OAKS FINALLY IN LEAD OF LEAGUE

Sharpe's Men Take 2 Games From Beavers and Advance From Third to First.

OPENER IS 13 INNINGS

Krueger's Bad Error and Suter's Wildness Cost Second Match. Three Teams Now Closely Bunched Near Top.

Pacific Coast League Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Oakland	92	67	.579	Portland	63	67	.450
L. Angeles	89	65	.578	San Fran.	69	88	.439
Vernon	88	65	.575	Sacramento	57	94	.379

Yesterday's Results.

At San Francisco—Oakland 5-3, Portland 4-1 (first game 13 innings; second game called end fifth on account of darkness).
At Sacramento—Los Angeles 9, Sacramento 8 (10 innings).
At Los Angeles—San Francisco 18, Vernon 2.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Oakland hasn't any pity on the Oregonians and that's the reason, perhaps, that the Commuters found themselves tonight perched out in the leading position of the tightest pennant race the Coast League fans have witnessed in many a day.

With the Seals taking all the fight out of Vernon in Los Angeles, Oakland gave the Beavers the trimming of their young lives. It's not that the Portlanders care very much, because they don't figure better than the second division, it simply had to be done from an Oakland standpoint. There was a double-header to be played and Acting Captain Honus Mitze had it all figured out that by taking both games on his home ground he would have his club leading the league for the first time since early in the year. The hopes of Honus almost slipped a cog in game No. 1, when it took the Commuters 13 innings to subdue the enemy by a 5 to 4 score.

Second Game Cut Short.

Inasmuch as two games had been promised the crowd, it was decided to go through with the programme and because the hour was late and the rabid bugs already had witnessed 13 innings, by mutual consent it was agreed to cut the second session to five innings.

Now five innings just about constitute a game and thanks chiefly to Handsome Harry Suter and his wildness, the Oaks gathered it in by a 3 to 1 score, retiring the Portlanders in their last chance in the fifth, and started for the clubhouse, with the knowledge that for just this one day, if no more, they were on top of the heap.

This double-header going to Oaks along with the Angels' victory in Sacramento and the defeat of the Tigers has caused quite a shifting in the standing of the clubs. Vernon, proud leader up to some time yesterday afternoon, is shoved back to third place in the race, the Oaks jumped from nowhere to first and the Angels remain just where they were, the contenders.

Race Is Great One.

It's a great race when you can have half the league jumping in and out of the seat of honor and there is no telling where it will all wind up.

Cut down to a nicety, the Oaks are leading Los Angeles by 7-10ths of a point, which is no great margin, you'll have to admit. In games they are just half a game to the good of Henry Berry's men and one full game to the good of Vernon.

The Oaks never could call that first game their own until it was safely tucked away, Cook scoring the winning tally on a drive to right by Abbott, pinch hitter.

That five-inning game was a mixture of too much wildness by Suter and a bad error by Krueger, who dropped a fly in center. The first of the breaks came in the second. Coy was the chap who sent the fly to center that Krueger dropped. Gus Hetling planted the sphere in left field and Cook walked, filling the bases. Tiedemann, who looked healthy enough to lift the ball over the fence, only succeeded in dishing out a grounder to Rodgers, Coy being forced at the plate. Mitze was walked, sending in one of the runs, and a wild pitch by Suter tallied the other. After that there was nothing to it. Score:

First game—

	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Oakland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Chad'e,lf	6	2	3	0	0						
Banc't,ss	6	1	7	3	0	Leard,2b.	6	0	1	6	0
Fisher,2b	1	0	0	0	0	Palte'n,lf	4	1	2	0	0
Rod'a,2b.	5	2	3	4	1	Zacher,cf	6	5	5	0	0
Krue'r,cf	5	0	0	0	0	Coy,rf...	5	1	3	1	0
Baker,3b	5	1	1	2	0	Hetl'g,3b	6	0	2	1	1
Doane,rf	5	1	1	0	0	Cook,ss..	4	2	3	5	0
Rapps,1b	4	2	10	2	2	Tied'n,1b	5	1	15	1	1
Fisher,c..	5	1	12	4	0	Mitze,c..	4	2	8	2	0
Gregg,p..	3	0	0	2	0	Malar'y,p	4	0	1	2	0
Hark's,p.	2	0	0	0	0	*Abbott..	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	47	10	37	17	3	Totals	45	11	39	18	2

*Batted for Malarkey in 13th. One out when winning run scored.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	0 0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
Hits	1 0 2 2 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 2—10
Oakland	1 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—5
Hits	1 0 2 0 0 0 1 2 1 0 1 1 2—11

SUMMARY.

