SEALS OPEN ATTACK ON BEAVERS TODAY

Howard Confident and Seems to Be Basing Hopes for Victory on Fanning.

PERNOLL MAY BE OPENER

Krause Is Likely to Be Portland's Twirler in First Game—Hospital List of Champions Still Is Important Factor.

Pacific Coast League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Portland..	78	56	.582	San Fran..	78	68	.534
Los Ange's	77	67	.535	Sacram'nto	63	82	.435
Venice....	77	67	.535	Oakland...	54	87	.383

Howard's Seals today will throw out their advance guard on the Vaughn-street battleground in an attempt to feel the strength of the victorious and unchecked Beavers. Howard has been a hard nut to crack in previous encounters and has sent word up north that he is confident of taking the Beavers' number again. The games today and tomorrow will not start until 3:30 o'clock to allow the circus crowd to get away for the game.

Howard seems to be basing his hopes mainly on Fanning, whose wing is once more in good shape, as is evidenced by his victory last week over Happy's hope, Klepfer, when he was invincible in the pinches.

Southpaw Hub Pernoll is almost certain to be the opening pitcher for the visitors, with probably Portsider Krause on the mound for Walter.

In the meantime Sacramento will be at Oakland and Los Angeles will visit Venice.

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Figures of Sunday's ball game show that Oakland was not deficient in hitting, for the team ran up a total of ten hits off Hig and eight in the second game. The 18 hits brought them a total of four runs, while Portland's 19 bingles amassed no less than ten. The reason for the difference lies in the difference between the swats.

Portland has more long-distance clouters than any other team. Kores and Lober alone have a pretty good record between them. Ty has nine triples, 20 doubles and ten home runs to his credit, while the Dutchman numbers 25 doubles, five triples and four home runs among his swats. Davis, Speas, Rodgers, Derrick and Ryan are all long-distance hitters. On the Oakland team Zacher and Ness are the only two who could be considered in the light of long-distance clouters, and in Sunday's games neither of the two got a single hit.

Turning to the Seals, we find a trio of handy swatsmiths in Schaller, Downs and Howard, while Los Angeles' best are Wolter, Maggert and Rube Ellis. Venice has Bayless, Kane, Elliott and Borton, while Sacramento is nearly as bad off as the Oaks, with only Moran and Coy.

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Injuries to players is still a factor to be dealt with by the Portland magnates. Bill Speas hobbled to the plate Sunday as a pinch hitter, but Hi West had to run for him. Ryan is still out of the game and Fred Derrick is not yet right, though he may get into the game again this week. While Hi can circle the bases all right as a pinch runner, his trusty arm is still sore.

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While both the Judge and Walter are as silent as the grave with regard to the question of the Cleveland transfers and the future of Pape, the probability is that Pape will not last out the season with the Beavers. September 1 is the last day for the magnates to make up their decision, but in the meantime the oracle prophesies that Pape will go.

"Times in baseball are none too good," was the only enigmatic reply that could be obtained from Judge McCredie on the question. The prediction is based on the smile that followed the remark.

GUS FISHER HOLDS HIS OWN

Baver Catcher Retains Batting Honors and Club Also Tops List.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—In the race for batting honors of the Pacific Coast League, the tables this week show that Gus Fisher, the Beaver catcher, held his own against Del Howard, the Seal's manager, by the slender margin of one point, which is just what he did the week before. They now stand: Fisher .353, Howard .352. They stood then: Fisher .344, Howard .343.

The Beavers' successful campaign last week against the lowly Oaks is reflected in the club batting averages, which again return the Portland club at the top, with a percentage of .278, against .270 for Venice. Although San Francisco is within a point of second place in the games score, her clug batting average for the week was the weakest of the league. Vnic, with .253, was a bar point better, just as she led by one point for second place.

In club fielding, on the other hand, the tables show it exactly turn and turn about. At the bottom of the batting averages Venice and San Francisco top the fielding column with .967 and .963 respectively. Club fielding doesn't seem to amount to much in the general results, however, for Oakland, the tail-ender, is only a point behind San Francisco and heads Portland, the league leader, by three points.

