

CHARGE THAT HELD BET ON GAME IS UP

"Red" Goes to San Francisco to Report on Subject to President Baum.

CHIEF UPHOLDS ACCUSED

"Empire Honest as a Die," Declares Baum in Discussing Trouble Caused by Maggert in Sacramento Game Sunday.

Pacific Coast League Standings. W. L. Pct. Venice... 52 22 .244 Sacramento... 44 25 .478 Portland... 45 23 .285 Oakland... 44 25 .389

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—(Special.)—An official investigation is being made of the trouble between umpire "Red" Held and Earl Maggert, center fielder of the Los Angeles club, which followed Sunday afternoon's game at Sacramento. Held came to San Francisco today to make a personal report to President A. T. Baum and set forth his side of the argument.

According to Held, the row commenced through the activities of certain members of the Los Angeles club in circulating reports in Portland a week before that the umpire was involved in betting on the ball games. Early in the week at the Capital City one of the Los Angeles players made a remark touching on the Portland incident. Held told President Baum today that he went to Manager Dillon with the declaration that the charge could not possibly be true and that it was Dillon's duty to prohibit his players from saying such things.

President Baum told Held that he was ashamed that the official should so far forget his duties as an umpire as to engage in a fight with a player, but has taken action to run down the story about Held being in the presence of a baseball crowd. There will be an investigation, and if the person guilty of starting the rumor can be found he will be punished.

"Whatever is said about 'Red Held,'" said President Baum, "I know that he is honest above all things. Nothing would get a man out of baseball quicker than to have the report get abroad that he is involved in betting on the games. I don't blame the umpire for resenting such a charge, but I regret that he should forget himself by starting a fight in the presence of a baseball crowd. There will be an investigation, and if the person guilty of starting the rumor can be found he will be punished."

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia 3, Detroit 3. DETROIT, July 27.—Dubuc's wildness and wretched fielding by his teammates today enabled Philadelphia to make it three straight from Detroit, 3 to 2. It was Philadelphia's twelfth consecutive victory. In the first inning Philadelphia scored three runs without making a hit. Dubuc hit two batsmen and threw wildly to first, which, coupled with errors by his teammates, allowed the visitors to take the lead from the start. Dubuc was taken out in the second after he had again filled the bases with three successive passes. Score: Philadelphia... 3 Detroit... 3

ST. LOUIS, July 27.—McBride's triple, followed by Almsmith's single in the 13th inning, gave Washington a victory, 7 to 6, over St. Louis in an exciting contest. Score: Washington... 7 St. Louis... 6

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Boston 3, Cleveland 0.

CLEVELAND, July 27.—Boston made it three straight by shutting out Cleveland today, 3 to 0. Hoblitzel, at first base, had but two putouts, one being

LONGWOOD TROPHY TO STAY IN COAST

McLoughlin and Murray, Californians, Win in Semi-Finals at Boston.

WILLIAMS' FIGHT IS HARD

Tennis Best Since Davis Cup Players Met Last Year—New York Pairs Contenders for Eastern Doubles Championship.

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TACOMA BEATS BALLARD

MURRAY IS PUT OUT OF GAME FOR PROTESTING RULING.

Seattle Shuts Out Vancouver and Victoria Is Blanked by Spokane in Other Northwestern Contests.

Northwestern League Standings. W. L. Pct. Vancouver... 44 25 .407 Spokane... 41 28 .393 Seattle... 39 31 .356 Tacoma... 38 32 .341

TACOMA, Wash., July 27.—Free hitting with men on bases won the opening game of the series for Tacoma from Ballard today by a score of 6 to 2. By a close decision Bender was called out in the eighth because he did not touch third, after Neighbors had scored Fritch on a three-bagger. Empire Wheeler put Murray out of the game in the fourth because he protested a decision and Haworth caught the remainder of the game for R.H.E. Score: Tacoma... 6 Ballard... 2

Seattle 4, Vancouver 0. SEATTLE, Wash., July 27.—Doty was wild and was hit hard during the five innings which he pitched for Vancouver today, and Seattle won the first game of the series, 4 to 0. Dell kept the visitors' hits well scattered. His batting was a feature, he being credited with two three-baggers, both of which counted in the scoring. Score: Seattle... 4 Vancouver... 0

