OAKS DROP INITIAL GAME TO BEAVERS

Four Pitchers Used in Slugging Match in Which 17 Runs Are Counted.

FINAL SCORE IS 10 TO 7

Derrick's Home Run With Bases Full, Hard Hitting by Both Clubs and Speas' Perfect Peg From Right Are Features.

	W	L	PC		W	L	PC
Portland..	66	55	.546	Venice....	63	66	.496
Los Ang...	65	63	.508	Oakland...	63	68	.481
Sacram'nto	61	60	.504	San Fran..	61	69	.469

Yesterday's Results.

At Portland—Portland 10, Oakland 7.
At San Francisco—Venice 5, San Francisco 3.
At Los Angeles—Sacramento 6, Los Angeles 4.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

Man's-inhumanity-to-man was ably emphasized yesterday when Portland and Oakland batsmen flogged four pitchers all over the local ball orchard, Portland winning the opening game of the series, 10-7, by virtue of Derrick's home run with the bases full in the eighth inning.

It was a vibrant game sizzling with interest, star plays and base hits, there being a surfeit of the last-mentioned commodity. Derrick, Kores, Lober, Gardner and Kaylor each whacked out a trio of safe swats, but the real sparkling artisan of the lot was Bill Speas, the shifty Portland gardener.

With the count 4-4 in the first half of the eighth, Speas saved the game by one of the greatest throws ever recorded in this neighborhood. His chuck from right field sailed true as a rifle shot to Catcher Berry, Kaylor being cut down at the plate by a yard to spare.

Ables Driven to Clubhouse.

Twenty-five hundred fans cheered Speas to the echo, but Bill's feat was shoved back into eclipse a moment later when the Beavers hopped onto Ables and Drucke for six runs and clinched the riot. It was all Derrick after that.

Apparently yesterday ushered in the open season for southpaws. Harry Krause, of Portland, was docked as early as the sixth inning in favor of Higginbotham. Herry Ables, his giant rival, lasted until the eighth, but then the lure of the shower baths proved too strong and Drucke relieved him.

What the pesky Beavers did to this second husky Texan will long be remembered along the local rialto. Ables had two proteges on the sacks when he departed, full of dents and sadness, but it didn't take Drucke long to unload them.

Six Runs Scored in Eighth.

Lober's third hit scored one, breaking the tie. Higginbotham filled the bases, when a wide shoot plunked him on the wrist, and it was at this juncture that Fred Derrick dangled a home run drive inside the fence into deep center field, registering four tallies.

As if those five were insufficient, Rodgers singled over third, stole second and scored the sixth run on Lindsay's double into left.

Altogether the McCredieites had quite a diverting 15 minutes.

Higginbotham, as is his wont, eased up in the ninth, in the face of the big lead, and three hits and two walks netted the Oaks three tallies. Kaylor gave local fans a rude scare. With the bases full and two out in this frame, he spanked the leather into right field for what looked like a home run. The ball hit the fence about two feet short, however, and two runs scored instead of four, hence the count is 10-7 instead of 10-9. Kaylor was crucified at second trying to stretch his shot into a double, this being the third out.

The score:

Oakland—	B	H	O	A	E	Portland—	B	H	O	A	E
Leard,2...	4	1	5	3	0	C'db'rne,m	4	1	2	0	0
Hetling,3.	4	1	2	3	0	Derrick,1..	5	3	10	0	0
Gardner,l.	3	3	6	1	0	Rodgers,2.	4	1	3	0	0
Coy,r....	4	2	0	1	0	Lindsay,3.	5	2	1	4	1
Kaylor,l..	5	3	0	0	0	Speas,r....	4	1	1	2	0
Cl'mens,m	1	0	2	0	0	Kores,s....	5	3	3	4	0
Cook,s....	4	1	4	1	1	Lober,l....	4	3	3	0	0
Mitze,c...	4	0	5	2	1	Berry,c....	3	0	4	1	0
Ables,p...	3	0	0	1	0	Krause,p..	2	0	0	0	0
Drucke,p.	0	0	0	1	0	H'g'tham,p	1	1	0	2	0
Schrim*..	1	1	0	0	0						
Total..	33	12	24	13	2	Total..	27	15	27	13	1

*Batted for Drucke in ninth.

