

PEAKERS TAKE TWO, MAKING IT IN ROW

Sacramento Showed to Second Division by Bill Speas' Eleventh-Inning Clout.

RODGERS PLAYS BIG PART

West Toys With Wolves in First Game, Winning 5-2, but Second Is Thriller With Each Team Using Two Pitchers.

Pacific Coast League Standings.

W. L. Pct.
Portland. . . . 21 9 53.5
Seattle. . . . 15 15 50.0
Tacoma. . . . 15 15 50.0
Vancouver. . . . 15 15 50.0
San Francisco. . . . 15 15 50.0

Cracked ice for Wolverines! Eight thousand spectators packed into Coast League Park yesterday and cheered themselves hoarse urging Portland to a double victory over Sacramento.

Winning seven successive games in no small feat. Portland slipped that day to Sacramento the last week of August, 1912, and yesterday repeated by the double minus on cyanide. Sacramento came north in second place, keyed to a fighting pitch, confident of displacing Portland from the lead.

Rodgers' Batting Features.

Captain Bill Rodgers' wonderful bat execution, combined with brilliant work on the part of Bill West to spread the crowd over the field, lively in the curtain raising, Portland took the lead in the fifth inning and was never headed.

But it remained for the second affair to furnish the real fight. Every molecule of the sea-saw matinee breathed with excitement.

It takes more than your little brother of the church league to beat Sacramento. Three times the Solons tied the score, Deacon Van Buren plugged out a two-bagger with the bases full, scoring three men in the seventh inning.

Speas Uses Trusty Bluegen.

And then along came Billy Speas and his trusty bluegen in the eleventh inning after two were out. It was the bluegen that won the game for the home team.

West's Pitching Fine.

Concerning details, West twirled a mastery game in the 5-2 affair. He allowed seven hits against 11 off Livley. Each team scored a run in the seventh inning. The home team threw of first in the fifth inning and Rodgers' second hit put Portland in the lead, 2-1, and the Beavers were never headed.

SEALS WIN DOUBLE-HEADER

Repeating Baker's performance of yesterday, pitching a three-hit game, Perritt, who went into the box for Los Angeles, lasted only until the fourth inning.

Fanning and Overall Hold Angels Safe in Successive Games.

Portland forged ahead again with one run in the last of the third. Arellanes bounced a short fly Higginbotham's head and Speas scored him with a single. But the Wolves bit their fangs into Higginbotham and tied that, 2-2, in the sixth on Van Buren's double.

Wolves Renew Attack.

Back to the attack forged the blood-thirsty Senators in the seventh. Higginbotham grew chivvory and walked two men, filling the bases with two out. Van Buren spilled Hig's hopes and wet-blanketed the enthusiasm by whaling forth a two-bagger, scoring three men and then Hagerman went in the box.

TWIRLER HIGGINBOTHAM INVADERS DEN AND RAISES COUGAR IN ARMS

Feat Accomplished Here Recalls to Teammate Time When Portland Pitcher Pits Wrestling Skill Against Large Bear.



W big 195-pound hurler that he go in and throw one of them.
"Betcha \$5 I can do it," replied Higginbotham.
"The wagger was on. And, before going further, let it be said that I lost."
"Without so much as batting an eye Higginbotham unrolled a package of snuff from his hip pocket, threw it into the cage, and then, while Bruin and Brother Bruin were reading the air with cautious and pitiable sniffing, Higginbotham calmly walked into the den, placed a hammerlock and crotch hold on the largest of the grizzlies, and rolled him over on his back, like a Pommeranian poodle.

Tri-State Race Close

Every Team, Except Pendleton, Has Chance to Win Pennant—How Narrowly Averted.

North Yakima turned the tables on Boise in the Western Tri-State League Sunday, winning 7 to 2, while Pendleton upset the "dope" and won from Walla Walla, 1 to 0. With six games yet to play this season, this leaves the probable winner still undetermined.