Runs—Rodgers, Krueger, Rapps, Fisher, Leard 2, Zacher, Cook 2. Home run—Fisher. Three-base hits—Tiedemann, Bancroft. Two-base hits—Coy, Chadbourne. Sacrifice hits—Malarkey, Patterson, Rapps, Tiedemann. Stolen bases—Leard, Patterson, Zacher, Cook. First base on called balls—Off Gregg 5, Malarkey 1. Struck out—By Gregg 6, Harkness 4, by Malarkey 8. Hit by pitcher—Mitze. Four runs and 8 hits off Gregg in 7 1-3 innings with two on bases. Charge defeat to Harkness. Double plays—Fisher to Bancroft; Rapps to Bancroft. Time of game—2:50. Umpires—Newhouse and Hildebrand.

Second game—

	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Oakland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Portland—											
Chad'e,lf	3	1	0	0	0	Leard,2b.	2	0	0	2	0
Banc't,ss	2	0	2	2	0	Palte'n,lf	2	0	0	0	0
Rod'a,2b.	2	0	0	4	0	Zacher,cf	2	0	1	0	0
Krue'r,cf	2	1	1	0	1	Coy,rf...	2	0	1	0	0
Butc'r,3b	2	1	3	0	1	Hetl'g,3b	2	2	1	2	0
Doane,rf	1	0	0	1	0	Cook,ss..	0	0	1	0	0
Rapps,1b	1	0	4	0	0	Tied'n,1b.	1	0	5	0	0
Howley,c	2	0	2	1	0	Mitze,c..	1	0	6	0	0
Suter,p..	2	0	0	2	0	Greg'ry,p	2	0	0	0	0
Baker,3b	0	0	0	0	0						
*Fisher..	1	0	0	0	0	Totals	14	2	15	4	0
Totals	18	3	12	10	2						

*Batted for Rapps in fourth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	0 0 0 1 0—1
Hits	0 0 0 0 0—0
Oakland	0 2 0 1 *—3
Hits	0 1 0 1 *—2

SUMMARY.

Runs—Rodgers, Hetling 2, Cook. Two-base hit—Butcher. Sacrifice hit—Cook. Stolen base—Hetling. First base on called balls—Off Suter 3, off Gregory 1. Struck out—By Suter 1, by Gregory 1. Wild pitch—Suter. Time of game—38 minutes. Umpires—Newhouse and Hildebrand.

VERNON HUMBLED BY SEALS

Miller Holds Tigers to Five Hits and Wins His Game, 10 to 2.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 12.—San Francisco won today's game from Vernon, 10 to 2. San Francisco hit Castleton frequently, while Miller held Vernon down to five scattered hits. Vernon made its first run in the second and the next tally was made in the following inning, when Carlisle went to third, after Howard dropped his long fly. Kane sent a sacrifice fly to Zimmerman, Carlisle scoring. Bayless singled to center, R. Brashear singled to center, putting Bayless on second. N. Brashear hit into a double play, going out with R. Brashear at second.

R. Brashear complained to Umpire Wheeler regarding the close decision, and was ordered off the field. Burrell was also ordered from the field for siding in with Brashear. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Vernon...	2	5	3	San Fran	10	14	2

Batteries—Castleton and Brown; Miller and Berry.

ANGELS QUIT LOSING GAMES

Senators Force Dillon's Men to Go 10 Innings Before Decision.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 12.—After losing six consecutive games, Los Angeles overcome a three-run lead by bunching hits off Gilligan in the eighth inning today, tying the score at eight-all. In the first and the 10th, Pitcher Vernon drew a walk, went to third on Howard's single over second, and scored on Gilligan's wild pitch, giving the visitors a 9 to 8 victory over Sacramento.

Swain, who had started a four-run rally in the fifth with a home run, hit to the left field fence for a triple in the last of the 10th. Orr fouled to Dillon and Miller filed to Lober, closing the inning and spoiling Sacramento's chance for tying the score. Slagle lasted less than one inning, being replaced by McCafferty, after three hits and three walks had netted the Senators three runs. McCafferty gave way to a pinch-hitter in the eighth, Vernon finishing the game. Fitzgerald pitched good ball for four innings, but was relieved by a pinch-hitter in the fifth. Gilligan finished the game and was wild. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Los Ang..	9	15	1	Sacramen.	8	17	2

Batteries—Slagle, McCafferty, Vernon and Boles; Fitzgerald, Gilligan and Cheek.

