BIG SUCCESS LAID TO BOOSTER CLUB

Enthusiasm Conceived Weeks Ago Shows Net Results in Greatest Day Ever.

PARADE IS NOTABLE EVENT

Imposing Division Is That Occupied by Harriman Club With Its Bevy of Girls, Bands, Floats and Phalanx of Marchers.

FIRSTS" OF THE OPENING GAME. First ball pitched-A strike by

First strike-out-Page, by Krause, First assist-Lindsay.

First putout-Derrick. First hit-Lindsay, a two-bagger. First score-Lindsay, on Rodgers'

First walk-Krueger issued by Per-

First kick on decisions-Maggart. First Los Angeles man on bases-Boles, walked by Krause,

First stolen base-Maggart.

"Greatest," the superlative adjective ost intimately connected with yesterday's Pacific Coast League baseball opening in Portland-from parade on Portland's principal thoroughfares to the enthusiastic mass of humanity which threatened to inundate the playing field at Vaughn-street Park—must not be disassociated from the Portland Baseball Boosters' Club. That organi-zation is largely responsible for the epoch-making event in diamond history of the Northwest.

Never has the West witnessed such a gathering of fandom at a baseball opening as pushed, squeezed and squirmed itr way into Vanghn-street Park yesterday afternoon, or fiapped helplessly against a cordon of bluecoats until the crush had subsided.

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Why did more than 17,000 people suffer physical and mental tortures in an assault on the entrances at Portland's baseball park?

From 19,000 to 12,000 of them would have been there under almost any circumstances; the other 5000 or 7000 were literally forced into action by the enthusiasm awakened by the Portland Baseball Boosters. Raseball Boosters.

Parade Is Big Event.

Portland witnessed its biggest auto Portland witnessed its biggest automobile parade yesterday afternoon. Not the most beautiful, but the largest and most spontaneous. George L. Baker, with his six lieutenants, gathered together 30e automobiles for a parade nearly two miles long. In addition there were marching bands, two splendid floats drawn by horses and a 500-fans' marching contingent of the Harriman Club.

man Club.

Promptly at 1:30 o'clock, exactly as scheduled, and a performance which reflects great credit on Grand Marshall Baker, Captain of Detectives Keller, in the Police Department automobile, and a squad of four motorcycle police, opened up the line of march for the six-section baseball parade.

Automobiles, headed by the grand marshall, closely followed by Mayor Rushlight, who pitched the first ball of the 1913 opener, and Raiph W. Donges, supreme dictator of the grand lodge of Moose, bands, Harriman marching club and floats, then swung

minutes to pass a given point.

Grandstand Scramble Starts.

It was the intention of Marshall Ba-

sentation. Two huge floats, drawn by the capacious grandstand taken, but draft horses, and bearing a bevy of the aisles were jammed and facked girls, were followed by a marching club, with humanity. Several reports say 500 strong, headed by band and base-that over a thousand fans were turned ball team. Then came 15 automobiles away in the jam at the gate.

as follows:

First division—C. H. Moore, marshal;
McElroy's band, Mayor Rushlight and
party; R. W. Donges, supreme dictator
Moose Lodge, and party; Boosters' Club
Ad Club float, bearing quartet, Ad Club
baseball team.

Second division—C. H. Moore, marshal;
said W. W. Metager, business manager
of the club, last night. "The present
entrance was not constructed to handle
any such mob as assailed us today."

baseball team.

Second division—W. T. Pangle, marshall: Brown's band, Portland and Los cardboard full of yells and then the Angeles haseball clubs in automobiles, game got so exciting that nobody pald Third division—C. F. Berg, marshal; any attention to the baton swingers Prass's band. Harriman Club of 700 and individual cheering prevailed.

members on foot and in automobiles.

Fourth division — Ray Parkhurst, marshal: Third Regiment band, Spanish War Veterans float, "The Girl I Left Behind Me" float, fife and drum corps, Spanish-American War veterans in autos.

