FANS AT VICTORIA HOOT BEE HURLER

Colts Cheered as They Pound McCreery After Home Product Is Derricked.

FAIR TRIAL FOR BOY ASKED

Portland Wins, 9 to 6, and Clinches Hold on Top of Second Division. Spectators Resent Removal of Steele.

Northwestern League Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Seattle...	96	66	.593	Portland..	74	80	.462
Spokane..	94	79	.572	Victoria...	71	92	.436
Vancouver	91	73	.556	Tacoma...	62	101	.380

Yesterday's Results.

At Seattle—Seattle 4, Tacoma 0.
At Victoria—Portland 9, Victoria 6.
At Vancouver—Vancouver 6, Spokane 1.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 26.—(Special.)—Portland won from Victoria 9 to 6 and clinched the position at the top of the second division today in a game that was full of interest until the sixth inning when, with the score 2 to 1 in favor of the home talent, the bases full and two men down, Bobby Steele, a Victoria product was lifted. Steele had pitched himself out of a bad hole in the fifth and the fans were peeved because a chance to repeat the performance wasn't given him.

Bee Hurler Hooted.

They greeted McCreery, the relief boxman, with hoots and when Burch, who replaced Agnew at bat drilled the first ball pitched to the fence and three runs strolled over they cheered themselves hoarse. They kept up the rebellious noise while Mahoney clouted the ball safely and Weed erred as a result of which two more runs were scored. The side was retired by Speas interfering with Rawlings on Fries' hard drive.

Agnew's pitching was sound except in the second period when Victoria got three hits. Steiger and Burch were the batteries for Portland from the sixth on and the former was safe until the ninth when a batfest that almost brought about his retirement netted the Bees four counters. Steiger's hot one over the fence following Williams' single, gave the visitors two runs in the seventh and in the ninth Williams singled, stole second and then came home on Cruikshank's one bagger.

Steele Looks Like Find.

The fielding of both teams was ragged. Steele had his first real trial in professional company. He has all the ear marks of a good twirler. Only one clean hit was made off him. He was nervous in the first inning and walked three men and overthrew first. Nick Williams has picked up a catcher, Drollett, who was recommended to him by Danny Shea. Drollett is only 17 years of age. Score:

Portland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Victoria—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
M'on'y,cf	4	1	4	0	0	Dan'ls,cf	4	0	4	1	0
Speas,3b.	4	1	0	4	1	Raw'gs,ss	5	1	2	3	0
Fries,rf	5	1	3	1	0	Brooks,1b	5	1	8	0	0
M'w'l,2b	4	0	1	1	2	Meek,c...	5	3	5	0	0
Willr's,1b	4	3	9	0	0	Weed,3b.	5	1	1	2	1
Harris,c.	3	0	5	1	0	Cl'm'f'n,rf	4	2	1	0	0
Steiger,p	2	1	0	0	0	Kellar,2b	4	0	1	2	0
Coltr'n,ss	5	0	1	0	0	Harmon,lf	4	1	4	0	0
Cruik'k,lf	3	2	1	0	0	Steele,p.	2	1	0	0	0
Agnew,p	1	0	0	1	0	M'Cr'ry,p	1	0	0	0	0
Burch,c.	3	1	2	0	0	*Kenn'dy,	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	10	27	8	3	Totals	40	12	27	8	4

*Batted for McCreery in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Portland	1	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	1	—9
Victoria	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	—6

SUMMARY.

Runs—Mahoney 2, McDowell, Williams 3, Steiger, Cruikshank, Burch, Rawlings, Meek, Weed, Clementson, Harmon, Kennedy. Stolen bases—Williams 2. Two-base hit—Harmon. Home run—Steiger. Double plays—Daniels to Rawlings; Fries to Williams. Pitchers' record—Two hits, four runs off Steele in five and two-thirds innings; seven hits and five runs off McCreery in three and one-third innings; four hits, two runs off Agnew in five innings; eight hits, four runs off Steiger in four innings. Struck out—Steele 5, Agnew 4, Steiger 2. Bases on balls—Off Steele 7, off Agnew 1, McCreery 1. Wild pitch—Steiger. Time, 1:55. Umpire—Van Haltren.