Oakland	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	3	—7
Hits	2	0	0	2	0	3	1	1	3	—12
Portland	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	6	*	—10
Hits	0	2	2	1	2	1	1	6	0	—15

Runs—Hetling 2, Gardner 3, Coy, Schrim, Chadbourne, Derrick 2, Rodgers, Speas 2, Kores 2, Lober, Higginbotham. Struck out—By Ables 4, by Krause 2, by Higginbotham 1. Bases on balls—Off Ables 1, off Higginbotham 4. Two-base hit—Derrick, Lindsay. Three-base hit—Gardner, Schrim. Home run—Derrick. Double play—Mitze to Leard. Sacrifice hit—Coy, Clemens 2, Chadbourne, Berry. Stolen bases—Derrick, Kaylor 2, Rodgers, Hetling. Hit by pitched ball—Leard by Krause, Higginbotham by Drucke, Speas by Drucke. Wild pitch—Ables. Innings pitched—By Krause 5 1-3, runs 3, hits 7; by Ables 7, runs 4, hits 11. Credit victory to Higginbotham, defeat to Drucke. Time—2 hours. Umpires—Finney and Phyle.

Notes of the Game.

Umpires Ed Finney and Phyle made their first appearance of the year in Portland yesterday. Finney les a veteran, but Phyle is a new man this year. They handled the game faultlessly.

Bill Leard and Bill Rodgers, rival second-sackers, performed brilliantly.

Claude Berry was cheated out of a base hit when Leard went over to second to cover on a steal. Claude's drive plunked squarely into his hands and he was thrown out at first.

Only two home runs have been made this year inside the fence on the local grounds. Gardner, of the Oaks, made the circuit on the last trip north, when the ball rolled out of sight under the left field grandstand. Derrick's drive yesterday was relayed in promptly, but Fred's speed stood him in good stead.

Chadbourne tried to make a circus catch on a drive by Leard in the seventh, but dropped the ball and Bill was given a hit.

Many fluctuations featured the opener. Oakland scored one run in the first inning on Hetling's hit and Gardner's triple. Portland jumped to the lead 2-1 in the second on hits by Kores and Lober and mis ues by Cook, Mitze and Ables. One more the Beavers chalked up in the third on Derrick's double, his daring theft of third and an infield out. The Oaks scored the second run in the fourth on hits by Gardner and Kaylor and tied the score 4-4 in the sixth on successive singles by Gardner, Coy and Kaylor.

WOLVES WIN FROM ANGELS

With "Dusky" Williams in Box Sacramento Is Victor, 6 to 4.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 12.—With "Dusky" Williams in the box Sacramento had little difficulty in taking the first game of the series from Los Angeles, 6 to 4. Until the ninth inning Williams was invincible. For eight innings he allowed but five scattered hits, the Angels' only run until the ninth coming in the fourth on Lewis' muff of Johnson's fly. Los Angeles scored three in the ninth, however, on five hits, one a triple.

Ryan was hit freely and the Wolves were helped along by indifferent fielding on the part of the home club. Score:

Sacramento—	B	H	O	A	E	Los Angeles—	B	H	O	A	E
H.Young,s	4	1	4	4	0	Page,2....	3	1	2	4	2
Lewis,l...	4	3	7	0	1	Ellis,l.....	4	0	4	0	0
Moran,m..	4	1	4	0	0	Moore,1...	4	1	10	0	0
V.Buren,r.	5	0	1	0	0	Maggart,m	4	2	5	0	0
Tennant,1	5	3	5	0	0	Howard,r.	4	1	2	2	0
Hallinan,3	4	2	0	0	0	Johnson,s.	4	2	1	0	0
Bliss,c...	4	0	3	0	0	Goodwin,3.	4	1	1	0	1
Will'ms,p	4	1	0	1	0	Arbogast,c	4	0	2	1	0
Stark,2...	3	1	3	1	0	Ryan,p....	3	1	0	3	1
						*Wotell...	1	0	0	0	0
Totals.	37	12	27	6	1	Totals.	37	10	27	12	4

*Batted for Ryan in ninth.

Sacramento	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	—6
Hits	1	2	2	2	2	0	2	0	1	—12
Los Angeles	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	—4
Hits	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	5	—10

Runs—Lewis 3, Moran, Tennant, Stark, Maggart 2, Howard, Johnson. Home run—Lewis. Three-base hits—Moran, Howard. Two-base hit—Stark. Stolen bases—Tennant, Johnson. Sacrifice hits—Young, Hallinan, Moran. Bases on balls—Off Ryan 2. Struck out—By Williams 2, by Ryan 2. Double plays—Young to Stark. Wild pitch—Ryan. Hit by pitcher—Stark. Time—2:00. Umpires—Held and McCarthy.