Baseball Manager Leaves.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—J. P. Murray, the ex-manager of Chehalis' champion ball team in the Washington State League, left Tuesday with his family for San Jose, Cal., where he will engage in business.

Baseball Statistics

STANDING OF THE LEAGUES.

American League.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston....	95	58	.714	Detroit....	62	74	.456
Phila.....	81	53	.605	Cleveland..	59	75	.440
Wash'gton	81	55	.596	New York.	48	85	.361
Chicago...	64	69	.481	St. Louis..	46	87	.349

National League.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York.	93	46	.699	Phila.....	63	69	.477
Chicago...	82	50	.621	St. Louis...	56	78	.418
Pittsburg.	80	52	.602	Brooklyn..	50	83	.376
Cincinnati.	67	68	.497	Boston.....	41	91	.311

American Association.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Minneap..	100	57	.637	Milwaukee.	72	81	.471
Columbus.	94	63	.600	St. Paul...	72	83	.465
Toledo....	90	63	.588	Louisville..	62	94	.397
Kan. City.	77	77	.500	Indianap...	54	103	.345

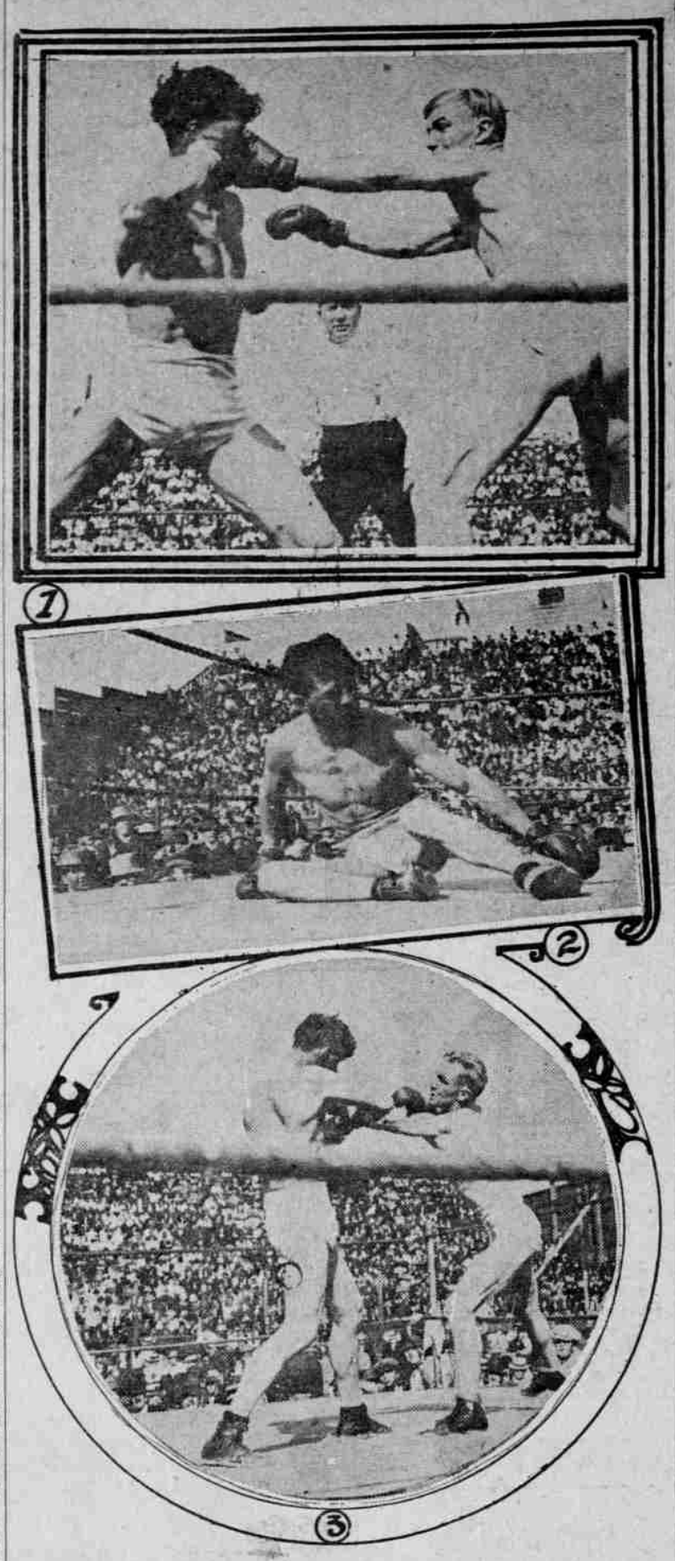
Western League.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Denver....	88	58	.597	Lincoln....	72	74	.493
Omaha....	77	61	.558	Sioux City.	68	75	.475
St. Joseph.	80	65	.552	Wichita....	69	77	.473
Des Moines	75	67	.528	Topeka.....	48	97	.331