SPOKANE LOSES TO VANCOUVER

Noyes Is Hit Hard and 1911 Champions Take Game, 6 to 1.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 26.—The 1911 champions had little difficulty in solving the offerings of Noyes today and they won by a score of 6 to 1.

Schmutz was steady for the 1911 champions and kept the eight hits well scattered. Ostdiek was chased from the grounds by Umpire Toman for disputing decisions. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Spokane..	1	8	1	Vancouver.	6	12	2

Batteries — Noyes and Devogt; Schmutz and Lewis.

BUGS WIN ON TIMELY HITTING

Meikle Pitches Shutout Ball and Defeats Tigers, 4 to 0.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 26.—Meikle was invincible today and Seattle won from Tacoma 4 to 0. Both teams played fast ball in the field and six double plays were scored. Hunt pitched a good game for Tacoma, but timely hitting and a bad throw to the plate by Holderman combined to give the Bugs their scores. Nill was the star in the field. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Tacoma...	0	7	2	Seattle....	4	7	1

Batteries—Hunt and Crittenden; Meikle and Whaling.

RECORDS GO AT STOCKTON

Haltamont, Oregon Pacer, Wins in Straight Heats in 2:11 Class.

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 26.—Record-breaking performances of light harness horses featured the second day of the breeders' meeting. Junior Dan Patch won the 2:08 pace, in which the fastest five heats on record on the Pacific Coast were reeled off. Alberta won the first and second heats in 2:03 3-4 and 2:06 respectively.

The Coast record for three-year-old pacers was broken by Hemet. Leonid took the first heat, but Budd Doble's colt had little trouble in winning the last three heats.

Haltamont, the crack Oregon horse, won the 2:11 pace in straight heats.

The biggest race of the meet will be held tomorrow. The breeders' futurity for three-year-old trotters will be contested by Baby Doll, Wilber Lou and Albaloma, three of the fastest youngsters on the Coast. The summary:

Breeders' futurity, 3-year-old pacing, purse $1000—Hemet, br. c. (by George W. McKinney-Lady Zombro), won; Leonid, second; Aeroletta third. Best time, 2:08¾.

2:08 class, pacing, purse $1000—Jr. Dan Patch, bl. h. (by Dan Patch), won; Alberta, second; Aerolite third. Best time, 2:03¾.

2:11 class, pacing, purse $1000—Haltamont, b. h. (by Hal. B.), won; Star Bruno second; Cleopatra third. Best time, 2:07¾.

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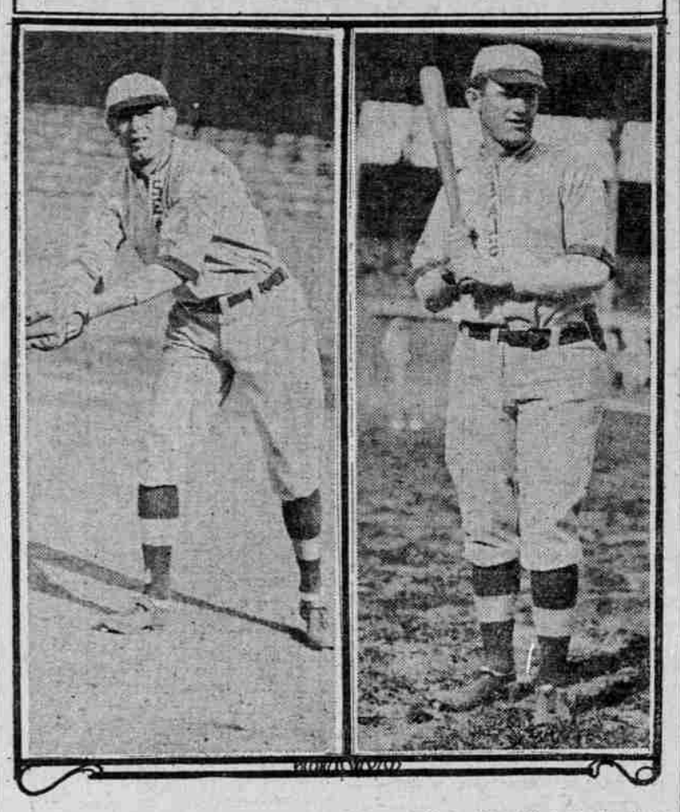
SCENES FROM SAN FRANCISCO'S THIRD DEFEAT BY BEAVERS, SHOWING TWO NEW SEAL STARS.