STAR SOUTHPAWS BUMPED YESTERDAY IN OPENING GAME OF PORTLAND-OAKLAND SERIES AND MANAGERS WHO PULLED STRINGS

Harry Krause, Portland.

Harry Ables, Oakland

Manager Mitze, Oakland.

Manager McCredie, Portland

SEALS LOSE TO VENICE, 5-3

Baker's Poor Pitching and Johnston's Bad Fielding Fatal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Poor pitching by Baker and bad fielding by Jimmy Johnston in center field contributed largely to the defeat of San Francisco in the opening game of the series with Venice today, 5 to 3. This, too, was in spite of four errors for Venice during the progress of the game.

Carlisle opened the excitement by knocking out the only home run of the game, but as he was the first man up it resulted in only one tally for the Gondoliers. Score:

Venice—	B	H	O	A	E	San Francisco—	B	H	O	A	E
Carlisle,l.	4	1	1	0	0	Mundorff,r	5	1	2	0	0
Kane,m..	5	1	1	0	0	Howard,1.	3	1	10	1	0
O'Rour'e,r	5	0	1	1	1	Johns'n,m	4	2	0	0	1
Brashe'r,2	2	0	5	3	0	Schaller,l.	3	1	1	0	0
Hosp,s..	4	1	3	6	0	Downs,2..	4	1	0	1	0
Litschi,3.	2	0	1	2	2	Carhan,s.	2	0	2	4	0
Patter'n,1	4	3	12	1	1	Cartwr't,3	3	2	5	3	1
Elliott,c..	3	2	3	4	0	Schmidt,c	3	1	7	3	0
Baum,p..	3	0	0	1	0	Baker,p..	2	0	0	2	0
						Henly,p..	1	0	0	0	0
						Clarke*..	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	8	27	18	4	Totals.	31	9	27	14	2

*Batted for Henley in ninth.

Venice	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	—5
Hits	1	2	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	—8
San Francisco	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Hits	3	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	—9

Runs—Carlisle 2, Brashear, Hosp, Litschi, Howard, Schaller, Johnston. Five runs, 8 hits off Baker in 6⅓ innings; charge defeat to Baker. Home run—Carlisle. Three-base hit—Kane. Two-base hit—Patterson. Sacrifice hits—Howard, Schmidt, Litschi. Bases on balls—Off Baker 4, Henley 2, Baum 4. Stolen bases—Downs, Schmidt 2. Struck out—By Baker 6, Henley 1, Baum 2. Double play—Litschi to Patterson to Hosp. Balk—Baum. Left on bases—San Francisco 7, Venice 7. Passed balls—Elliott 2, Schmidt. Wild pitch—Baum. Earned runs—San Francisco 1, Venice 2. Time—2:00. Umpires—Guthrie and Rush.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

National League.

	W	L	PC		W	L	PC
New York.	72	32	.693	Brooklyn...	44	56	.440
Philadel...	61	37	.622	Boston.....	44	58	.431
Pittsburg..	55	49	.529	Cincinnati	43	67	.391
Chicago...	55	51	.519	St. Louis...	41	65	.387

American League.

	W	L	PC		W	L	PC
Philadel...	72	34	.679	Boston.....	50	54	.481
Cleveland.	66	43	.606	Detroit.....	46	63	.423
Washing'n.	58	47	.557	St. Louis..	44	69	.389
Chicago...	58	53	.523	New York.	35	67	.343

American Association.

	W	L	PC		W	L	PC
Milwaukee.	70	48	.593	St. Paul.....	53	62	.461
Louisville.	66	51	.564	Toledo.....	53	68	.437
Minneap...	65	52	.556	Kan. City..	52	65	.444
Columbus..	64	54	.542	Indianap...	44	72	.379

Western Tri-State.

	W	L	PC		W	L	PC
Boise.....	19	12	.613	N. Yakima.	14	16	.467
Walla Wa.	16	15	.516	Pendleton..	12	18	.400

Yesterday's Results.

American Association—Minneapolis 6, Columbus 0; Toledo 4, Kansas City 2; St. Paul 5-3, Indianapolis 1-4; Milwaukee 5, Louisville 2 (first game postponed, rain).