Yesterday's Results.

American Association—Columbus 7, Indianapolis 2.
Western League—Sioux City 5, Topeka 2; Lincoln 3, Omaha 2; Denver 10, St. Joseph 1.

FIRST PHOTOGRAPHS OF FRANKIE BURNS - "ONE-ROUND" HOGAN LIGHTWEIGHT BATTLE IN SAN FRANCISCO.



1—"ONE ROUND" HOGAN BLOCKING LEFT JAB TO THE JAW. 2—HOGAN DOWN IN THE EARLY STAGES OF THE BATTLE. 3—FRANKIE BURNS (AT RIGHT) DELIVERING STRAIGHT LEFT.

BIG PURSE OFFERED

$50,000 Is Lure Which May Take Johnson Abroad.

TWO BOUTS ARE PROPOSED

Australian Promoter Would Pit Negro Champion Against Langford and Jeannette or McVey in Ring at Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—W. C. P. Kelley, of Sydney, Australia, brother-in-law of Promoter Hugh D. McIntosh, and representative of the syndicate that handles the boxing game in Sydney, arrived here today on the steamship Ventura. Kelley's mission is to negotiate with Champion Jack Johnson for two fights in Australia, one against Sam Langford and the other with either Jeannette or McVey. The arrangements for the matches have been conducted through Tom S. Andrews, of Milwaukee, Wis. The quibble was over the deposit of the $50,000 that was promised Johnson for the bouts and Kelley is here to handle that part of the business.

"There is no question about the money," said Kelley. "McIntosh is ready to pay Johnson $30,000 for a fight with Sam Langford; $15,000 for a second fight with either McVey or Jeannette and $5000 expenses. He did object to making a deposit with a man he was not acquainted with and that was why he hesitated to put up the money with Alderman Tierney, of Chicago. He prefers to make a deposit of $10,000 with the First National Bank of Chicago."

BURNS NOT TO FIGHT FLYNN

Former Champion Says Business Interests Will Prevent Match.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 12.—The proposed fight between Jim Flinn and former heavyweight champion Tommy Burns was declared off today. Manager McCarey, of the Vernon Club, received word from Burns that business interests at Calgary, Alberta Province, would not permit of his actively returning to the ring.

Burns' message, it was thought here, also disposed of the rumors that Burns was to return to the prizering in an attempt to regain the laurels wrested from him by Jack Johnson.

Joe Patchen II Wins.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Joe Patchen II proved the speediest of the field in the Syracuse $5000 feature event of today's grand circuit meeting, winning in straight heats. The Canadian stallion's best time was 2:04 1-4. It was Cheney all the way in the 2:09 trot.

Public entertainments of London given on Sunday are attended by 200,000 persons.

INDIANS SET BACK BY COLT SLUGGERS

Portland Drives Strand From Mound and Scores Six in Fifth Inning.

FIVE-RUN LEAD OVERCOME

Spokane Drops From First to Second Place in League Race—Errors Mar Early Part of Game. Steiger Pitches Good Ball.

Northwestern League Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Seattle	84	64	.568	Portland ..	69	77	.473
Spokane ..	83	65	.561	Victoria ...	66	82	.446
Vancouver	83	67	.553	Tacoma ...	59	89	.398

Yesterday's Results.

At Portland—Portland 6, Spokane 5.
At Vancouver—Vancouver 8, Tacoma 3.
At Seattle—Seattle 3, Victoria 1.

BY JAMES H. CASSELL.

After practically presenting Spokane with the third straight game of the series by a tragedy of execrable baseball such as seldom is seen on a Northwestern League lot, the Colts rallied in a sensational fifth-inning slugging bee, drove Paul Strand from the mound and converted almost certain rout into a 6-5 victory, which tumbled the Indians into second place in the strenuous pennant tussle.