The same men continues to stand out far in front week after week in heavy hitting and base running. Rodgers, of Portland, with 62 stolen bases is so far in front that there is no second, and Lober, of Portland, and Bayless, of Venice, are the two heaviest sluggers.

Lober has nine home runs and Bayless eight, but Bayless is credited with 17 three-baggers, while Lober hasn't enough to get into the summaries. Neither man's general batting average is anything to boast of. Lober stands at .266 and Bayless at .288.

TENNIS FAVORITES WINNERS

Championship Matches at Newport Lose International Flavor.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 24.—Favorites won every match today in the opening rounds of the all-comers' tournament for the National lawn tennis championship. Of the 138 players entered, more than half had been eliminated at sundown, 21 of the number defaulting.

All the ranking American players were left, but there was some disappointment when it was announced that A. F. Wilding, of New Zealand, of the Davis cup winners, would not play. His partner, Norman E. Brookes, of Sydney, who fell before McLoughlin two weeks ago, was still on the official scorecard tonight, but it was intimated that he also would default. As R. Rowell, of Victoria, B. C., also failed to appear, and Noris Ynonine, of the Russian legation, was beaten, the tournament probably will lose its international flavor.

Two matches were played on the grandstand court during the day. The usual gaily-dressed crowd saw I. C. Wright, of Boston, who holds the Southern championship, defeat W. M. Hall, of New York, in a four-set match in the morning, while in the afternoon William M. Johnston, of San Francisco, disposed of C. M. Bull, Jr., of Brooklyn, in a three-set contest on the same court.

The afternoon crowd also saw Champion McLoughlin in a three-set contest with F. J. Strudy, Jr., of New York, during which the title holder showed no disposition to be lenient with his opponent.

The heat was so great that two players defaulted in the middle of their matches. A third player, A. M. Kidder, of Princeton, sprained his ankle during his contest with L. Beekman, of New York.

The doubles championship contest will hold the grand court tomorrow, when M. E. McLoughlin, of San Francisco, and Thomas C. Bundy, of Los Angeles, will meet Dean Mathey, of Cranford, N. J., and G. M. Church, of New York. The champions were the favorites in the betting tonight.

QUALIFYING SCORE IS LOW

Flossmoor, Ill., Woman Wins Medal in Western Championship.

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—Playing seven strokes under women's par for the course, Miss L. Kaiser, of the Glen Echo Country Club, St. Louis, but registered from Flossmoor, Ill., today won the qualifying medal in the Women's Western Golf Association championship at the Hinsdale Golf Club. Miss Kaiser had a card of 49-42-91.

Mrs. H. D. Hammond, of Indianapolis, had second low-medal card, 45-48-93. Mrs. Caroline Painter, of Midlothian, former champion, registered 48-45-94.

One hundred and five representative women golfers from a widely scattered area are competing in the qualifying round.

Miss Myra Elmer, of Midlothian, the title-holder, took advantage of the ruling of the Western Golf Association that the champion need not play in the qualifying round and went into the first bracket in the championship fight.

VANCOUVER WINS GAME

BALLARD DEFEATED IN ELEVENTH INNING BY 1 TO 4.

Steele Pitches Good Ball at Victoria but Seattle Takes Contest—Spokane Loses to Tacoma.

Northwestern League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Vancouver	82	52	.612	Tacoma...	58	78	.427
Seattle....	82	53	.607	Victoria....	54	79	.406
Spokane..	73	58	.557	Ballard....	52	81	.391

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 24.—Four hits, slow fielding at third and a long fly enabled Vancouver to score three runs in the 11th inning today and win from Ballard 4 to 1. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Ballard	1	8	1	Vancouver .	4	10	1

Batteries—Salveson and Haworth; Hunt and Cheek.