Top—Action View Showing Bill Rapps Safe at Third, After Fisher's Single in the Fifth Inning. Below—(Left) Second Baseman Wagner, Secured by San Francisco From York, in the Tri-State League. (Right) Matty McIntyre, Seal Outfielder, Purchased From Chicago White Sox. McIntyre Played With Detroit for Seven Seasons Prior to Going to Chicago.

CUB LEADER ANGRY

Chance Denies That Members of Team Live Loosely.

CHARGES CALLED INSULT

Murphy's Statements Bitterly Resented—Manager Says Pitchers Do Not Smoke and That Men Drink in Moderation.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Frank Chance, manager of the Chicago Cubs, lying in a private hospital, still weak from the effects of a recent operation, made indignant reply today to charges by President Charles W. Murphy that loose living and training methods had lost the Chicago Nationals the pennant for 1912.

"I believe I have the best behaved baseball team in either league," Chance said. "Most of these players take a glass of beer after the game and I consider that beneficial. Not one of my men ever takes a drink in the morning or between games. I made a rule this year that none of my pitchers should smoke cigarettes and I think they have lived up to this rule.

"Murphy only thinks of the team when it is winning. The team for my sake plays harder when I am away than when I am with it. It wants to finish in second place and so do I, and I want to meet the White Sox in the post-season series. These charges of Murphy's will make it hard to accomplish either of these things. Of course, his statements reflect upon me personally and I have been in the business too long to allow Murphy or anyone else to insult me."

Chance will be back in Chicago in time to direct his club during the playing of the series with the Sox if such a series is arranged.

M'CREDIE TAKES NO CHANCES

Klawitter to Be Used in Exhibition Game Against Colts.

While Walter McCredie, manager of the Beavers, talks of the impending clash with the Portland Northwestern League team in a nonchalant fashion, it is evident that the Pacific Coast manager isn't taking any chances.

He announced several days ago that he would use whatever pitcher came in turn next Monday, but the fact that he has so arranged the pitching calendar that Klawitter comes up Monday shows that Walter is not only a crafty manipulator, but that he likes Nick Williams' crew about as a percussion cap loves dynamite.

"Let's see, it's Klawitter's turn Friday and Suter's likely Saturday, leaving me Higginbotham, Koestner and Harkness for the Sunday double-header," said Walt last night, as he furrowed his brow in perplexity. "Yes, it will be Klawitter Monday against the Colts."

Nick Williams, manager of the Class B club, is aiming to use either Eastley or Doty.

Manager McCredie declared yesterday that he had enough managing to do in the Coast games without sitting on the bench in exhibition games. He will show his disdain for the B leaguers by wearing his store clothes and watching the clash from the grandstand. Mac tried the same stunt in the barnstorming game at Chehalis, but couldn't stand the strain of seeing the State Leaguers walloping his Beavers. About the middle of the game he audibly migrated to the bench and pilloried the squad to a 2-to-1 victory.

Sunday's double-header against San Francisco will begin at 1:30 o'clock.

ANGLERS' CLUB TRIP DELAYED

Absence of Game Warden Requires Postponement of Jaunt to Sandy.

Owing to the absence of W. L. Finley, Master Game Warden, the trip of the committee from the Multnomah Anglers' Club and the Fish Commission to the mouth of the Sandy River was postponed from yesterday until some day next week.

The object of the trip is to devise some plan of making a channel across the sands at the mouth of the river so that fish will be able to go up the stream at all times and not only at the highest of high water.

A meeting of the Multnomah Anglers' Club will be held in the convention room of the Commercial Club tonight, at which Mr. Finley will tell of the work of the fish hatcheries during the last Summer. Although all the fish that could be handled have been planted, a good many are still on hand and these will also be placed.

The introduction of a bill in the State Senate for the protection of trout during the closed season will be discussed. Some fishermen, it is said, have been catching trout under 12 inches in length and then getting their friends to say that they are salmon trout. The proposed bill is intended to prevent this practice.

AD ACCEPTS PROFFER

WOLGAST TO FIGHT ON THANKSGIVING DAY.