Western League—Lincoln 1, Des Moines 0; Topeka 5, Omaha 4; Denver 1, Sioux City 0; Wichita 6, St. Joseph 7 (10 innings).

Southern League—Atlanta 12, Birmingham 3; New Orleans 1, Memphis 0; Mobile 5, Montgomery 3; Nashville-Chattanooga game postponed, rain.

Games Scheduled Today.

Pacific Coast League—Oakland at Portland; Sacramento at Los Angeles; Venice at San Francisco.

Northwestern League—Portland at Seattle; Vancouver at Spokane; Victoria at Tacoma.

How the Series Stand.

Pacific Coast League—Portland 1 game, Oakland 0 game; Venice 1, San Francisco 0; Sacramento 1, Los Angeles 0.

Northwestern League—Portland 1 game, Seattle 1 game; Victoria 1, Tacoma 1; Vancouver 1, Spokane 1.

Portland Batting Averages.

Pacific Coast—	Ab.	H.	Ave.	Northwestern—	Ab	H.	Ave.
Lindsay.	309	96	.311	Mays.....	56	21	.375
Lober....	294	91	.309	Eastley...	63	19	.302
Doane....	360	111	.309	Callahan.	126	34	.284
H'g'tham	94	29	.309	Hellman..	247	69	.279
Krause..	72	22	.306	Mahoney.	293	81	.274
Fisher...	226	67	.297	Guigni...	312	85	.272
Speas....	197	55	.278	Melchior.	387	105	.272
Kores....	406	113	.278	Mohler...	366	96	.261
James....	70	19	.271	Conroy...	23	6	.261
Rodgers.	483	131	.271	Murray...	187	48	.257
Ch'db'rne	505	134	.265	Bancroft..	344	88	.256
Derrick..	311	80	.257	Todd.....	8	2	.250
Berry....	182	45	.248	Williams.	139	47	.226
M'C'mick	202	44	.217	Coltrin...	330	63	.191
Krapp....	49	10	.204	King.....	27	5	.185
West.....	73	10	.139	Hynes....	44	8	.181
Hag'rm'n	39	4	.102	Stanley...	69	10	.145
Carson...	12	1	.083	Martinoni	43	6	.139
McCredie	1	0	.000				

MAC NOW SATISFIED

Beavers "Tinkered" Into Winners, Says Manager.

PENNANT VISIONS ARE SEEN

Hagerman or James Will Pitch Today Against Malarkey Probably. Ables' Appearance Shows Recovery Not Complete.

After months of worry and manipulation, Walter McCredie, manager of the Portland Coast League club, says he is satisfied. He is now convinced that his present corps is strong enough to win the 1913 Pacific Coast League pennant, and said so last night, for the first time this year.

"I am through tinkering," declared Manager Mac, upon his arrival from California yesterday. "I expect to ride through to the finish with the present bunch. My pitchers are going good and I have a dandy all-around team. We ought to win the rag."

Mac had planned on using Higginbotham today, but, the big fellow was sent in yesterday on the wrecking crew, either Hagerman or James will be called into use this afternoon. Malarkey, of curve-ball fame, is expected to be the Oak choice.

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First Baseman Ness and Catcher Rohrer were left behind when the Oakland club came North to battle Portland. Ness' infant child is seriously ill, while Rohrer is on the hospital list.

"Gardner is playing a bang-up game at first," said Manager Mitze, "and, as I have developed into a regular receiver again, we are in pretty fair shape. Elmer Zacher is out of the lineup with a badly injured thumb, but should be back in harness before the week is out."

Harry Ables' appearance yesterday was his first in Portland, and his performance proved conclusively that the big fellow is not completely recovered from the effects of his broken hand. Harry is troubled with stiffness in the pitching fin and finds it difficult to grip the ball. He showed little of his old-time stuff.

Elmer Zacher will be presented with a $50 check today as reward for driving the ball against an advertising sign in right center field early in June. There was considerable argument over the blow, W. W. Metzger and others claiming that the ball hit the sign on the bounce, but the tobacco company finally decided to make the award.

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Umpire Phyle, who is here teaming with Ed Finney, played with the San Francisco Seals back in 1903. Hildebrand and Nick Williams were just breaking in then. Phyle umpired in the Eastern League a couple of seasons before being secured by President Baum, of the Coast circuit. He appears to be a first-class arbiter.

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Hi West threw his arm out of joint two weeks ago during the Sacramento series. That was why the star right hander did not pitch against Venice last week.

