At Columbus—Columbus 5, Milwaukee 4.
At Louisville—Louisville 2, St. Paul 0.
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis 12, Indianapolis 3.

A UNION SUIT

That Can't Gap in the Seat.

Men have long recognized the unequalled Summer comfort of the union suit. With no drawers to slip down, and no shirt to "bunch up," heat irritation disappears. But union suits have had one drawback. If they had a flap seat it would gap; if a buttoned-up seat it would bind in the crotch. By banishing these union suit discomforts, the Superior Union Suit became famous. This was done with a seat that can't gap because it is interlocked, like the ends of a collar; that can't bind in the crotch because it has no buttons to prevent free movement. For real Summer comfort, wear the Superior, the Perfect Union Suit. Most good dealers have it. $1 to $5.

ALL PITCHERS FAIL

Beavers Lose 2 Games, Making 10 Straight to Oakland.

RECRUIT PITCHER HIT HARD

Merry Welcome Given Girot by Oaks, Who Win, 9 to 2, in Morning—McCredie Sighs for Twirler Who Can Stem Tide.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—(Special.)—"My kingdom for a pitcher who can hold these Oaks in check" were the words in substance which Walt McCredie was murmuring to himself during the progress of the morning game.

And you will agree with Walt if you so happened to be a spectator. All week Bud Sharpe's hirelings have been larruping the Beaver hurlsmiths to all corners of the lot, Benny Henderson being the only one who had lasted a full game, but in the morning the finishing touch was applied to the work. Elmer Koestner was again hammered from the mound, and young Girot, the local bricklayer, a pitching recruit, was given a merry welcome. The result was a 9-to-2 victory for the trans-Bay boys, which made 10 consecutive wins.

Result Is Heart-Rending.

It is admitted that the Seals took a bad beating the first week, but it was nothing compared to the punishment that was doled out to the champions this series. Four two-sackers, a home run and numerous singles came off the Oaks' bats with such painful regularity that McCredie in despair gave up all hopes of victory after the third inning had passed around.

After walloping Koestner in the morning the Oaks sent the two Beaver stars, Speck Harkness and Benny Henderson, to the clubhouse this afternoon and won not only the double-header, but all five games from the Oregonians.

Portland came nearer winning a game in the afternoon than at any time during the series, when the Beavers were 4 to 1 in the lead, but the unmerciful hammering in the sixth inning, when five runs and seven hits were scored off the Harkness-Henderson duet sent them skyward and they never recovered.

Ables Delivers the Goods.

In the forenoon it was 9 to 2 when the Oaks had finished, and the afternoon session was 6 to 4 at the close, with the Beavers growing weaker and weaker. Harry Ables had one bad inning, the sixth, but though three hits and two errors helped the Portland aggregation to three runs, the southpaw tightened up in the closing innings and once more held the enemy safe.

Save for a home run by John Tiedemann, the longest yet hit into the left field bleachers section, except for that long-distance knock of Cack Henley, Harkness was doing nicely enough until Cook's single toward left started the landslide in the sixth. After two Oaks had scored and the bases were full, the hurry-up call was sent for Henderson to stop the slaughter. Benny was unequal to the occasion, and after allowing two more tallies he wended his way clubhouseward and allowed Steiger to finish the discouraging task.

Tiedemann Is Oaks Hero.

Tiedemann was the hitting hero. John opened his afternoon engagement with a home run, and followed with two long drives into right before he was through with the job. Outside of Zacher, who annexed two, the hits were evenly divided.

Art Krueger almost scored for the Beavers in the second. Starting off by hitting back of second, he was sacrificed by Doane and stole third in the same breath. Then he got his signals mixed up with Bancroft at bat, and was caught trying to negotiate a steal home.