Jones Sends Word to Coffroth That His Man Will Appear Against Any Lightweight at That Time.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—That much-discussed question in boxing circles, "When will Champion Ad Wolgast fight next, and under whose auspices?" appears today to be nearer settled than at any previous time for weeks. James Coffroth, promoter, of this city, received today a telegram from Tom Jones, manager of Wolgast, reading:

"Original proposition telegraphed to you from Cadillac goes. Wolgast will box for you on Thanksgiving day."

Jones is supposed to be on his way to California. It is the belief that he will visit Taft to investigate further a proposition made by fight enthusiasts of that town to offer a purse for Wolgast, but there seems little doubt as to the fact that Wolgast will fight here and that Coffroth will handle the bout.

Coffroth has made no definite announcement as to the man who will be Wolgast's opponent. The majority opinion is that Willie Ritchie will be the man, but there are many who believe that Frankie Burns, of Oakland, will have a second chance to gain the championship. Burns has won two notable victories since he was defeated by Wolgast and admirers of Burns insist that he is better today than ever before. Definite announcement is expected within a few days.

PORTLAND HORSES GET RIBBON

Geneva and Nip Win First Honors at Victoria Show.

According to a letter received here yesterday from Victoria, B. C., the scene of the Canadian Horse Show, the team of F. W. Leadbetter, Geneva and Nip, took the blue ribbon in the doubles.

The show is still running and the Portland horses compare favorably with the others at the meet. Sam Kramer, in charge of the representatives, will return Sunday.

BEAVERS TAKE BIG END OF SWATFEST

Seal Hopes of Putting Portland Back to Fifth Place Jolted.

M'CREDIE'S MEN WIN, 9-6

Arlett and Higginbotham Are Batted From Slab—San Francisco Ties Score Once, Only to Have More Bad Luck.

Pacific Coast League Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Oakland..	102	69	.597	Portland..	70	84	.454
Vernon....	95	72	.568	San Fran..	76	97	.433
Los Angeles	95	73	.566	Sacramento	60	104	.366

Yesterday's Results.

At Portland—Portland 9, San Francisco 6.
At Los Angeles—Vernon 2, Los Angeles 1. (13 innings.)
At San Francisco—Oakland 4, Sacramento 1.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

The good ship "McCredie," with a mixed Irish and Dutch crew, boomed over the waves of San Francisco Bay for the third consecutive time yesterday. In its wake lay two dismantled hulks—Higginbotham and Arlett — while shattered spars and a deep-dyed crimson flecked the foam, declaring to the world that "there ain't no such thing" as fifth place for a Portland Coast team.

The score of Bill Reidy's third rout was 9 to 6—the same by which Nick Williams' Colts walloped Victoria up North—and, as was the case in the class B clash, Portland pitchers were outpunctured by the enemy. San Francisco secured 14 hits, according to the adding machine—the final three off Harkness, who relieved Higginbotham in the sixth inning—while the Beavers got to Arlett and McCorry for 11.

Two Pitchers Pounded.

It was a good, old-time batting game, with smoke belching from the neighborhood of the plate at all times. The terrific clouting of Doane, Rapps and Bancroft, coupled with poor handling of bunts, gave Portland a lead of five runs by the third inning, but Higginbotham's arm then began to balk like a four-cylinder car with only two working. Five hits and Fitzgerald's high throw home netted three tallies in the fourth inning, and they tied the score a moment later, making it 5 to 5, on some more great swatting by Zimmerman, Howard, Wagner and McIntyre.

Arlett wobbled in his bearings when he heard the telegraph operator clicking off that tieing run for the megaphones downtown. Without so much as warning the leather-lunged grandstand cohorts, he let Doane and Rodgers hit safely in the last of the fifth, walked Fitzgerald and then forced in the marginal run by hitting Rapps midway between the shoulder blades.

Manager Reidy then yanked Arlett in favor of McCorry, with the bases full. Gus Fisher made a face like "Gyp the Blood" and his hit cracked a center field dyke, flooding in two runs. Howard Baker, erstwhile "white hope" at third base, singled over second for another. That made 9 to 5.

Harkness Finishes Strong.

The Seals later got one tally on singles by Schmidt and McIntyre, but Harkness held them at his mercy after that inning, the sixth. McCorry, too, went the last three innings without a scratch.

In the business of backing up the man who horned into publicity by declaring that "no two games are alike," we might call attention to two features that were unusual.