"I didn't realize how severe the wrench was until I twirled in the succeeding Los Angeles series," remarked Hi, last night. "Along about the final frames I saw my mistake in trying to use the wing so soon after the injury."

West exercised his flipper yesterday and believes he will be ripe for service this week.

Boston Nationals Get Four More.

BOSTON, Aug. 12.—The Boston Nationals have secured four additional new men toward strengthening the team for next season. Two are infielders and two are outfielders. The infielders are Dugey, second baseman of the Waco, Texas league club, and McCloskey, a third baseman of the Albany (Ga.) club of the South Atlantic league. From the Dallas club the Boston Braves have secured two outfielders, Wilson and Duncan, both now batting better than .300.

Letter for Dan O'Leary.

A letter from Dan O'Leary, pedestrian, is now at the office of the sporting editor.

Buddy Ryan's batting average at Cleveland is .288. Jackson leads with .394, then Lajoie .347, Birmingham .298, Ryan .288, Graney .279, Johnston .272, Chapman .270 and Olsen .256.

TRI-STATE RECRUIT WINS FOR SEATTLE

Martini, Late of Walla Walla, Lifts Ball Over Fence With Score Tied.

SINGLE ONLY IS CREDITED

Nill Trots Home With Winning Tally in Last Jump of Ninth and Portland Sees Hard-Fought Game Go 3-2.

Northwestern League Standings.

	W	L	PC		W	L	PC
Vancouver.	71	48	.597	Victoria....	56	64	.467
Seattle....	68	52	.567	Tacoma....	54	67	.446
Portland..	62	50	.554	Spokane...	44	74	.373

Yesterday's Results.

At Seattle—Seattle 3, Portland 2.
At Spokane—Vancouver 2, Spokane 0.
At Tacoma—Victoria 8, Tacoma 2.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Seattle, 3; Portland, 2. Martini, the Walla Walla recruit, won a desperately fought battle with a home run in the last jump of the ninth stanza, but received credit for only a single, as Nill trotted home from third.

Technically speaking, Callahan had the better of Gipe in the pitching battle which was intense interesting from beginning to end. The fielding was not as sensational as in some of the recent hard-fought battles, but every move meant something, and with the score 1 to 0 in favor of Seattle for eight innings tension was high. Seattle was fighting to hold second place and Portland was fighting to take it away.

Gipe Always in Trouble.

Callahan held the champions to two hits for seven innings, but one of them was a homer by Strait in the first inning. Although Gipe was not scored on until the ninth, he was continually in trouble. Portland had two men on in each of four innings, but when it came to reaching the plate Alva tightened. Only one of Seattle's six hits failed to count.

Callahan had easy sailing with the first two in the last half of the period, but incautiously put a fast ball, which Strait boosted over the right field fence. This homer was all Seattle got off Callahan except James' single in the fifth, up to the eighth, when Martini singled. Brown sacrificed, Raymond went out from third to first, Gipe's smash scored Martini.

Portland had not scored on Gipe in the beginning of the ninth, although they had chopped out five singles and Gipe had walked five. Mahoney, who has hitherto done things to Seattle, was up in three emergencies, and Gipe made a monkey of him each time.

Callahan Clears Fence.

Mays, in the ninth, dropped a Texas leaguer in left. Williams struck out. Callahan, who can wallop the ball, hit one a mile over the right field fence, scoring Mays in front. The Portland players shrieked with delight. The score was a tie.

Callahan had walked only one man up to the ninth and then he lost Nill. Strait popped to Guigni. Cadman drove a hot one into Callahan. The ball bounded at right angles and the runner was safe. James' out on a grounder to Hellman advanced the runner. Martini cleared the left fence for a homer. That settled it. Score:

Seattle—	B	H	O	A	E	Portland—	B	H	O	A	E
Shaw,r...	3	0	0	0	0	Bancroft,s	2	0	3	3	0
Nill,2.....	3	0	2	3	0	Guigni,l,3.	4	2	1	1	0
Strait,l...	4	1	2	0	0	Melchior,r.	3	0	1	0	0
Cadman,c.	4	1	7	2	0	Mahon'y,m	4	0	2	0	0
James,3...	4	1	0	2	0	Mohler,2..	4	1	3	2	1
Martini,m	4	2	2	0	0	Hellman,1.	4	1	10	2	0
Brown,1..	2	0	11	0	0	Coltrin,3..	2	0	0	0	0
Ra'mond,s	3	0	3	2	1	Mays,l....	1	1	0	0	0
Gipe,p....	3	1	0	1	1	Williams,c	3	0	4	2	0
						Callahan,p	4	2	2	3	0
Total..	30	6	27	10	1	Total..	31	7*	26	14	1

*Winning run scored with two out.

