

PORTLAND FANS TO FEAST WITH STARS

Major League Players Accept Invitation to Banquet After Big Game.

CANVAS COVERS DIAMOND

Only Deluge Can Stop Contest at Recreation Park—Rose City to See Last Game of Touring Teams Before They Sail.

LINEUP FOR TODAY'S GAME.

White Sox—	Giants—
Weaver, ss.	Snodgrass, cf.
Rath, 3b.	Magee, lf.
Speaker, cf.	Robert, 2b.
Crawford, rf.	Doyle, 2b.
Chase, 1b.	Niekirk, 2b.
Schaefer, 2b.	Doohan, ss.
Evans, lf.	Thorpe, rf.
Schalk, c.	Wingo, c.
Leverenz, p.	Fromme, p.
Klem and Sheridan, umpires.	

Two wonderful major league baseball teams will mobilize in Portland today for an exhibition at Recreation Park. Bound on a tour around the globe, the New York Giants and the Chicago Americans will enjoy their last sleep on American soil in Portland tonight, preparatory to embarking aboard ship for Japan, Siam, Ceylon, Egypt, France, Germany, England, Holland and Ireland—a three months' journey in all.

The exhibition at Recreation Park is set for 2:30 o'clock, and while the weather man is not optimistic, a canvas has been spread over the ball field, and nothing short of a deluge will prevent a game.

The sojourn of the big league stars in Portland will be a kaleidoscopic panorama of excitement.

Sight-Seeing Trip Planned.
Fielder A. Jones, ex-manager of the Chicago Sox, is head of a reception committee that has arranged for a banquet at the Union Depot at 7:30 A. M. Breakfast will be followed by automobile sight-seeing rides, and then comes the ball game, with an informal yet ornately fringed banquet on the card for the evening hours, beginning at 6:30 o'clock.

Banquet Tickets in Demand.
George L. Baker has been chosen toastmaster for the banquet, which will be held in one of the beautifully decorated dining halls at the Multnomah Hotel. Mayor Albee will be one of the speakers. Because of the demand for tickets, the committee raised the guest limit from 100 to 125 yesterday, and these extra billets can be secured from J. E. Appleby, Marshall 2004, or from E. S. Higgins, Main 1860.

Roster Clustered With Class.
While the Chicago Americans are coming mostly by proxy, Charles Comiskey's roster scintillates with class.

The Sox are managed by James Callahan—some actor man, they say—and he has under his fatherly wing Ray Schalk, his great young backstop; Ben Russell, Buck Weaver, late of the Seals; Leverenz, ex-Angel; Sam Crawford, the great Detroit slugger; Tris Speaker, the Boston fence-buster; Herman Schaefer, the comedian; Benz, Hal Chase, the world's greatest first-sacker; Steve Evans, of St. Louis, and others.

Jack Sheridan and Bill Klem are the umpires attending.

Only 24 players will be taken abroad, according to Managing Director Sullivan. Hence several of the stars will leave the team tomorrow at Seattle, and as the tourists can pack only a limited number of players through lack of storage room, Tris Speaker will be among those left behind. The teams play on too many islands after leaving United States soil, says Director Sullivan.

Telegraphic Sporting Briefs

COLUMBIA—Coach Brewer announced tonight that the Missouri State University football team would do only light workouts and little scrimmage this week in preparation for the annual battle with Kansas next Saturday.

PHILADELPHIA—With nearly two weeks ahead in which to prepare for the game of the season with Cornell on Thanksgiving day, the coaches decided to give the University of Pennsylvania football squad a rest today.

ANN ARBOR—James W. Reynolds, 15, engineer of Detroit, was elected today captain of the University of Michigan football eleven for 1914.

CAMBRIDGE—A week of preparation by the Harvard football team in pre-

GIANTS SHUT OUT WHITE SOX, 3 TO 0

fecting a scheme of attack and defense against Yale in the game to be played next Saturday was begun today. There was much individual instruction.

St. Louis—The Christian Brothers College football team changed training quarters today to hold secret practices for the Notre Dame game here next Saturday. Coach Kelly had 25 men out and gave all the second team men a trial on the varsity team, changing his lineup several times.

Chicago—With the beginning today of practice for the Wisconsin game next Saturday, coaches at the University of Chicago did not exhibit the confidence shown before the Minnesota game. Two of the regulars are on the hospital list. Des Jardien appeared on the field on crutches.

Chicago—Friends of Johnny Coulon, the bantamweight champion, who feared that he had met with harm dur-



Leverenz, Former Los Angeles Southpaw, Who Will Pitch in Sox-Giants Contest on Vaughn-Street Field Today.

ing the recent storm on the Great Lakes, were reassured today when a letter reached Portland yesterday that he would remain hunting in the Canadian wilds for another month.

Lawrence, Kan.—The University of Kansas football squad, not discouraged by defeat at the hands of Nebraska last Saturday, was out on the field for a hard practice today in preparation for the game with Missouri on Saturday.

Chicago—Coach Dennis Grady, of the Northwestern University football squad, put the men through a light practice today, the Minnesota football squad to be used against Ohio State University next Saturday. Coach Grady is pessimistic about the chances of winning the last game of the season.