How many times do you see a batter get two bases on an infield fly? In the opening inning Chadbourne occupied second as a result of Wagner's error when Fitzgerald popped an easy fly a few feet back of third. Corhan and McAvoy held a caucus, but forgot to nominate a candidate and the ball dropped unmolested to the ground, Chadbourne scoring.

In the fourth Howard singled, went to second on Zimmerman's hit and tried to score on Wagner's slash to right field. Fitzgerald threw several yards over Catcher Fisher's head, but one Gus got revenge by kicking Howard in the brow as he slid home. Howard rolled over dead, like villains in all well-regulated melodramas, and then suddenly he remembered the home plate. Oh, yes, the plate; he had forgotten to touch it. Painfully he squirmed around and stuck out his index finger and just in time, too, for Zimmerman tore into the vicinity two ticks later with a noise like a 3-cent fare disturbance. Both were safe. The score:

San Francisco—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.	Portland—	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
M'voy,3b	3	2	1	1	0	Chad'ne,lf	4	1	2	1	0
M'In're,rf	3	1	1	0	0	Doane,cf.	3	2	0	1	0
How'd,1b	4	2	9	0	0	R'dg'rs,2b	3	1	2	0	0
Zimr'n,cf	5	1	1	1	0	Fitz'ld,rf.	3	1	3	0	1
Corh'n,ss	4	0	3	2	0	Rappa,1b.	3	1	4	4	0
W'gn'r,2b	4	2	4	4	1	Fisher,c..	4	1	8	0	0
Gowin,lf.	4	1	3	0	0	Baker,3b.	4	1	1	0	0
Schm't,c	4	2	2	0	0	Banc'ft,ss	4	1	4	2	2
Arlett,p.	2	0	0	3	0	Hig'b'm,p	2	2	1	1	0
M'Co'ry,p	2	1	0	3	0	*Krueg'r.	1	0	0	0	0
						Harkn's,p	1	0	2	0	0
Totals	39	14	24	14	1	Totals	32	11	27	10	3

*Batted for Higginbotham in fifth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

San Francisco	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	0—	6
Hits	1	0	1	5	4	2	0	1	0—14	
Portland	1	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	x—	9
Hits	1	0	5	1	4	0	0	0	x—11	

SUMMARY.

Runs—McIntyre, Howard 2, Zimmerman, Wagner, Schmidt, Chadbourne, Doane, Rodgers, Fitzgerald 2, Rapps, Bancroft, Higginbotham. Struck out by McCorry 1, Higginbotham 2, Harkness 6. Bases on balls off Arlett 1, Harkness 1. Two-base hits—Fitzgerald, McAvoy. Sacrifice hits—Doane, Corhan, Rodgers. Stolen bases—Schmidt, Howard. Hit by pitched ball—Rapps by Arlett. Passed balls—Fisher 2. Innings pitched by Arlett 4, Higgenbotham 5. Base hits off Arlett 9, runs 6; Higginbotham 11, runs 5. Credit victory to Higginbotham. Charge defeat to Arlett. Time of game—1:35. Umpires—McCarthy and Casey.

Notes of the Game.

Rapps, Higginbotham and Harkness negotiated some startling putouts on difficult plays at first base.

One of Dave Bancroft's errors was chalked up by the official scorer because of somebody's failure to cover second on a throw by Gus Fisher in the ninth inning.

McAvoy began the game by tripling into left field. He is credited with only a single because he cut second and was caught at it.

Doane and Rapps each uncorked drives in the third inning that scored two runs.

McCredie announced that he will use Klawitter today.

Bill Reidy says he permitted Jess Baker to bat with the bases full in Wednesday's game because Jess was the best batter available. Which means that he had nobody on the bench above the .250 mark. The Seals are badly crippled with such stickers as Gedeon, Wuftll and Mundorff at home.

Fanning may twirl today if he warms up right.

ANGELS BEATEN IN TWELFTH

Close Decision at Plate Allows Winning Run for Vernon.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 26.—Vernon defeated Los Angeles today by a score of 2 to 1 in a game which went 12 innings.