Seattle	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—3
Portland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2

Runs—Nill, Strait, Martini, Mays, Callahan. Home run—Strait, Callahan. Sacrifice hit—Brown, Bancroft. Stolen bases—Melchior. Struck out—By Gipe 7, by Callahan 4. Bases on balls—Off Gipe 7, off Callahan 2. Time—1:55. Umpire—Toman.

PETERS WEAKENS IN NINTH

Vancouver Takes Beautiful Game From Spokane, 2 to 0.

SPOKANE, Aug. 12.—Peters weakened in the ninth today after pitching a beautiful game of ball and passed two Vancouver batters and then contributed a wild pitch. McMurdo's single scored the two runners and Vancouver defeated Spokane 2 to 0. Clark pitched a good game and was especially effective in the pinches.

Twice during the game Spokane got out of trouble by pulling lightning double plays when Vancouver threatened the plate. Score:

Vancouver—	B	H	O	A	E	Spokane—	B	H	O	A	E
Brinker,l.	4	1	1	0	0	Wuffli,2...	4	2	2	6	0
Bennett,2.	3	0	6	1	0	McCarl,1..	4	1	14	0	0
Kippert,m	3	2	3	0	0	Powell,l...	3	1	1	0	0
Frisk,r...	3	0	1	0	0	Lynch,m..	3	0	2	0	0
McM'rdo,1	4	2	5	1	0	Pappa,r...	4	1	2	0	0
Heister,3.	4	0	2	4	0	Altman,3..	3	2	1	2	1
S'weber,s.	2	0	2	2	0	F'z'mons,s	4	1	1	2	0
Grindell,c.	3	0	7	1	0	Hannah,c.	3	0	4	2	0
Clark,p...	3	0	0	3	0	Peters,p...	3	0	0	4	0
Total..	29	5	27	12	0	Total..	31	8	27	16	1

Vancouver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2
Spokane	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Runs—Bennett, Kippert. Two-base hit—Kippert, McCarl, Wuffli. Sacrifice hit—Hannah, Frisk. Double plays—Wuffli to Fitzsimmons to McCarl; McMurdo to Scharnweber to Bennett; Fitzsimmons to Wuffli to McCarl. Hit by pitched ball—Altman, Powell. Wild pitch—Peters 2. Bases on balls—Off Clark 1, off Peters 8. Struck out—By Clark 3, by Peters 5. Left on bases—Vancouver 4, Spokane 5. Time—1:55. Umpire—Ostdiek.

VICTORIA HITS AND WINS, 8-2

Bee Batters Help Kantlehner to Win Pitching Duel.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 12.—Heavy hitting by Victoria batsmen, who made seven doubles out of 13 hits, gave the visitors an 8-to-2 victory. Kantlehner and Kaufman were engaged in a pitching duel, when the latter retired in order to permit Lanham to hit for him. Score:

Victoria—	B	H	O	A	E	Tacoma—	B	H	O	A	E
Crum,m..	5	3	1	0	0	Hensling,s	4	0	1	2	0
Ra'lings,2	4	1	3	5	0	Million,l..	4	1	1	1	0
Zimm'n,r	5	2	1	0	0	Fries,m..	4	1	2	0	0
Meek,1..	4	2	10	0	0	Harbison,1	2	1	4	0	0
Swain,l..	4	1	7	0	0	Holder'n,p	2	0	3	0	1
Alberts,3.	4	1	0	1	1	Neighb's,r	4	0	2	0	0
Delmas,s.	4	2	1	2	0	Keller,2..	4	0	4	2	0
Shea,c...	4	1	4	1	1	M'Mullen,3	3	2	2	4	0
Kantle'r,p	4	0	0	3	1	Harris,c..	4	1	8	2	0
						Kauf'an,p	2	0	0	0	0
						Belford,p.	0	0	0	0	0
						M'Ginn'y,p	0	0	0	0	0
						Wakef'd,p	0	0	0	0	0
						Lanham*.	1	1	0	0	0
						Heale**..	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	13	27	12	3	Totals.	35	7	27	11	1

*Batted for Kaufman in seventh.
**Batted for Wakefield in ninth.