Victoria 8, Spokane 0. VICTORIA, B. C., July 27.—Narveson held Spokane to four scattered hits today and was never in trouble, while the Bees found Noyes often and at opportune times, winning the opening game of the series, 8 to 0. Score: Victoria... 8 Spokane... 0

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis 5, Brooklyn 2. BROOKLYN, July 27.—The St. Louis tail-ender prevented the Brooklyn from going into second place in the Federal League today by winning the opening game of a series here by to 5 to 2. All of the visitors' runs came in the eighth. Score: St. Louis... 5 Brooklyn... 2

Baltimore 6, Indianapolis 0. BALTIMORE, July 27.—Indiana played a 13-inning game from Baltimore today, 6 to 2. Suggs relieved Quinn in the 13th, and the visitors took the score. Billiard, who went into the box for Indianapolis in the eighth inning, prevented further scoring by the locals. Suggs allowed two hits. Kniff's home run in the thirteenth inning scored two runners ahead of R.H.E. Indianapolis 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 4—6 15 3. Baltimore 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 11 3

Buffalo 7, Chicago 2. BUFFALO, July 27.—The Buffalo Federalers celebrated Joe Thicker's birthday at Federal field today by defeating his team, 7 to 2. Anderson pitched a good game, the eight hits off him being scattered through seven innings. Lange was retired in the fifth, after filling the bases and forcing in a run. Watson, who succeeded him, was found for two hits in a row by McDonald and Chase, the latter sent in as a pinch hitter, making four runs all told. Score: Buffalo... 7 Chicago... 2

Kansas City 2, Pittsburg 1. PITTSBURG, July 27.—Cullop bested Barger today in a pitching duel and Kansas City took game of the series from Pittsburg, 2 to 1. Barger's wildness helped the visitors, while Cullop struck out nine locals. Score: Kansas City... 2 Pittsburg... 1

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EXTRA HEATS REQUIRED MAJOR ONG WINS THREE IN ROW IN 215 GRAND CIRCUS TROT.

Ortolan Axworthy Gets Sweepstakes For 212 Trotters, Tommy Murphy 204 Pace, and Grand Marshal 208.

DETROIT, Mich., July 27.—Of the four events on the card of today's grand circuit opening, two required six heats each to decide the winner, one race went one extra heat and the fourth was won in straight heats.

Tommy Murphy never was in great danger with Walter Cochato in the 204 pace, though Cochato was favored in the 212 trot, Tommy Horn took the first two heats and Reuens, last year's M. & M. winner, the fifth.

On tomorrow's card are the Chamber of Commerce \$5000 stake for 215 class pacers, the 205 pace, 218 trot, the last three named having a value of \$1050 each.

215 pace, purse \$1050, 3 in 5—Major Ong, b. s., by Major Gantz... 212 trot, purse \$1050, 3 in 5—Tommy Horn, b. s., by Tommy Horn...

AMATEUR ATHLETICS THE Piedmont Maroons trimmed the Columbia Hardware Company, 7 to 6, in a ten-inning contest Sunday on the Peninsula Park grounds.

FEDERALS LOSE BY 14 TO 2 SCORE IN Last Game of Final Series. Because of their 14 to 2 victory over the Clinton Kelly Federals on the Jefferson High School grounds Sunday the Golden Rods, formerly the Albina Merchants, are the 1914 champions of the Archer-Wiggins Junior Baseball League.

SHERIDAN DEFEATS DALLAS. Sheridan defeated Dallas in the fifth and deciding game of a five-game series here yesterday by a score of 7 to 1. Foster, who pitched for the Federals, allowed only three hits, while Tuerck got 14 hits. Sheridan wins the championship of Folk and Yamhill counties.

With Your Picnic Lunch GOLFERS PLAY IN RAIN ALL FAVORITES AMONG 64 LOW MEN OUT OF 228. R. B. Martin, of Hammond, Ind., Turns In Card of 72 in Western Amateur Golf Championships.

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