Vernon scored first in the sixth inning, when Kane made a home run with two men out. Los Angeles tied the score in the ninth inning and the contest went on scoreless through the tenth and 11th innings and the first half of the 12th. Then Vernon by a combination of a single, a sacrifice hit and a fielder's choice, made another run over which the umpire expressed some doubt before declaring the runner safe at home.

President Baum of the Pacific Coast League witnessed the game, which was a pitchers' battle. Castleton pitched nine innings for Vernon before Brackenridge replaced him. Chech pitched throughout for Los Angeles. The score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Vernon.....	2	10	2	Los Angeles.	1	7	1

Batteries — Castleton, Brackenridge and Agnew; Chech and Boles.

OAKS AGAIN WHIP SENATORS

Commuters Now 5 1-2 Games Ahead of Vernon in Pennant Race.

OAKLAND, Sept. 26.—Oakland's efforts to gain the Coast League pennant were advanced another step today when the league leaders defeated Sacramento 4 to 1.

The game was uninteresting and Sacramento's five errors aided in Oakland's victory. Oakland made two runs without a hit, passes and errors enabling the men to score.

As the result of the games today, Oakland leads Vernon five and one-half games and Los Angeles six games. Score:

Oakland ..	4	5	2	Sacra	1	7	5

Batteries—Peters and Kreitz; Gregory and Mitze.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston 15, New York 12.

BOSTON, Sept. 26. — Boston approached within one game of the American League record for games won in a season by defeating New York in a contest that developed into a farce. Boston has six games still to play in which to better the record of 102 games made by Philadelphia two years ago. New York gained a big lead by hitting Vandyke and added runs at Pape's expense. Boston bunched hits in the fifth, sixth and eighth innings and won out.

On account of darkness the game was called after eight innings. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Boston ..	15	14	4	New York	12	16	1

Batteries—Vandyke, Pape and Garrigan; Keating, Caldwell, Thompson and Williams.

Philadelphia 3, Washington 3.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26. — The first tie game of the season in this city was played this afternoon, when Washington and Philadelphia came to a standstill in nine innings, the game being called on account of darkness.

Coombs was hit hard in only one inning, the sixth, when the visitors scored all their runs.

Only one hit was made off Hughes until the seventh, when the home team bunched four singles. Johnson went to the rescue with two runs, one out and two bases occupied. An error by McBride and a wild pitch let in the run that tied the score. Score:

Philadel ..	3	8	2	Wash	3	9	0

Batteries — Coombs and Lapp; Hughes, Johnson and Williams.

Cleveland 12, Detroit 2.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 26. — Cleveland defeated Detroit easily. Boehler was hit hard and was miserably supported, while Gregg was very effective. Cleveland bunched its three errors on Cobb in the second inning, Cobb getting all the way around on successive misplays. Score:

Cleveland	12	15	3	Detroit	2	6	7

Batteries—Gregg and O'Neill; Boehler and Stanage.

SEATTLE ALMOST SURE

NORTHWESTERN PENNANT RACE VIRTUALLY DECIDED.

Bugs Have Lead of Three Full Games and Season Will Last Only Three Days Longer.

Seattle's defeat of Tacoma yesterday, in conjunction with Spokane's walloping at the hands of Vancouver, virtually concludes the pennant fight in the Northwestern League. The schedule ends Sunday — three more days — and while postponed games will likely mean doubleheaders on the last afternoon, the Seattleites are now three full games to the good and there isn't one chance in 50 for the runnersup.

This will be Seattle's second pennant since the reorganization of the Northwestern League in 1901. Mike Lynch led Dugdale to a bunting in 1909 and was kicked out in midseason of 1910 because the club dropped to last. This same dose was handed to Jack Barry this Summer. Tealey Raymond, who stepped in as temporary manager for the second time, again demonstrated his qualities of leadership by putting the Bugs back in the running.

They crept up to fifth the middle of June, to fourth a fortnight later, jumped to second the first of July and passed Spokane early this month.

Seattle's last game Sunday will be with Portland, not Tacoma, although Dug's men are playing Tacoma this week.

"That maverick date came about in a peculiar fashion," explained President McCredie yesterday. "The week found Portland at Victoria and Tacoma at Seattle. Of course, we couldn't play at Victoria on Sunday, so we drew with Tacoma and Victoria for the Seattle date. Portland won and Tacoma and Victoria will meet at Tacoma."