Fifth division—J. E. Appleby, mar-

Fifth division—J. E. Appleby, mar-shal; DeCaprio's band, Portland Auto Club, Rotary Club, Transportation Club, Moving-pictures of the parade and crowd at the game were thrown on the screen at the Empress Theater last night. The Peoples Theater will show additional films today. Progressive Business Men's Club, Real-ty Board, East Side Business Men's Club and kindred business organiza-

Sixth division-A. G. Clarke, marshal; Campbell's band, floats of commercial organizations.

men at the park to handle the crowd. No trouble of any kind was experienced, The parade moved down Broadway from Yamhill to Alder, down Alder to Third, north to Pine, west to Broadway, south to Alder, west to Tenth, south to Morrison, east to Fourth, north to Washington and out Washington.

No trouble of any kind was experienced, although there was much fretting at the main gates with several thousand the main gates with several thousand the turnstiles. Boosters Occupy Section.

At the park the Boosters' Club occu-pied the right wing of the grandstand, with the extreme right of the section beseeching his men to deliver the him beseeching his men to deliver the hits which would spell victory on Portland's biggest baseball day. holding the Harriman Club, with its own band. The boosters section was decorated in American colors, with a huge banner bearing the "Beavercolt,"
the official emblem of the club, suspended from the rafters.
Chief Rooter Dunne had a megaphone
of fence near the bleachers.

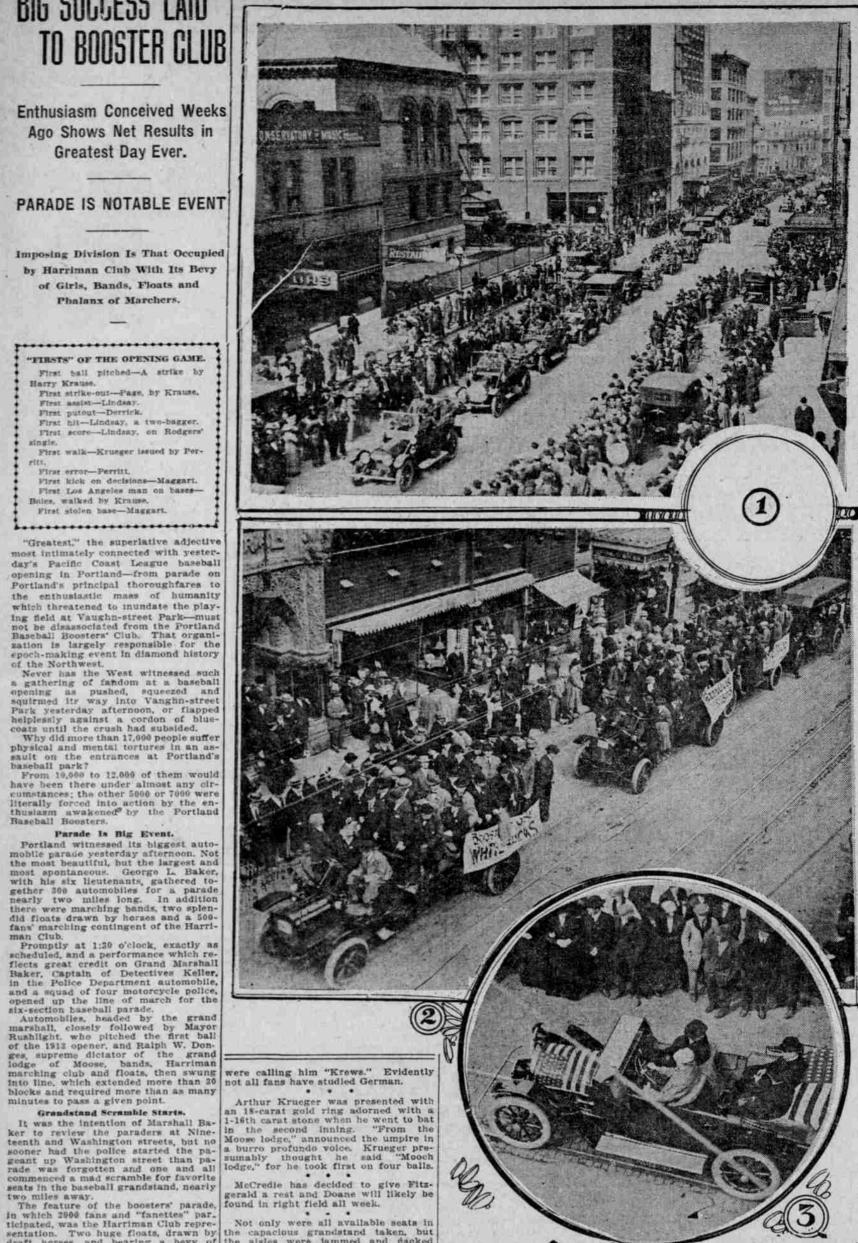
Chief Rooter Dunne Rad a megaphone corps stationed near Prasp's band and an additional noise-maker in the shape of a huge ratchet, engineered by a youthful "bug." Several ineffectual efpont noise months and provided at the weather noon nobody grumbled at the weather forts at concerted rooting were at-tempted. Noise was there, more than at any other ball game in Portland's history, but it was the combination of individual effort, ably assisted by musi-cal instruments run amuck.