"Skin" Harris, the Colt receiver, was the center of the second inning storm of disaster. He erred woefully three times at critical moments, and then added another miscue in the fourth inning, bringing down upon his head the opprobrium of the crowd. But, strange to say, this same "Skin" is the lad who started the swatfest which drove Paul Strand from the mound and the Indians into second place.

Spokane Gains Big Lead.

The two innings, with a Spokane contribution in the fourth, tell the story of the game. In the second inning Hartley opened with a fly to deep right center. Mahoney just placed his glove on the ball, but failed to hold it, "Chick" going to second. Johnson bunted in front of the plate and Harris foolishly tried to catch Hartley at third. Altman singled past third, Peterson, the Tillamook recruit, failing to go after the easy grounder, and Hartley scored. Cartwright bunted to "Lefty" Steiger and that worthy unwisely tossed to third in a vain effort to nip Johnson, filling the bases.

Ostdiek hit to Steiger and Harris dropped the ball, Johnson scoring. Strand hit to Coltrin and Harris again dropped the ball, Altman scoring. Myers hit to Peterson, forcing Cartwright at the plate, but Harris tossed wide to Williams in an effort to pull off a double play, and Ostdiek scored. Strand should have tallied, but Hartley held him at third. Cooney fanned and Powell filed out, but four runs had scored.

Myers Caught Asleep.

In the fourth Ostdiek doubled with two gone and scored on Strand's infield out and Myers' single to left. Myers was caught asleep off first and was thus robbed of a chance to bring his base-stealing total to an even 100 bases.

The fifth inning spelled doom for the Redskins, eight hits, scoring six runs. Harris opened with a single over short. Coltrin doubled to left, scoring Harris. Peterson flied out to deep center, Coltrin taking third. Steiger singled over second, scoring Coltrin. Mahoney beat out a hard one to Cooney. Speas drove the ball to center, scoring Steiger. At this point Ostdiek had decided to inject "Chief" Cadreau into the fray, but changed his mind when he noticed Fries, a left-handed batter, approaching the plate. To his dismay Fries doubled to right center, scoring Mahoney and Speas.

Cadreau Goes to Relief.

Cadreau then took his place on the mound, with the score tied and Fries on second. McDowell fanned, but Williams singled over second, sending Fries home for the winning run. Harris secured his second hit in the inning, but Coltrin grounded out.

The score:

Spokane—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Portland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Myers, 1b	5	2	8	1	0	Mah'ey,cf	4	1	2	0	0
Clo'ry,ss.	5	0	4	5	0	Speas,lf..	4	2	0	0	0
Powell,lf	4	0	2	0	0	Fries,rf..	3	1	4	0	0
Hart'y,cf	4	1	2	1	0	McD'll2b,	4	2	1	0	0
Pohn'n,rf	3	0	1	0	0	Will's,1b.	4	1	7	0	0
Alt'an,3b	4	1	1	2	0	Harris,c.	4	2	10	1	4
Cart'rt,2b	3	1	1	0	0	Coltrin,ss	3	2	2	1	0
Ostdiek,c	3	1	5	1	0	Peter'n,3b	4	0	1	4	0
Strand,p.	2	0	0	1	0	Steiger,p.	3	1	0	3	0
Cad'au,p	1	0	0	1	0						
Devogt*.	1	0	0	0	0	Totals	33	12	27	9	6
Totals	35	6	24	12	0						

*Batted for Cadreau in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Spokane	0 4 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—5
Hits	0 2 0 2 0 1 0 0 1—6
Portland	0 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 *—6
Hits	0 1 0 0 8 0 2 1 *—12

SUMMARY.

Runs—Hartley, Johnson, Altman, Ostdiek 2, Mahoney, Speas, Fries, Harris, Coltrin, Steiger. Struck out—By Strand 3, by Cadreau 3, by Steiger 6. Bases on balls—Off Strand 1. Two-base hits—Hartley, Ostdiek, Coltrin 2, Fries, Cartwright. Double plays—Myers to Cooney; Cooney to Myers. Sacrifice hits—Johnson, Cartwright. Stolen base—Myers. Hit by pitched ball—Fries, by Strand. Passed ball—Ostdiek. Innings pitched—By Strand, 4 1-3. Charge defeat to Strand. Base hits—Off Strand, 7, runs 5. Time of game, 1:45. Umpire—Van Haltren.

Notes of the Game.

Kraft or Toner will pitch for the Indians today, opposed by Eastley, of the Colts.