Victoria	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	3	—8
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	—2

Runs—Crum 2, Rawlings, Zimmerman, Meek 2, Alberts, Delmas, McMullen 2. Stolen bases—Crum, Rawlings, Meek, Harbison. Two-base hits—Zimmerman 2, Shea, Swain, Meek, Delmas, Alberts. Three-base hits—Crum. Pitchers' record—Six hits, 2 runs off Kaufman in 7 innings; one hit, no runs off Belford in 1-3 inning; four hits, 4 runs off McGinnity in 1 inning; two hits, 2 runs off Wakefield in 2-3 inning. Struck out—By Kantlehner 3, Kaufman 2. Bases on balls—Belford 1. Hit by pitched ball—McMullen, by Kantlehner. Time—1:38. Charge defeat to Kaufman. Umpire—Casey.

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Boatman Sets New Record, Allowing Only 29 to Face Him—Boise Begins Scoring at Start.

Teams in the first and second divisions of the Western Tri-State League started a series Tuesday and North Yakima won from Pendleton, 4 to 0, while Boise beat Walla Walla 7 to 3.

At North Yakima the Braves won by getting extra base hits and by the Bucks' inability to hit Boatman. Taylor tapped out a homer, Stoke a three-bagger and Fuller and Nadeau doubles. Boatman fanned seven and walked one. Welch, with Walla Walla till last week, worked for Pendleton and fanned three and walked two. He allowed nine hits, while Boatman permitted but one. None of the Buckaroos' errors contributed toward a run.

Boatman set a new record, as but 29 Buckaroos faced him in the nine innings. The ball was hit frequently, but not safely, and his teammates gave him fine support. The score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Pendleton.	0	1	3	N. Yakima.	4	9	0

Batteries—Welch and Haworth; Boatman and Taylor.

Walla Walla was at Boise and the Irrigators got busy at the start and had it not been for the generosity of Bonner of Boise, who loosened in the eighth, after winning the game 7 to 0, Walla Walla would not have scored. McIvor, the Seattle hurler, worked for Walla Walla, and, though he passed eight and hit three batsmen, but one of these gifts figured in the count. Consistent hitting, with extra base swats and errors, did the work. Friene's catch when he pulled Harmon's hit off the fence with one hand was the feature. The score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Walla W..	3	8	3	Boise......	7	8	1

Batteries—McIvor and Brown; Bonner and Gard.

Sporting Sparks

APPARENTLY the major league world's tourists are to pass up Portland this fall. The schedule of the Chicago Sox-New York Giant tour shows a jump from San Francisco to Seattle. A game also will be played at Vancouver prior to embarkation for the Orient along about the middle of November.

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"Mysterious Mitchell" Walker, erstwhile Coast League pitcher, tried out with Brooklyn a few days ago, but was chased for calling Umpire Brennan a "fathead." Walker allowed one hit in two innings, and two walks. He has been tried out by the Athletics, Senators, White Sox, Reds and Giants, and now Brooklyn proposes to see what he can do. Walker created a sensation at San Francisco a few years back by his peculiar antics.

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Ned Pettigrew, former Portland outfielder, is playing with the Chicago Federal League Club. Adolph Rebe, a well-known Portland fan, enjoyed a visit with Petty in Chicago a few days ago. The "Baron" says the Federal League clubs draw as well as the Coast League and he looks for the new outlaw circuit to develop into a formidable rival of the majors in a few years.

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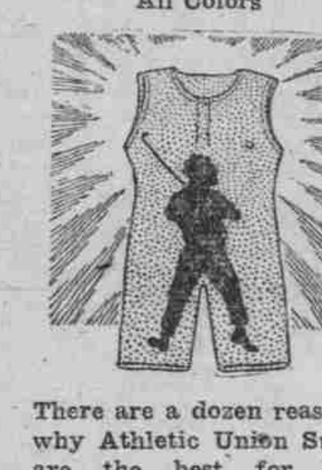

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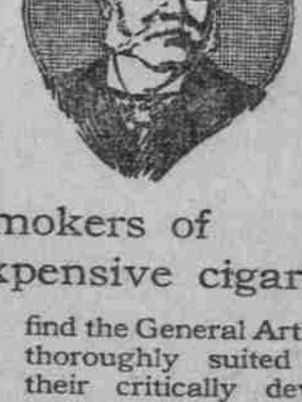

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