ture lens was excellent.

Edward S. Higgins, secretary of the Baseball Boosters Club, presented the bouquets of carnation to the rival managers after the first inning.

Umpire Newhouse, who called base decisions very fairly yesterday, was

BASEBALL BOOSTERS SNAPPED WHILE ON PARADE TUESDAY AFTERNOON





ONE SECTION OF THE BOOSTERS GOING SOUTH ON BROADWAY. 2.—
PARADING FANS PACKED INTO A UTO TRUCKS. 3.—MAYOR RUSHLIGHT
AND PARTY FOLLOWING FIRST BAND, 4.—ONE OF HARRIMAN CLUB
FLOATS, THE FEATURES OF THE DEMONSTRATION.

in the pinches.

McCormick handled seven chances, and some of them were hard ones.

Four of the Los Angeles team are new men in the lineup, as follows: Ellis in left, Maggart in center, Gill on first and Johnson on short.

Notice the uniforms on the policemen They were so natty that them for taxi drivers. natty that some mistook

. . .

Captain of Detectives Keller had 52

Walter McCredle raged in front of

and Johnson on short.

The umpires announced the ground rules as two bases on balls hit into the crowd. Held made an instantaneous hit with the crowd by his courtesy in Notes of the Game

The Beavers appeared sharp at 2:35 after the parade, togged out in their new home uniforms. The new vestments are of white flannel, but they differ from former creations in that Mac ordered a white stripe inserted longitudinally in the fabric. They are

ern League team in 1801. This is his first visit here in 12 years.

That man Rodgers seems to be inspired by the very "devil." He is fielding superbly this year and hitting hard in the pinches.

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In left, Magran.

Beavers and Los Angeles' pride team.

A few of the tars' on each ship decided against joining the rush of yesterday arguing that there would be collisions galore among fans in efforts to get seats, so they preferred to shape a course for the ball park today, assuming naturally that there would be fewer strangers seeking berths. Those lacking the price of admission counted on their agility in going aloft on telephone poles to pro-M AYOR RUSHLIGHT did not have differ from former creations in that Mac ordered a white stripe inserted longitudinally in the fabric. They are very neat appearing.

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Over in one section of the stand they

17,000 SEE BEAVERS PLAY 11-INNING TIE

Krause and Rodgers Heroes of Opening Game of League Season.

ANGELS ARE OUTBATTED

Fans Say "Team Will Do" After One Glimpse of McCredie's Squad. Perritt Hurls Fine Ball for Los Angeles.

(Continued From First Page.) cupied and the overflow mob fringed in around the playing field just as close as the blue-coated battalions would permit them to crowd.

Squirming and pushing, they tram-pled upon each other's feet, while, above them in the boxes, sat Portland's beauty, embellished and intensified by a glorious display of Spring finery and gaudy color, which scorned the presence of chill Winter, lingering in the lap of Spring, and ignored the leaden skies that frowned upon the battling warriors.