Mahoney was presented with a $50 check for hitting the bull early in the season. The presentation was made at the plate by Mr. Metzger. Chris followed with a strikeout.

Peterson is a husky lad and should develop into a good player. However, he acted like a raw recruit yesterday, making two bad pegs to first and failing to go after one grounder.

Coltrin was caught at third in the eighth inning trying to stretch a double into a triple. Hartley made a splendid peg to Altman.

A double-header will wind up the series Sunday, starting at 2 o'clock.

President McCredie attended the game for the first time during the week. He has just completed moving to Portland.

Osborne, the Colt heaver, has been sent home for the remainder of the season. He will report at Spring training.

Indian yells, or imitations of those noises, greeted Cadreau when he took his station on the mound.

The teams are now tied for the series, with two games each.

ERRORS COST TIGERS GAME

Vancouver Wins, 8 to 3—Tacoma Puts Nine Miscues Into Contest.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 12.—Errors at critical stages on the part of Geirger, coupled with unsteady pitching, gave the champions an easy 8-to-3 victory here today. The score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Tacoma....	3	4	9	Vancouver.	8	11	3

Batteries—Belford and LaLonge; Byram and Sepulveda, Lewis.

LUCK AIDS VICTORY BY BUGS

Bees Put Men on Bases in Seven Innings, but Lose, 3 to 1.

SEATTLE, Sept. 12.—A combination of good ballplaying and luck aided Seattle to win from Victoria 3 to 1 today, and go into first place in the race for the Northwestern League pennant, Spokane dropping to second by losing to Portland. Seattle made two runs in the second inning, when Mann and Raymond hit safe and Whaling hit down the third base line, McCreery throwing the ball wide. In the eighth the Bugs added another tally on Whaling's home run. Victoria had men on bases in seven of the nine innings, but only one scored. The score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Victoria....	1	6	2	Seattle.....	3	8	1

Batteries — McCreery and Meek; Thompson and Whaling.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis 4-1, New York 2-4.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—New York and St. Louis split a double-header, Harmon winning a pitchers' battle for St. Louis in the first game. Mathewson was taken out in the eighth to make room for a pinch hitter and Randall, his successor, yielded the visitors their winning run.

In the second game New York won in the fourth, when they bunched four of their six hits with two passes and an error. Ellis' hitting was the feature of the double-header. The scores:

First game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
New York	3	6	4	St. Louis ...	4	6	2

Batteries—Mathewson and Wilson; Harmon and Bresnahan.

Second game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis ...	1	5	1	New York ..	4	6	2

Batteries—Geyer, Greiner and Wingo; Tesreau and Wilson.

Boston 7-7, Chicago 0-4.

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—Boston took a double-header from Chicago. In the opening contest Boston drove Toney from the box during the third innihg with five consecutive hits, on which four runs were scored. Two more runs came in that inning, after Reulbach went to Toney's relief. Chicago was unable to hit Hess, who was forced to leave the game in the eighth inning because of a split thumb. Timely hitting and excellent fielding gave Boston the second game. The scores:

First game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Boston.....	7	8	2	Chicago.....	0	8	2

Batteries—Hess, Perdue and Rariden; Toney, Reulbach and Cotter.

Second game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Chicago....	4	7	4	Boston.....	7	8	1

Batteries—Pierce, Lavender, Reulbach and Cotter; Tyler, Perdue and Rariden.

Brooklyn 1-4, Cincinnati 0-6.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 12.—Ragon, pitching for Brooklyn, beat Benton, of Cincinnati, in the first game of a double-header in one hour and ten minutes, said to be a record for swiftness in the National League. Gregory started against Rucker in the second game, but was found for five hits and four runs in the second inning. He was succeeded by McGraynor, who had Brooklyn helpless. The scores:

First game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn...	1	4	0	Cincinnati..	0	3	0

Batteries—Ragon and Miller; Benton and Clarke.

Second game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati..	6	9	0	Brooklyn...	4	8	1

Batteries—Gregory, McGrayner and Severoid; Rucker and Erwin, Miller.