FOX HUNTERS GO TO ALBERTA

James G. White, Portland, Plans to Winter in Northern Woods.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—James G. White, of Portland, who has been here spending the week-end with his sister, Mrs. C. O. Huelat, will leave tonight for Walla Walla to secure his pack of Airedales and fox hounds, preparatory to leaving for Edmonton to join a party of four bound for the wilds of Northern Alberta on an all-Winter hunting trip.

"We shall cross the lakes, the source of the Athabasca River, on a little steamer owned by the Hudson Bay Company," said Mr. White. "Then we shall transport our supplies and equipment by Indian canoes."

Mr. White, who says he expects to be back in Portland by April 15 of next year, and his compainons will attempt to bring out alive a number of blue, black and silver foxes to be used in stocking fox farms in Alberta near Edmonton.

AUTO ENTRIES ARE SOUGHT

Noted Racers to Contest at Southwest Washington Meet.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Manager Robert Hiller is soliciting entries among A. A. A. drivers in Tacoma and Seattle for the automobile races to be held at the Southwest Washington fair grounds next Sunday. The meet will be the first on the half-mile track in the Northwest this year.

Manager Hiller has announced that E. J. Romans has entered his Romano Special and that Joe Thomas will drive it. Ed Ferris will send his Fasco, George A. Neeps will enter a Velle, Earl Staley will drive his own Studebaker, Charles Latta will pilot a Lozier and Henry Stratton is expected to enter a Mercer and Jim Parsons a Stutz.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn 6-1, Indianapolis 7-6.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 24.—Indianapolis won two games from Brooklyn today, the first by a batting rally in the 13th inning. The second contest was called at the end of the seventh inning to allow the Brooklyn players to catch a train. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
First game:			
Brooklyn. 0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2	6	14	3
Indi'polis. 1 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 3	7	12	0
Second game:			
Brooklyn..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	6	1
Indianapolis.... 1 0 2 0 0 0 2	5	6	0

Batteries—Marion, Maxwell and Land; Kaiserling and Rariden.

Batteries — Lafitte, Bluejacket and Land; Billiard and Rariden.

Baseball Statistics

STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS.

National League.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York.	59	48	.551	Philadelp'a	51	58	.468
Boston....	59	49	.546	Cincinnati..	52	60	.464
St. Louis..	62	53	.539	Pittsburg..	49	59	.454
Chicago...	58	53	.527	Brooklyn..	49	61	.445

American League.

Philadelp'a	76	37	.673	St. Louis...	54	59	.478
Boston....	64	47	.576	Chicago....	56	60	.483
W'shingt'n	59	53	.527	New York..	51	63	.447
Detroit....	58	56	.508	Cleveland..	49	59	.454

American Association.

Milwaukee	78	75	.579	Cleveland..	67	63	.515
Louisville..	73	57	.568	Kan. City..	64	66	.492
Ind'napolis	69	62	.526	Minn'apolis	59	74	.444
Columbus.	65	64	.504	St. Paul...	47	84	.359

Federal League.

Ind'napolis	65	49	.570	Brooklyn...	54	55	.495
Chicago...	62	51	.549	Kan. City..	52	62	.456
Buffalo....	56	53	.514	St Louis....	51	62	.447
Baltimore.	54	52	.509	Pittsburg..	47	61	.435

Western League.

Sioux City.	79	47	.627	Lincoln....	60	65	.480
Denver....	74	53	.583	Omaha....	56	69	.448
St. Joseph.	73	53	.579	Witchita...	56	75	.400
Des Moines	62	66	.484	Topeka....	49	77	.389

Yesterday's Results.

American Association — Milwaukee-Cleveland game postponed, rain; Kansas City 4, Columbus 3 (10 innings); Minneapolis 8, Louisville 7 (10 innings).

Western League—Denver 2, Sioux City 15; Lincoln 7, Omaha 1; Topeka 7, St. Joseph 3; Wichita 4, Des Moines 7.

Where the Teams Play This Week.