The Northwestern League standings at various stages of the pennant race follow:

	W.	L.	Pc.		W.	L.	Pc.
May 1.							
Victoria...	8	5	.615	Vancouver.	7	7	.500
Portland..	8	6	.571	Tacoma....	6	7	.462
Spokane..	6	6	.500	Seattle.....	5	9	.359
May 15.							
Victoria...	15	11	.577	Tacoma....	14	13	.519
Portland..	15	13	.536	Spokane...	11	14	.440
Vancouver.	15	13	.536	Seattle....	11	16	.407
May 29.							
Portland..	23	18	.564	Victoria...	20	20	.500
Tacoma...	21	19	.525	Seattle....	19	21	.475
Vancouver	21	20	.512	Spokane...	16	22	.421
June 12.							
Vancouver.	30	26	.536	Tacoma...	27	27	.500
Victoria...	28	26	.519	Seattle....	26	29	.473
Spokane...	27	26	.509	Portland...	28	30	.464
June 26.							
Portland..	35	33	.515	Seattle....	35	34	.507
Victoria...	35	33	.515	Vancouver.	35	35	.500
Spokane...	33	32	.508	Tacoma....	31	37	.456
July 10.							
Spokane...	46	36	.561	Portland...	40	42	.488
Seattle....	46	37	.554	Victoria...	38	44	.463
Vancouver.	44	40	.524	Tacoma....	35	50	.412
July 24.							
Vancouver.	58	41	.586	Portland...	45	51	.469
Spokane...	53	42	.558	Victoria...	42	53	.442
Seattle....	53	45	.541	Tacoma....	40	59	.404
August 7.							
Vancouver.	65	49	.570	Portland...	53	58	.472
Spokane...	62	48	.564	Victoria...	49	61	.445
Seattle....	60	53	.531	Tacoma....	47	67	.412
August 21.							
Spokane...	69	54	.561	Portland...	61	63	.492
Seattle....	69	58	.543	Victoria...	56	67	.455
Vancouver.	69	59	.539	Tacoma....	51	75	.405
September 4.							
Spokane...	78	60	.565	Portland...	65	72	.474
Seattle....	77	62	.554	Victoria...	63	75	.456
Vancouver.	71	68	.542	Tacoma....	56	83	.403
September 18.							
Seattle....	88	66	.571	Portland...	71	80	.470
Spokane...	86	67	.562	Victoria...	68	86	.441
Vancouver.	86	69	.555	Tacoma....	61	92	.398
September 27.							
Seattle....	96	66	.592	Portland...	74	86	.462
Spokane...	94	70	.573	Victoria...	71	92	.436
Vancouver.	91	73	.555	Tacoma....	62	101	.380

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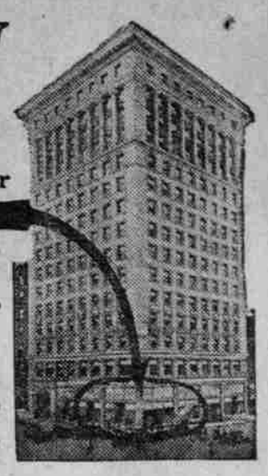

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Double-Header From Boston Ends Cubs' Chances.

STARS NOW TO TAKE REST

Decks Cleared for World's Series. New York's Standing One Point More Than Boston's—Recruit Twirls Great Ball.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The championship of the National League, which for several days has been a matter of doubt only to mathematical sticklers, is now settled definitely in favor of the New York Giants for a second successive year. All chances of the Chicago Cubs displacing the leaders were removed by New York's double defeat of Boston today, although at the same time the Cubs were defeating Cincinnati.

The standing, with the pennant clinched by New York, follows:

Teams.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	99	44	.692
Chicago	89	54	.622
Pittsburg	88	56	.611

New York and Chicago each have nine games to play before October 6, the official ending of the season. Chicago could win all of its games and New York lose all without a displacement of the Giants.

Decks Cleared for World Series.

Decks are now cleared for the world's championship series with the Boston Americans, beginning in New York October 8, and from now on Manager McGraw will undoubtedly use recruits so far as necessary to let the world's series principals ease up.

It is an interesting fact that with New York clinching the pennant, its percentage of games won in the National League is 693, as compared with the Boston percentage in the American League to date of 692, showing that they have run an even race.