The spectacle staged was one ever old, yet always new.

Usual Preliminaries Staged.

The usual abundance of pomp was boiled down into few spasms. Mayor was there. Sure! Mayor Rushlight pitched the first ball, which was handed him by Umpire Newhouse; there were the usual floral tributes. uch as gates ajar, horseshoes and rest in peaces, which were donated to Managers McCredie and Dillon; there were the motion-picture machines and the hands

After all this preliminary junk, Umpire "Red" Held-a tall, bald-headed individual with sorrel thatches run-ning down in front of his ears-rening down in front of his ears—reninding of a cubist's impressions of a
ude starfish in late Autumn—thought
and a single out of five times at bat. minding of a cubist's impressions of a e saw a good chance to say "Play ball." And it was so ordered at 3:40, or 25 minutes after the regularly scheduled hour.

Now tarry while a few more details of that brilliant, vibrant game are chronicled.

Brilliant as was the outpouring of the fans and fanettes, most of which later division were able to qualify under the classification silver-spangled Wyandottes, studded in its sparkle vere the feats performed by Southpaw Krause.

Krause Pillar of Might.

Krause buttressed the defense, repelled attack. He fanned six men in the first four innings, and not one of the first 12 Los Angeles batsmen could raise the sphere beyond the infield. In the hollow of his hand the former Philadelphia American star held the pale-stockinged Angels. Six mighty in-

nings he tolled and not one allen foe scratched up a safe hit. In the sixth inning a walk, an error by McCormick and a sacrifice fielder's choice filled the bases, with one out, and Portland's one-run lead looked for-lorn. But Rodgers and McCormick stepped into the breech and negotiated a sparkling double play off Moore's grounder that sent the fans into a defeated San Francisco today 12 to 2. cataleptic spasm. The sixth furnished It was simple slaughter from the bethe dazzling spectacle of the whole

the first of four hits chalked up by the redoubtable Beaver captain—scored one run and gave Portland the advantage.

For eight long, exciting, wonderful, pulsating innings the battle waged with Portland ever the aggressor. But, on the very threshold of victory, on the very threshold of victory, Krause walked Harl Maggart as first Krause walked Harl Maggart as first batter up in the ninth inning, and that proved the dismal heartbreaker. On the ball that fanned Howard, his predecessor legged it for second base and Claude Berry, in his haste, threw the ball to centerfield, and Maggart pulled up at third. From there a sac-rifice fly to Krueger brought in the tving run.

Undaunted by this disaster, the Beavers flung themselves into the fray and had the Angeles on the edge of "dimnition" every inning to the close. But break that opening-day finx they could not.

Netzger Saves Game.

Rodgers opened the last half of the minth with this third safe swat, but Third Baseman Metzger, who had been sent to third as a result of Brooks' injection as a pinch hitter, gobbled up a line drive that looked surely good for a double off McCormick's bat, and then Derrick and Fitzgeraid fiailed the

at this juncture and sent Krapp out to run for Krause, but a wonderful throw by Maggart to third base, after throw by Maggart to third base, after Doane's fly, spoiled our chances for Krapp was caught in a great double play at third.

The wonderful thanks and an enthusiastic hearing. Mr. Kellaher's subject was "Municipal Ownership." Next week R. W. Montague has promised to give the women play at third.

Rodgers threatened again in the 11th, but the fury of the attack had been spent and Umpire Held, after a good day behind the windpad, held aloft his horny mitt and calmly spake: "This game is called on account of darkness and drizzle." alt was so set down in the record books.

Hagerman Fans 2 of 4. Rip Hagerman succeeded Krause on the mound for Portland in the 11th. when Krause was relieved in lieu of a baserunner, and the best the \$2500 beauty could do was to fan two of the

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Totals 35 3 33 15 3 Totals 39 7 35 12 2
*Batted for Gill in ninth.
*Batted for Berry in ninth.
†Ran for Krause in tenth.
SCORE BY INNINGS.