Pittsburg 7, Philadelphia 3.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—By winning from Philadelphia this afternoon while Chicago was losing two games at Boston, Pittsburg made a big gain in its efforts to land second place in the National League race. It was Pittsburg's third straight victory here. The visitors won by hitting Alexander's delivery hard in the eighth and ninth innings. In the three games here the Pittsburg players have made 48 hits. The score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg..	7	15	1	Philadelphia	3	6	2

Batteries — Hendrix and Gibson; Alexander and Killifer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston 3, Chicago 1.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Boston made a clean sweep of the series with Chicago today, Lange and O'Brien faced each other in a pitchers' duel, in which the former weakened in the eighth inning, after one man was out. Yerkes was walked and Speaker filed out. Lewis walked and Gardner also drew a pass, filling the bases. Stahl then doubled, scoring Yerkes, Lewis and Gardner.

Chicago's lone run came in the eighth. After one was out, Mattick tripled to center and scored on Collins' single. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Chicago...	1	8	1	Boston....	3	4	0

Batteries — Lange and Easterly; O'Brien and Cady.

Philadelphia 3, Detroit 0.

DETROIT, Sept. 12.—Covaleski, a recruit, held Detroit to three scattered hits and shut out the home team. Only one local player reached second. Wheatley, also a recruit, pitched good ball for Detroit. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Detroit...	0	3	1	Philadel..	3	7	2

Batteries—Wheatley, Covington and Stanage; Covaleski and Egan.

Washington 3, Cleveland 2.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 12.—Washington wound up its series in Cleveland by winning. The pitching was even, but Mitchell's three-base hit and a wild throw in the seventh inning allowed Washington to score the winning run. Henry was put out of the game for protesting a third strike. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Washing..	3	6	1	Cleveland.	2	7	1

Batteries—Groom and Henry. Williams; Mitchell, Kahler and O'Neill.

St. Louis 3, New York 0.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 12.—Mark Allison held New York to five scattered hits, three of them going to Lelivelt, while his teammates hit Warhop opportunely. St. Louis winning. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis.	3	8	2	New York	0	5	3

Batteries—Allison and Alexander; Warhop, Keating and Sweeney.

BALLPLAYER'S DEATH VIOLENT

Coroner's Jury Holds Man Who Fought Raymond for Crime.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Arthur L. Raymond, known to the baseball public as "Bugs," came to his death from internal hemorrhages and injuries to his brain due to external violence, according to a verdict of a Coroner's jury today.

Fred Cigrang, 26 years old, was held to the grand jury, accused of causing Raymond's death.

Witnesses testified that Cigrang kicked Raymond into unconsciousness in a fight, September 1.

Raymond was found dead in a downtown hotel last Saturday.

Jennings and Vitt Suspended.

DETROIT, Sept. 12.—Manager Hugh Jennings and Oscar Vitt, of the Detroit American League baseball team, today received suspension notices from President Johnson as the result of their conduct during yesterday's game with Philadelphia. Umpire Connolly ordered Jennings off the field when the manager protested a decision and later in the game Umpire Hart treated Vitt, who had been coaching, in the same manner. The length of the suspensions have not been learned.

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MRS. IRWIN LOSER

Mrs. Northup Qualifies for Semi-Finals in Handicap.

TENNIS RACE NARROWING

Mrs. Northup, Miss Kurtz and Miss Schaefer to Vie in Championships, and Misses Campbell, Fording and Mann in Handicaps.

Following her Wednesday victory over Miss Stella Fording in the club championship singles, Mrs. W. I. Northup worked her way into the semi-finals of the women's open handicap singles event of the Irvington Club's Fall tennis tournament yesterday afternoon, defeating Mrs. Bert Irwin, of Breakers, in an exciting net struggle, 8-6, 6-2.

Mrs. Northup is the only entrant in the semi-finals of both singles events. She meets Miss Anne Kurtz this afternoon to see who is to meet Miss Myrtle Schaefer in the club championship finals, and is scheduled to play Miss Irene Campbell, the winner to meet Miss Fording or Miss Dorothy Mann for the open handicap crown.

The club championship men's singles is down to five men. Stewart meets Von Weidner this morning to determine who will play Wakeman in the afternoon. The winner of the latter match meets the winner of the Cook-Goss match for the title.

Many long matches necessitated the postponement of several numbers on yesterday's programme, and the day's play, replete with semi-finals, will be a strenuous one on all courts if the players are to be ready for the finals Saturday afternoon. The committee announces that all matches scheduled for today must be played to make way for the finals.

The "loggers" championship, credited to Walter Brewer after his victory over Dave Stewart Wednesday, is still in possession of the latter, a match early in the season settling the question of supremacy.