The score:

Morning game:

Portland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Oakland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Ch'ldb'n,lf	4	2	2	0	0	Cook,ss..	5	2	3	5	0
R'dg's,2b	5	2	0	5	0	Leard,2b	4	2	5	5	1
L'ds'y,3b	5	1	1	4	1	Hoff'n,lf	5	0	1	1	1
Rapps, 1b	5	1	16	0	0	Coy,rf...	5	2	0	0	0
K'eg'r,cf	4	3	3	0	0	Zacher,cf	2	1	1	0	0
Doane,rf	4	0	0	0	0	Hett'g,3b	4	2	1	2	2
Bane't,ss	4	2	1	3	0	Sharpe,1b	3	1	14	0	0
LaL'ge,c	4	0	1	7	1	Mitze,c..	1	0	1	1	1
K'tn'r,p	1	0	0	1	0	M'rl'k'y,p	4	1	0	1	0
Girot,p..	3	0	0	4	1	Fit's'n,cf.	2	0	1	0	0
Totals	39	10	24	19	3	Totals	35	11	27	15	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	—	2
Hits	0	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	—	10
Oakland	0	2	2	3	2	0	0	0	x	—	9
Hits	0	2	2	2	3	1	1	0	x	—	11

SUMMARY.

Runs—Krueger, LaLonge, Leard 2, Coy 2, Zacher, Hetling 2, Sharpe, Malarkey. Four runs, four hits off Koestner in two and two-thirds innings. Sacrifice fly—Mitze. Home run—Coy. Two-base hits—Krueger, Coy, Hetling, Leard, Zacher. Sacrifice hit—Sharpe. First base on called calls—Off Malarkey 1, off Koestner 2, off Girot 1. Struck out—By Malarkey 1, by Girot 1. Hit by pitched ball—Mitze, by Girot. Wild pitch—Koestner, Girot. Time of game—2:00. Umpires—Casey and Hildebrand.

Afternoon game:

Portland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Oakland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Ch'ldb'n,lf	3	1	1	0	0	Cook,ss..	4	1	1	0	1
R'dg's,2b	3	0	0	2	0	Leard,2b	3	1	1	2	1
Rapps,1b	4	1	10	1	0	Hoff'n,lf	3	0	1	0	0
K'eg'r,cf	3	2	1	1	0	Coy,rf...	4	1	2	1	0
Doane,rf	3	1	1	0	0	Zacher,rf	4	2	1	0	0
Ban'ft,ss	3	1	2	3	0	Hett'g,3b	4	1	0	3	0
L'ds'y,3b	1	0	0	0	0	Sharpe,1b	4	1	14	0	0
Howley,c	4	1	4	0	0	Tied'n,c..	4	3	7	2	1
H'kn's,p..	2	0	0	2	0	Ables,p..	4	1	0	2	0
McI'rl,2b	2	0	0	2	0						
Hend'n,p	0	0	0	0	0						
Steiger,p	2	0	0	0	0						
Totals	30	7	24	10	0	Totals	34	11	27	16	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	—	4
Hits	0	1	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	—	7
Oakland	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	2	—	8
Hits	0	0	2	1	0	7	0	1	0	x	—11

SUMMARY.

Runs—Chadbourne, Krueger 2, Doane, Cook, Hoffmann, Coy, Zacher, Hetling, Tiedmann. Three runs, eight hits off Harkness. Bases full when relieved. Three runs, two hits off Henderson in two-thirds inning. Charge defeat to Harkness. Three-base hits—Doane, Bancroft, Rodgers. Sacrifice hits—Rapps, Krueger, Leard. First base on called balls—Off Harkness 1, off Steiger 1, off Ables 2. Struck out—By Harkness 2, by Henderson 1, by Steiger 1, by Ables 7. Hit by pitched ball—Krueger. Double plays—Harkness to Bancroft to Rapps. Wild pitch—Ables. Time of game—1:45. Umpires—Hildebrand and Casey.

VERNON TAKES TWO GAMES

Hitt Blanks Angels in Morning; Errors Hurt Dillonites in Second.

LOS ANGELES, April 14.—Vernon took both games from Los Angeles today. In the morning game Hitt allowed only two hits and blanked the Angels.

Los Angeles started with a lead of four runs in the second inning of the afternoon game but lost through ragged work by a patched-up infield, due to the absence of Dillon and Page from the game on account of injuries. Castleton was knocked out of the box in the second inning and Raleigh, who succeeded him, allowed only six scattered hits. The score:

Morning game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Vernon	4	6	1	Los Angeles	0	2	5

Batteries—Hitt and Agnew; Leverenz and Smith.