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

Northwestern League—Vancouver at Ballard, Seattle at Victoria, Spokane at Tacoma.

WEE MOUSE ALARMS

Stenographers Mount Desks. Screams Fill Office.

MAN CAPTURES RODENT

Milk Bottle Used by Official at First Hailed as Hero, Later Looked on With Suspicion—Who Turned It Loose?

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Albert Rejall secretary to Charities Commissioner Kingsbury, is the hero of the Municipal building. Armed with a club and an empty milk bottle, all alone and single-handed, he subdued and captured a mouse and rescued from their chairs and desk tops the charities department's force of fair stenographers. Rejall used the club to defend himself and subdue the mouse and the milk bottle as a receptacle into which to drive it.

A shrill and distinctly feminine scream emanating from Mr. Kingsbury's office was the first intimation Rejall had that his services were needed.

Commissioner Kingsbury was not in at the time.

Dashing from his office into that of the commissioner, Rejall spied Miss Anna Lohman, the commissioner's confidential secretary, ensconced on top of her desk. When he appeared she screamed some more.

Club and Bottle Weapons.

Rejall didn't see anything of the mouse, but he knew from the signs that there was a mouse about, so he armed himself with the club and milk bottle before going any further.

His idea was to get the mouse into the bottle, but the mouse did not approve of the idea and scurried into the next room, where several stenographers were rattling away at their typewriters. Result—more feminine screams and more scrambling on top of furniture, the latter move being much hampered by the prevailing fashion of narrow skirts.

Finally, however, the secretary cornered the mouse and got it into the bottle. Then all the stenographers climbed down and consented to breathe normally again. Their relief was of short duration, however.

Only One Foot Kept on Floor.

The news came back shortly that the bottle in which Mr. Rejall had incarcerated the mouse had been upset and that it was at large again. It did not reappear, but the stenographers continued their day's work intermittently and with only one foot on the floor.

As has been said, Rejall was hailed as a hero for rescuing them from the mouse, but as time wore on several questions arose in the stenographers' room. If Rejall had really wanted to rescue them, why had he not dispatched the mouse instead of rescuing it, they inquired.

Furthermore, how had a mouse got all the way up to the tenth floor of a mouseproof, fireproof building? Gradually a tendency developed to view Rejall with suspicion instead of admiration, but he wore a look of injured innocence.

Amateur Athletics

Percy Brooks, a Spokane 140-pound boxer, arrived in Portland yesterday on his way to the Coos Bay country, where he hopes to obtain a few matches. Brooks will remain here a few days visiting relatives.

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The Peninsula baseball team defeated the Brooklyn nine Sunday 4 to 1, in the second game of a series of three to be played for the championship of the Public Playgrounds. The Brooklyn team won the first game. The championship will be played off next Sunday on the Multnomah field.

The feature of the contest was the pitching of Prescott, of the victorious team. He allowed only three hits. Sullivan, outfielder for Peninsula, made a three-base hit which brought in the winning run.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 9, Boston 5.

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—An eighth-inning batting rally, in which five hits and four runs were made off Rudolph, today gave Chicago a 9-to-5 victory over Boston in the first game of the series. As a result Boston dropped half a game behind New York for the lead in the National League, New York's game at St. Louis having been postponed because of wet grounds.

Incidentally the Cubs crept close to the heels of the leaders, and their adherents again are rooting for them to win the pennant.

Connolly's home run, extra-base hitting for both clubs and Maranville's fielding were features. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Boston .....1 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—	5	9	2
Chicago ....1 3 0 0 1 0 0 4 *—	9	10	2

Batteries — Tyler, Rudolph and Gowdy; Lavender, Vaughn, Cheney and Archer.

Philadelphia 3, Pittsburg 2.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 24.—After being held to one hit in six innings by McQuillan, Philadelphia's batters developed a hitting streak in the seventh and eighth innings of today's game and drove in three runs, enough to defeat Pittsburg 3 to 2. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Phila. .....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0—	3	7	2
Pittsburg ...2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	2	9	0

Batteries — Marshall, Mayer and Dooin; McQuillan and Gibson.

Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 0.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 24. — Reulbach's wildness and errors by Brooklyn gave Cincinnati today's game, 4 to 0. Benton was in fine form, keeping his hits well scattered and having excellent control. Killifer, formerly of the Minneapolis American Association club, made his initial appearance in a Cincinnati uniform. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	0	5	2
Cincinnati ..0 0 0 0 0 1 3 0 *—	4	4	0

Batteries — Reulbach and McCarty; Benton and Gonzales.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston 7, Cleveland 3.

BOSTON, Aug. 24.—Boston won easily from Cleveland today, 7 to 3. The visitors used four pitchers. Janvrin was "high gun," getting four safe hits in as many times at bat. Lajoie also batted safely four times out of five times. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Boston..... 4 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—	7	13	1
Cleveland... 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—	3	9	3

Batteries—Leonard, Bedient and Carrigan; Thomas; Hagerman, Dillinger, Coumbe, Blanding and O'Neill.

Detroit 3-11, Washington 1-0.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—Detroit won both games of a double-header from Washington today, 3 to 1 and 11 to 0. In the first game Coveleskie held the locals to three hits, while the Tigers bunched hits in the first and fourth innings for their runs.

Dauss was effective in the second game, while the wildness and ineffectiveness of the four young Washington pitchers made the game somewhat of a farce. Scores:

	R.	H.	E.
First game:			
Detroit..... 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—	3	10	1
Washington. 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—	1	3	0

Batteries — Coveleskie and Stanage; Ayres and Henry.

	R.	H.	E.
Second game:			
Detroit.... 1 1 0 0 3 0 0 3 3—	11	12	0
Wash'gton. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	0	4	2

Batteries—Dauss and McKee; Shaw, Bentley, Harper, Stevens and Ainsmith, Williams.

Chicago 2, New York 1.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Chicago evened its series with New York by taking the second game by a score of 2 to 1. Scott, the Chicago pitcher, permitted 10 passes, but he was effective in pinches. The hitting of Collins was largely responsible for his team's victory. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago..... 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—	2	7	0
New York... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—	1	6	0

Batteries—Scott and Schalk; Cole and Fisher.

St. Louis 1-3, Philadelphia 7-6.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 24.—Philadelphia won both games from St. Louis today, scores 7 to 1 and 6 to 3. The second contest was called by Umpire Connolly at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness. In the fourth inning of the second game Strunk, in running to first base, collided with Howard and stepped on the latter's right foot. The nail was cut off Howard's big toe and he was carried off the field. Austin and Murphy got into an argument over the play and Austin attempted to strike McInnis, who acted as a peacemaker, while Agnew jumped into the bleachers after a fan who was yelling at the visiting players. No action was taken against Austin or Agnew by the umpires. Scores:

	R.	H.	E.
First game:			
St. Louis.... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—	1	6	2
Philadelphia 2 0 0 0 0 3 1 1 *—	7	9	0

Batteries — Hamilton, Baichley and Agnew, Hale; Plank and McAvoy.

	R.	H.	E.
Second game:			
St. Louis..... 1 0 0 1 0 1 0—	3	8	3
Philadelphia.... 0 0 1 0 2 1 2—	6	9	2

Batteries—Baumgardner and Agnew, Leary; Bush and Schang.

Sounding the Sport Reveille

POOR Roger Peckinpaugh, captain of the New York Yanks and, incidentally, former Beaver favorite, is being ridden by the crowd these days. The effect it is having on him is all too plain, for in one of the last games he struck at several balls that were away over his head. The pity of it is that they were at crucial moments in the game, too.

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Seeing that Larned and Brookes were opposed by an Austrian and a Frenchman, no one should be surprised at their victory. What chance was there for teamwork between their opponents at this date and in these stirring times?

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Cincinnati's claims for holding the Olympic games contain much force these days. It looks to be a foregone certainty that they'll not be held in Germany proper for some time to come; so why not hold 'em in the suburbs?