Minneapolis—Unmindful of Saturday's defeat by Chicago, Coach Williams met today for patriotic reasons through a hard scrimmage today in preparation for the contest with Illinois next Saturday. The men all came back the maroon battle in fair shape.

New Haven—Yale's varsity football team rested today, the players remaining at the Fairfield Country Club, where they went after the Princeton game Saturday. The men returned to New Haven tonight. On Thursday night the squad will leave for Auburndale, Mass., to remain until the game with Harvard Saturday.

ATHLETIC UNION ELECTS ALFRED J. LILL, JR., CHOSEN HEAD OF AMATEUR ORGANIZATION.

Ninety-two new records approved. The retiring president advocates competition with professionals.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Alfred J. Lill, Jr., of Boston, was elected today president of the Amateur Athletic Union. John Elliott, of San Francisco, was elected first vice-president, and James E. Sullivan, of New York, was elected secretary-treasurer.

The elections took place at the annual meeting of the union. The election of Lill's president was somewhat of a surprise, the general opinion prior to the vote being that George F. Pawling, of Philadelphia, the only nominee for the office, would succeed Gustavus T. Kirby, the retiring executive. The vote stood 23 in 9 in favor of Lill.

In all 92 new records, made in the last year, were approved. Seventy-eight of these were in track and field events and the remaining 14 were for swimming. Of the swimming records Duke P. Khanamoku, of Honolulu, was credited with seven. Hannes Kolehmainen, the Finnish Olympic distance runner, was given 43 new records—12 indoor and 31 outdoor track records—at distances from 2 1/4 to 10 miles. H. P. Drew, the sprinter from Springfield, Mass., High School, accounted for new indoor time marks at 70 and 75 yards of 7 1/5 and 7 3/5 seconds respectively.

John Paul Jones, of Cornell, with his world's outdoor record of 4:12-5, and Abel R. Kiviat, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, with 4:13-15 for a mile indoors, were honored among middle-distance runners for the year.

President Kirby, before retiring, submitted a long statement of the work accomplished during his term and advocated that competitions under strict conditions and limitations between amateur and professional athletes should be sanctioned. This was referred to the board of governors.

The secretary-treasurer's report showed a net gain for the year of \$215.56 and a balance of \$24,877.62 on hand. The boxing championships proved the best source of revenue during the year. They netted \$308.84. The only branch of sport where the net revenues reached the \$1000 mark was the indoor senior championships, which showed a profit of \$2584.19.

NEGROES TO PLAY BASEBALL

Chicago Blacks Back League Capitalized for \$50,000.

PIERRE, S. D., Nov. 17.—Articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State here today for the Colored National Baseball League of the United States.

The league is capitalized for \$50,000 and is backed by Chicago negroes.

Wapato Beats Yakima Seconds.
WAPATO, Wash., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—In a football game in which line play featured, Wapato defeated the second team of the North Yakima High School on the local gridiron, 7 to 6. The same teams will play again Thanksgiving afternoon in North Yakima.

MAJEE MAKES ONE-HANDED CATCH WITH UMBRELLA OVER HIS HEAD.

MEDFORD, Or., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—With umbrellas for the background, foreground and centerpiece, the Giants defeated the White Sox here 3 to 0 today in a five-inning game and broke the tie of the series. It rained before the game, during the game and after the game, making it such a natorial exhibition as has not been seen on the trip.

Magee, in the outfield for Giants, made a one-handed catch with an umbrella over his head, while Sheridan umpired in an overcoat.

During the forenoon it rained, but when the tourists arrived it stopped for a few minutes and immediately the committee insisted that the game be played. Comiskey and McGraw were willing to let the forfeit go by but the fans had paid \$2 a throw to see the major leaguers in action and they would not be satisfied without a game.

The first inning went by without a hitch, then the clouds began to leak, and for four solid hours it poured.

The ball diamond had been rolled at noon, and when the game was called at 1:30 there was a good surface to play on. Umpire Sheridan wore an overcoat, Doyle carried an umbrella and the tourists floundered through five innings as conclusively as if the sun had been shining.

As Umpire Klem bawled out the notables as they came to bat everyone yelled. The lightning work of the New York infield also aroused much enthusiasm. The presence on the White Sox team of Don Hader, an ex-High School star of Medford, who was recruited by Comiskey last summer and is spending the winter at his home here, added to the interest. Hader played an errorless game and knocked a hard one to the left field fence, which was a foul by three inches.

There was a crowd jammed in the bleachers and along the sidewalk, but no one made a move to leave and there were even slight murmurs of protest when Umpire Klem called the game at the end of the sixth inning. Not that the fans did not consider that they had had \$2 worth of fun, but they simply ate up the "big league stuff." By this time the players were floundering around in the mud while with every ball thrown it was a hit and miss affair. Still it was a remarkably clean game, some of the plays which are to be remembered being a one-handed stop and pick-up setting the fans wild. Wittae tried to fool the Sox and Benz had been picked to keep the Giants guessing.

The Sox never had a chance at Wittae's slants while the Nationals pounded Joe hard and often, getting a start of two runs in the first inning on two clouts into the outfield.