Afternoon game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Vernon	6	10	1	Los Angeles	4	12	4

Batteries—Castleton, Raleigh and Brown; Check and Smith.

SENATORS DEFEAT SEALS 6-3

Miller and Noyes Batted Hard by Sacramento Clouters.

SACRAMENTO, April 14.—Sacramento landed on Frank Miller and Win Noyes in the second and third innings today and scored enough runs to put them out to a safe lead for a 6 to 3 victory today.

In the third Swain drove the ball out of the lot for a home run after O'Rourke had doubled to right. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
San Fran.	3	10	4	Sacramento	6	10	2

Batteries—Miller, Noyes, Toner and Schmidt, Berry; Arrellanes and Hart. Umpires—Wheeler and Finney.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
St. Louis	2	0	1.000
Cincinnati	3	0	1.000
Boston	2	1	.667
Brooklyn	2	1	.667
Philadelphia	1	2	.333
New York	1	2	.333
Pittsburg	0	2	.000
Chicago	0	2	.000

St. Louis 5, Chicago 4.

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—Singles by Konetchy, Mowrie and Hauser in the 12th inning after one was out, gave St. Louis the first game of the opening series against Chicago. The visitors had the bases filled in the 11th with none out but fast fielding kept them from scoring. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis ..	5	17	4	Chicago	4	10	0

Batteries—Sallee and Bliss; Brown and Archer. Umpires—Johnstone and Eason.

Pittsburg 7, Cincinnati 11.

CINCINNATI, April 14.—Pittsburg used four pitchers in an effort to stop Cincinnati, but failed and the locals won. Esmond's triple with the bases full in the seventh, featured the contest. The Pittsburg players played poorly in the field. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg .	7	10	4	Cincinnati	11	11	0

Batteries—Camnitz, Leifield, Gardner, Robinson and Gibson; Suggs, Keefe and McLean. Umpires—Owens and Brennan.

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	W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	2	0	1.000
Cleveland	2	1	.500
Chicago	2	1	.500
St. Louis	2	1	.500
Detroit	2	1	.500
New York	0	3	.000
Washington	0	2	.000

Detroit 1, Cleveland 0.

CLEVELAND, April 14.—A long drive in the seventh gave Detroit victory today. Cleveland had runners on third and second with one out when Turner's drive went into Louden's hands. Detroit scored its only run on Olsen's error and Crawford's three-base hit. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland .	0	3	1	Detroit.....	1	6	0

Batteries—Kaler and Easterly; Covington and Stanage.

St. Louis 4, Chicago 1.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Although Walsh held St. Louis to four hits Chicago lost the final game of the opening series. St. Louis scored three runs in the third on Hallinan's double, a fielder's choice and Stovall's drive to center. The visitors scored again in the fourth when Walsh made two errors trying to catch Compton off base. Chicago made its only run in the seventh when Bodie singled and scored on Zeider's. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis ..	4	4	2	Chicago	1	6	3

Batteries—Baumgarten and Kritchell; Walsh and Sullivan.

Ewing Goes to St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—"Bob" Ewing, formerly a pitcher for the Philadelphia Nationals, has signed with the St. Louis Nationals. Harry Steinfeldt was released unconditionally and Frank Gilhooley was released for the season to Erie, Pa. He will return to the St. Louis club next year.

White Salmon Beats Hood River.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., April 14.—(Special.)—Hood River was walloped to the tune of 9 to 2 here today. Stockton and Keefhaver were the battery for the local team; Hart and Hall for Hood River. Stockton struck out six and allowed seven hits; Hart struck out seven and allowed eight hits. Keefhaver's hitting for White Salmon was the feature of the game.

Canby Defeats Malally, 12 to 2.

CANBY, Or., April 14.—(Special.)—Canby successfully defended its title as champion of the Willamette Valley today, defeating Malally by a score of 12 to 2. Batteries—Canby, Van Hoomissen brothers; Malally, Hart and Haines. Five hundred saw the game.

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