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France, with glee, announces hourly,
"Germans in full flight."
Germany, a trifle dourly,
Writes, "Have won great fight."

England, stern and solemn ever,
Claims "we hold our own."
"Liege forts abandoned?" "Never!"
Say the Belgians in loud tone.

No one yet can tell who licked or
Lost, or who won fame,
Might as well try pick the victor
In the "no-decision" game!

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The United States National tennis singles title in the last 33 years has been won by 13 players, the first of whom, R. D. Sears, held it for seven successive years. W. A. Larned also won it seven times, and A. S. Campbell and M. D. Whitman were three times winners. H. W. Slocum, Jr., took it on two occasions, while those who had one-year victories were C. J. Hovey, H. Ward, R. C. Wright, W. J. Clothier and H. L. Doherty, of England, the only foreigner among the winners. Maurice E. McLoughlin, the present champion, won the title two years ago and is defending it for the second time in the games at Newport on the Casino courts now in progress.

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Rocksand, the famous race horse of a decade ago, who died recently in Paris, was insured with Lloyds' for $150,000. He was credited with winning close to $250,000 during his turf career and many thousands of dollars in stud fees in later years. Foaled in 1900, his greatest victory was the winning of the Derby as a 3-year-old. After his retirement he was sold to American breeders for $125,000. Six years later he was purchased by a French syndicate for about the same figure. In view of his winnings, purchase prices and stud fees, he has recently been referred to as the $1,000,000 equine, which was not so farfetched as seems at first sight.

Bombardier Wells, the English heavyweight, who recently took up golf, has been showing almost as much proficiency with driver and putter as with the gloves and spiked shoes. Wells is a sprinter of rare speed, running close to even time in the 100, but his golf prowess was unexpected. With less than three months' practice he has turned in some excellent cards. He is a splendid driver, getting both distance and direction in his stroke. In a recent match he drove 317 yards from tee to green and his play throughout was in proportion. But now Wells has forgotten the gloves, the cinder track and the greens for he, along with many another fighter, has gone to the front.

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An unusual athletic feat was recently accomplished at Putney, England, when Walter Brickett, a well-known professional swimming coach, ran, walked, rowed, cycled and swam a mile, his time for the combined five miles being 45 minutes, 19 1-5 seconds. Brickett, who is 49 years old, undertook to accomplish the task in one hour.

The walk was first undertaken, and Brickett covered a measured mile in 10:13. The mile run was made in 5:39. Only 36 seconds elapsed and he had mounted his cycle and rode the mile in 3:55. Entering his waiting boat he succeeded in rowing one mile in 8:44, and then came the swim. Brickett made splendid progress all the way, and when he left the water it was found that he was 14 minutes, 40 4-5 seconds ahead of the hour.

The nearest approach to this feat in American athletics is the record of 15 minutes, 42 seconds, made by L. de B. Handley at Bayonne, N. J., on September 2, 1900, for one-fourth-mile walk, run, swim, cycle, row and horseback ride.

JONES HALTS BROWN DEAL

Ex-St. Louis Federal Manager, However, Likely Will Change.

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—Fielder Jones, new manager of the St. Louis Federal League club, it was anonunced today, declined to sanction the deal by which Mordecai Brown, his predecessor, as manager, would come to the local Federal League clug in exchange for Brennan and Fisk, or McGuire, pitchers offered by Manager Tinker.

Brown's wish not to play on the team from the leadership of which he was disposed, probably will result in a trade, however, with Buffalo or Brooklyn.

Auto Racer Jailed for Alimony.

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—Edward A. Hearne, automobile racer, who finished fifth in the Elgin road race Saturday, was sentenced to 60 days in jail today for failing to pay $500 alimony. Hearne was unable to give bond to pay the amount and his ex-wife would not agree to free him on his own recognizance, so he was taken to jail.