In the first game today New York knocked Perdue out of the box in three innings. Mathewson eased up when his teammates procured him a good lead, eight of Boston's ten hits being made in the last four innings.

Recruit Shows to Advantage.

Remarkable pitching by Demare, a recruit from Mobile, featured the second game. This was Demare's big league debut. He shut out Boston with seven scattered hits, issued only one pass and fanned nine men.

In two innings Boston batters opened on him with an extra base hit, but could not score. Scores:

First game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
New York	8	15	0	Boston.....	3	11	2

Batteries—Mathewson and Hartley, Meyers; Perdue, McTigue and Gowdy.

Second game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
New York.	4	10	0	Boston.....	0	7	1

Batteries—Demare and Wilson; Tyler and Rariden.

Chicago 11-10, Cincinnati 10-0.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Chicago defeated Cincinnati twice today. Cheney was credited with both games. The visitors routed Lavender in the ninth inning of the first game and scored 10 runs, going one ahead of the Cubs. Benton's wildness in the ninth enabled Chicago to win.

The second game was called on account of darkness at the end of the sixth inning. Scores:

First game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Chicago..	11	11	4	Cincin....	10	11	7

Batteries—Lavender, Toney, Cheney and Archer; Fromme, Works, Benton and Severoid.

Second game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Chicago..	10	11	1	Cincin.....	0	5	0

Batteries—Cheney and Cotter; Benton, McGraynor and Blackburn, Severoid.

Pittsburg 7, St. Louis 5.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 26.—After St. Louis had a lead early in the game Pittsburg came from the rear and won. Every Pittsburg player was at the bat in the eighth inning. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg.	7	10	1	St. Louis..	5	7	4

Batteries—Robinson, Hendrix and Kelley, Gibson; Steele, Burk, Griener and Wingo.

Philadelphia 7-11, Brooklyn 0-0.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 26.—Philadelphia won a double-header from Brooklyn, shutting out the locals in both games. The visitors hit freely, while their own pitchers, Alexander and Seaton, were in fine form. Miller, of Philadelphia, made a total of seven hits in the two games, including two triples and a double. Scores:

First game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn..	0	2	0	Philadel...	7	14	1

Batteries—Curtis, Allen and Miller; Alexander, Seaton and Killifer.

Second game—

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn..	0	4	4	Philadel..	11	18	2

Batteries—Ragon and Erwin; Scanlon and Killifer.

STAHL MAY USE WOOD OFTEN

George Damerel Says Prize Pitcher Will Work Every Other Day.

That Jake Stahl will use his 22-year-old pitching wonder, Joe Wood, in the opening game against New York and every alternate day as long as the series lasts, is the opinion expressed yesterday by George Damerel, the famous musical comedy star who is a Portland visitor.

Actor-Fan Damerel is a close friend of Stahl's and bases his view on tips given by the ex-University of Illinois star.

"Collins will undoubtedly twirl the second game for Boston," continued Mr. Damerel. "As for New York I am of the opinion that Tesreau will be called upon to bear the burden. It will startle the world if McGraw begins the series without Mathewson pitching the first game, but I think the wallopings handed out to Christy by Boston two years ago will have some influence."

"CHAMP" TO MEET MISS SEARS

Miss Mary Browne Next Plays Boston Athletic Girl.

BOSTON, Sept. 26.—The semi-finals in the women's tennis singles tournament at the Longwood Cricket Club today resulted in victories for Miss Mary Browne, of Los Angeles, Cal., the National champion, and Miss Eleanora Sears, of Boston.

Miss Browne eliminated Miss Evelyn Sears, of Waltham, a former National title-holder, by scores of 6-3, 6-2. Miss Browne made 34 place shots to 41 errors.

Miss Eleanora Sears had some difficulty in disposing of Miss Dorothy Green, of Philadelphia, three sets being required with scores of 4-6, 6-2, 6-3.

In the mixed doubles, Miss Browne, paired with A. S. Dabney, of Boston, defeated Miss Robert Williams, of Providence, R. I., and S. L. Beals, of Boston, 6-3, 2-6, 6-2.

Swimming Record Broken.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—J. O. Hatfield, swimming at Hoxton, London, tonight broke the world's record at 400 meters, his time being 5 minutes, 21 3-5 seconds.