OAKS DIVIDE WITH VENICE

Killaly Wins in Morning and in Afternoon Koestner Is Puzzle.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 30.—Oakland and Venice remained stationary in the percentage column by dividing today's double-header, the morning contest going to Oakland by a 3-to-0 score, while Venice scored an easy victory in the afternoon, 6 to 2.

Notes of the Game.

The crowd was one of the largest of the season. Aside from the opening it ranked probably second of the campaign.

Baseball Statistics

STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS.

National League		W. L. Pct.	
St. Louis	21	9	53.5
Chicago	15	15	50.0
Cleveland	15	15	50.0

YOU CAN RAG NOW.

You can rag or Turkey trot in the trousers I sell. They will fit and satisfy any man, providing he has the legs. No profit tacked on to pay for high rent, Jimmy Egan, room 215, Oregonian building, take elevator.

RAILY BOGOLTS GOES FOR NACHT

Heilmann's Error With Two Out Lets Tigers Shove Over Winning Tally.

PORTLAND SCARES TACOMA

Six-Run Lead Is Overcome in Eighth Inning Only to Have First Baseman Drop Ball at Critical Moment Later.

Northwestern League Standings.

W. L. Pct.		W. L. Pct.	
Vancouver	22	5	64.7
Portland	12	15	44.7
Seattle	13	14	48.3

Heilmann's error with two out and runners on first and second bases was a costly mistake. The Tacoma Tigers were leading 4-2 in the eighth inning when Heilmann dropped the ball at first base, allowing the runners to advance and score.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 10, Pittsburg 0.

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—Detroit and Chicago bunched into opportunely today, the former winning a see-saw game, 5 to 4. This was the final appearance of Manager Jennings' club here this season.

Cincinnati 10-8, St. Louis 5-2.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 31.—Cincinnati won two games of a double-header today from St. Louis, the first 10 to 5, and the second, 8 to 2. The locals had a record without either of the clerical costs, hitting the St. Louis pitchers when their meat runs.

Spokane Pitcher Weakens and Four Victories Runners Score.

SPOKANE, Aug. 31.—After pitching edge-angled ball for ten innings, Douglass weakened in the eleventh and was battered for two singles and three triples, which gave Victoria four runs and a 3-0 victory.

SEATTLE LOSES 4 TO 1 WITH GIPE HIT

Hard by Vancouver.

SEATTLE, Aug. 31.—Vancouver hit Gipe hard today and won from Seattle, 4 to 1. The locals could do nothing with Cadreau and were held scoreless until the ninth inning, when Jackson knocked a home run.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis 9, Cleveland 1.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 31.—St. Louis fell to within one game of last place today when Cleveland won the final game 9 to 1, and made it three games in succession. Balent was the only local player to tally while Chapman,

Talk Number Twenty

It is and it isn't

Gen'l ARTHUR Mild 10 Cigar

TIES MADE FOR MEDAL

Five will shoot off for Stevens trophy.

WILSON HAS HIGH SCORE OF 94 IN WEEKLY MATCH, WHILE DRYDEN AND HUNTLEY ARE EVEN IN DOUBLES.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 31.—A freak club took back in the morning of today's game between Indianapolis and Louisville American Association teams.

YACHT CLUB REGATTA POSTPONED.

Because many of the members of the Oregon Yacht Club wanted to go on the cruise of the Portland Motorboat Club and the canoe trip of the Portland Rowing Club, the regatta of the Oregon Yacht Club scheduled for this afternoon has been postponed until later in the week.

GOLF TITLE AT STAKE TODAY.

More than half of the golfers who will begin to play in the National Amateur golf championship tomorrow at Portland in preliminary practice rounds on the Garden City Club's course today.

CADREAU PUZZLE TO GIANTS

Seattle loses 4 to 1 with Gipe hit.

Sporting Sparks

Only eight umpires will be carried the season.

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