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4. Two-base hits—Lindsay, Krause, Double plays—Rodgers to McCormick to Derrick, Maggart to Johnson, Sacrifice hits—Perritt, Brooks, Stolen bases — Maggart 2. Game called on account of darkness, Inmings pitched—By Krause 10. Base hits—Off Krause 2, Time of game—2 hours, 20 minutes, Umpires—Held and Newhouse.

WOLVES POUND BAUM HARD Sacramento Scores 13-to-3 Victory

LOS ANGELES, April 15.—Sacramento knocked the ball all over the lot today and scored an easy victory over Venice in the opening game of the series, 13 to 3. Pitcher Baum yielded seven hits and eight runs to his former teammates in less than four innings and Griffin, who relieved him, fared little better. With the bases for the class of the control of the series fourth, Baum was benched by Umpire Finney for disputing a decision. While Stroud was hit freely he was

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OPatt'n,lb

Totals 39 14 27 11 1 Totals 37 9 27 13 2 SCORE BY INNINGS.

SUMMARY. SUMMARY.

Runs—Shinn 3, Moran 2, O'Rourke 2, Kenworthy 2, Tennant 2, Bliss, Stroud, Bayless, Hosp, Litschi, Seven hits and eight runs off Baum in 3 2-3 innings. Charge defeat to Baum. Home run—Litschi, Three-base hits—Shinn 2, Tennant, Hosp, Sacrifice hits—roud, Sacrifice fly—Lewis, Stolen bases—Shinn, Moran, O'Rourke, Tennant, Lewis 2, Bases on balls—Off Baum 4, off Stroud 2, off Griffin 4, Struck out—Baum 3, Stroud 7, Grifflin 1, Time—2:05. Umpires—Finney and Phyl.

COMMUTERS MURDER SEALS

Delhi Allows 11 Hits and 10 Runs

and Fans Go Home Early. SAN FRANCISCO, April 15 .- Oakland Perritt Strong After First.

Perritt, too, was flinging wonderful ball, trying to redeem that disastrous first inning when Lindsay's double to left field and Rodger's pinch single—the first of four hits chalked up by the redoubtable Beaver cantal.

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SCORE BY INNINGS. SUMMARY.

In the 10th it was Krause who began with a screaming double to center. Mc-Credie consulted his book of strategy at this juncture and sent Krapp out to run for Krause, has

Baseball Statistics

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

National League. W. L. Pct. W. L. Pct. St. Louis . . . 2 0 1000 Chicago . . . 2 2 .500 Boston . . 1 0 1000 Philadelphia. 1 1 .500 Brooklyn . 2 1 .557 Chickingth . . 0 2 .600 Pittsburg . 2 2 .500 New York . . 0 2 .000 American League. Phil'delihia 2 0 1008 Caragae.

Washington 1 0 1009 New York...

Chicago... 2 2 600 Detroit...

St. Louis ... 3 2 600 Boston.....

Kansas City. 5 0 1000 Indianapolis.
Milwaukee. 3 1 750 Tolumbus.
Minneapolis. 2 2 500 Louisville...
St. Paul. 2 2 500 Toledo....

American Association.

Yesterday's Results.

American Association—Kansas City 3, Tolledo 3 (11-inning tie); Columbus 9, St. Paul 4; Louisville 3, Milwaukee 0; Indianapolis 7, Minneapolis 3, Southern League—Atlanta 11, Birmingham 0; Nashyille 4, Chattanooga 2; Montgomery 7, New Orleans 2; Memphis, 1, Mobile 0. Portland Batting Averages.

Rod and Gun Club Elects M. M. Long as Its First President.

CORVALLIS, Or., April 15.—(Special.)—The Corvallis Rod and Gur

end of the new Willamette bridge, and each Thursday afternoon sportsmen will participate in trapshooting. A "Western" trap has been installed and at the first shoot some good records were made. The club has completed arrangements for planting a car of trout fry to be shipped from the state hatchery soon. Working through the state officials, it also has arranged for a fishway over the Marys River dam near this city, a move affecting a dozen streams south of Corvallis. The club has gone on record as opposed to any referendum of the fish and game laws passed by the recent Legislature.

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