Fast fielding kept the bases clean until the fifth, when Robert's and Merkle's doubles pulled in one tally.

Rader Plays Third.
Joe Rader, who lives here and who was with the Sox for a minute last year, played third, as Schaefer was laid up with a lame back. Immediately after the game the Commercial Association here tendered a banquet and the tourists made their get-away for Portland at little after 8 o'clock.

The score:

White Sox—	R	H	O	A	Giants—	R	H	O	A	E
Egan, 2	0	0	0	0	Snodgrass	1	1	1	0	0
Baths	0	0	0	0	Magee	1	1	1	0	0
Speaker	1	2	0	0	Robert	1	2	0	0	0
Crawford	0	2	0	0	Doyle	0	2	0	0	0
Hader	0	0	0	0	Niekirk	4	1	1	0	0
Evans	0	0	0	0	Doohan	0	0	0	0	0
Chase	0	0	0	0	Thorpe	0	0	0	0	0
Schalk	0	0	0	0	Wingo	0	0	0	0	0
Benz	0	0	0	0	Wittae	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	0	4	18	8	Totals	8	18	10	0	0
White Sox	0	0	0	0	Giants	3	0	0	0	0

Runs—Snodgrass, Magee, Robert, Two-base hits—Crawford, Doyle, Merkle, Wittae, Robert. Double plays—Doyle to Merkle, Struck out—By Benz 4. Wild pitches—None. Time—52 minutes. Umpires—Klem and Sheridan.

After the game all the players and the six brides were guests at a banquet at Hotel Medford. The couples were arranged like a baseball diamond and around the edge of the room were long tables marked bleachers. Two hundred attended. Judge Golvig presided as toastmaster. Manager Callahan, of the White Sox, outlined the purpose of the trip, pointing out that it was not a money-making venture, but an effort to make baseball an international sport.

During the afternoon the wives of the players were entertained by a committee of Medford women, including Mrs. Edgar Hafer, Mrs. Stanton Griffin, Mrs. W. B. Campbell, Mrs. Putnam, Mrs. Gate and Mrs. Simpson.

NEWBERG TEAMS ORGANIZE

Development of Good Players Promised at High School.

NEWBERG, Or., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—Prospects for winning basketball teams at the Newberg High School for the 1913 season are bright. Two weeks ago a basketball league was organized among the players who are not on the regular team. Kraus, who captained the Milwaukee team that won the championship of Wisconsin in 1907, has charge of the local league.

Four of the regular men who played on the team last year are the nucleus of this year's five.

Ralph Butt was chosen captain and Frank Miller manager of the boys' team.

Besides the regular players of the girls' team of last year, 11 other girls are coming out for practice and earning points to a fast team. The coach is negotiating with teams at Baker, Salem, McMinnville, Forest Grove, Lincoln of Portland, and Astoria.

Work to Start on Cup Defender.

BRISTOL, R. I., Nov. 17.—Eighty-four tons of lead to be used in the keel of the Vanderbilt syndicate 75-foot sloop prepared for the America's cup defense trials for the 1912 season, was landed here today. Preparations for actual construction work on the boat are going forward rapidly. The masting rigging down which the yacht will slide was completed today.

Swedes Want to Shoot.

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 17.—The Swedish Olympic committee has sent two delegates to Berlin to protest against the proposition of the British and American and German committees to curtail the shooting programme by eliminating the running deer and several short range competitions.

CHAMPIONS!



Tom Keene
Joe Dawson
Willie Ritchie
Jim Thorpe
Tyrus Cobb

Cobb batted .385 in 1910 and beat his own record in 1911 by batting out .420, fans said .385 couldn't be beat.

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VALLEY TITLE IN DOUBT

SALEM-CORVALLIS HIGH GAME MAY SETTLE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Undeclared Rival Football Teams Are Due for Contest Saturday—Heavy Veterans Are in C. H. S. Line.

CORVALLIS, Or., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—With a record of four High School games played and no defeat, the Corvallis High School team is making a strong bid for the Valley High School championship, and now is trying to arrange for a game with Salem High next Saturday.

The Corvallis High's line has not been crossed by a High School team and the team has defeated Eugene 26 to 0, Lebanon 31 to 0, McMinnville 18 to 0, and the Cottage Grove team was held to a scoreless game. The team was beaten by O. A. C. Freshmen 8 to 0. Salem High also has gone through the season without a defeat, but the "dogs" gives Corvallis an advantage, as Salem beat Eugene only by 16 to 7. Valley teams would settle the championship.

A game between the two undeclared valley teams would settle the championship. Corvallis High School has an excellent team this year. The line averages 157 pounds, the backfield about 150, and the team has several veterans.

Grants Pass Shots to Visit Medford.
GRANTS PASS, Or., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—A large delegation from the gun club will go to Medford this week to participate in a shooting tournament.

ROSEBURG BASKETBALL TEAM WINS

ROSEBURG, Or., Nov. 17.—(Special.)—In a slow, but amusing exhibition of basketball, the Roseburg High School team last night defeated the Sutherlin team by a score of 66 to 11. The game was characterized by many errors on the part of the visitors.

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