HIGH TEETH WAR HORROR

Hostilities Send Price of False Molars Rising.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 20.—One of the effects of the terrible war is that false teeth are to cost more, with the possibility that the real false article will be impossible to procure.

The chief ingredients entering into the composition of false teeth come from Europe and none of them are being received in this country on account of the eagerness of the belligerents for war prizes at sea. American dentists depend on Europe for a goodly portion of their supplies, including dental drugs, according to Dr. Charles Nathan, of 717 Fulton street, who explains how the war will affect his profession.

"The price of false teeth to the dentist will increase, because we are dependent on Germany for the porcelain that enters into their manufacture," he said. "The supply maintained in this country is insignificant. We also obtain from Siberia the platinum for the manufacture of pins utilized in attaching teeth to the plates.

"Many of the supplies used by American dentists come from Germany. The best drills come from the German instrument makers, and the supply on hand in this country now is very low. A large dealer in dental supplies told me yesterday there were probably not more than 1000 of these drills in stock here. Formerly practically all of the dental instruments used in the United States came from Germany but in recent years our own manufacturers have developed so well that they are supplying an ever-increasing proportion of our requirements.

"The location of American dental products manufacturers are in Pennsylvania and Ohio, where are situated several factories. Contrary to popular belief, false teeth are made of mineral substances. In the manufacture of porcelain teeth these are mixed in a paste, placed in molds and baked at a temperature varying from 2500 to 3600 degrees Fahrenheit. A high degree of the glazier's skill is required in their manufacture. Most of the experts engaged in the industry in this country come from the glass and pottery districts in the north of England. Many of these experts come from families whose members have been glaziers for generations."

Dr. Nathan said there was a strong likelihood that American dental equipment manufacturers would benefit as a result of the war by gaining the business hitherto done here by their foreign competitors.

GUEST TRIES TO KISS

Boleslow Kobus Made Three Efforts to Salute Bride.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Boleslow Kobus, 1720 Allceanna street, attended a Polish wedding celebration in a hall near his home recently, and while the festivities were at their height he attempted to kiss the bride three times. Each time he was thrown out of the hall by other guests.

While trying to get back into the hall to make his fourth attempt Kobus was stopped by Patrolman Bates, who took him to the Eastern Police Station and locked him up on the charge of disorderly conduct.

Justice Smith said that each attempt to kiss the bride was worth $1, so he fined Kobus $3 and costs. He paid.

HIDDEN RICHES UNCOVERED

Corporation Shares Issued in Antebellum Days Worth $100,000.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—The discovery by Miss Juanita Rieves of shares of stock issued in the '50s to John G. Shelton, her grandfather, which today are worth approximately $100,000, has just become known.

Among the stock are 49 shares of the Ohio & Mississippi Railroad, issued in 1855; 30 shares St. Louis Gas Company, issued in 1842; 50 shares Missouri Wine Company, issued in 1855, and Pacific Railway Company tax certificates.

SEPTEMBER MORN SHOCKS

Woman in Union Suit Creates War for Lively Half Hour at Beach.

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Aug. 20.—"September Morn" was never better portrayed in real life than here recently, when Josephine Hewlett, of Los Angeles, was arrested by Police Sergeant Randall and taken to the police station, where she was later released.

The woman had come to the beach for the day and had disrobed to an only suit of underwear of the union variety at the foot of Hill street. She plunged into the surf, and created quite an exciting half hour before the police officer appeared on the scene and took her to the station. She was sorry to have broken the rules of law, and said that she thought in Santa Monica it would not matter, but she never would have done it in Atlantic City or any Eastern coast resort.

EGG BOYCOTT FAVORED

Cleveland Would Stop Purchase to Bring Prices Down.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 20.—Preparations for the calling of a National boycott on eggs, beef and veal are under way, according to Frank S. Krause, president of the "Thirty Cent Egg Club."

He declared that the move would force prices downward within three days. "The only way prices can be brought down is to stop buying," said Mr. Krause. He has received many letters urging a boycott, he says.