The results of yesterday's matches:

Men's singles (open handicap)—Tarrilton beat Fleming, 6-3, 7-7, default; Gill beat Lieutenant Lentz, 6-2, 6-4; Main beat Tarrilton, 6-4, 6-0.

Mixed doubles (semi-finals)—Miss Houghton and Winch beat Miss Weidler and Cookingham, 14-16, 6-2, 6-2.

Women's singles (open handicap)—Mrs. Northup beat Mrs. Irwin, 8-6, 6-2; Miss Fording beat Mrs. Gregg, 6-3, 6-3.

Women's doubles—Mrs. Raley and Miss Kurtz beat Mrs. Northup and Miss Parker, 7-9, 7-5, 6-4.

Men's singles (club championship)—Cooke beat Munger, 4-6, 6-0, 6-0.

Women's singles (club championship)—Miss Schaefer beat Mrs. Judge, 6-0, 6-1.

Junior singles (girls)—Miss Downes beat Miss Collins, 6-3, 6-3.

Junior singles (boys)—Kyle beat Pratt, 6-0, 6-1; Wolfard beat Wastell, 6-3, 6-4; Wood beat McLean, 6-4, 6-0; Bent beat Whitney, 6-2, 6-1.

The schedule for today:

10 A. M.—Cookingham vs. Von Wiedner.

11 A. M.—Miss Fording vs. Miss Mann; Mrs. Northup vs. Miss Kurtz (club championship); Von Wiedner vs. Stewart (club championship); Miss Geisler vs. Slotboom (junior).

1:30 P. M.—Winner of Von Wiedner vs. Stewart match vs. Wakeman (club championship); Miss Campbell and Mrs. Judge vs. Mrs. Raley and Miss Kurtz; Miss Fording and Miss Schaefer vs. Mrs. Irwin and Mrs. Gregg; Kyle vs. Wolfard (junior); Bent vs. Wood (junior).

2:30 P. M.—Gill vs. winner of Wakeman vs. Brewer match; Cooke vs. Goss (club championship); winner of Miss Slotboom vs. Miss Geisler vs. Miss Downes (junior); Miss Page vs. Miss Mann (junior); winner of Von Wiedner vs. Cookingham match vs. Main.

3:30 P. M.—Lieutenant Lentz and Lieutenant Taylor vs. West and Durham; Gerrill and Brewer vs. Munger and Butler; Miss Campbell vs. Mrs. Northup; Humphry and Holbrook vs. Cooke and Gill.

4:30 P. M.—Shives and Main vs. winner of Gerrill and Brewer vs. Munger and Butler match.

Sporting Sparks

THE next Northwestern League meeting will likely be held in Seattle, September 30, the day after the close of the Northwestern League season. Routine matters incidental to the windup of the year, and the coming National association meeting in Milwaukee will be on the boards.

Catcher Tub Hackett, who went East to try out with Harry Wolverton at New York and was later turned over to a bush outfit, is back in Stockton with the declaration that he will never—no "nevair"—play baseball again.

That the mile-a-minute boat is almost here was demonstrated in the one-mile international trophy race recently on Huntington Harbor, when the Tech, Jr., owned by Colonel T. Coleman du Pont, of Wilmington, Del., covered the mile at the speed of 58.36 statute miles an hour, a new world's record. Three times back and forth over a two-mile course the Tech averaged 40.4 miles an hour, which is less than the record made by the Oregon Wolf on a 30-mile jaunt around a six-mile course.

The names of the incorporators of the new Players' Protective Association are Robert Byrne, Pittsburg; William Carrigan, Boston Americans; Tyrus Cobb, Detroit; Samuel Crawford, Detroit; J. E. Daubert, Brooklyn; M. J. Doolan, Phillies; J. J. Evers, Chicago Cubs; Davis L. Fultz, attorney; Arthur Griggs, Cleveland; John P. Henry, Washington; Miller J. Huggins, St. Louis Nationals; Christy Mathewson, New York Giants; D. B. Pratt, St. Louis Americans; Edward Sweeney, New York Americans; William J. Sweeney, Boston Nationals.

Jess Garrett, the old Portland twirler who managed Pendleton this season, expects to get back in the harness as a real estate salesman. Jess declares he is through with baseball now for all time. He made the same prediction a year ago, but says he means it this time.

Harry Wolverton closed a contract with the Jersey City club the other day whereby the Yankees and Skeeters will use jointly the only Spring training camp at Bermuda next Spring. Jersey trained in Bermuda in March and did not miss a day in the three weeks,