

MCCREDIE SAYS HE WOULD GET MURPHY

Deal Possible for Youngster Traded to New Orleans for Bill Lindsay.

CHRISTIAN SEEMS STUNG

Figures Indicate Young Infielder is Better Man than Ex-Beaver. Venice Appears Loser in Elliot-Mitze Deal.

Tyler Christian, manager of the Oakland Coast Leaguers, has made two trades this winter and an opinion of his batting average might be given as one win and eight losses.

Murphy Proves Fast. Murphy was brought out here, a kid, from Washington, D. C., by Art Devlin, and he proved to be a real piece of leather.

Bill Evidently Slows Up. Bill used to be fairly fast when with Portland, but he must have slowed up terribly to negotiate only six stolen bases in a season.

Mack had nothing to do with the New Orleans end of it, but undoubtedly the idea of the player or two and eventually bring Murphy into a Portland uniform.

White to Cover First, is "Dope." According to "Dope," the South, no more or less a personage than Doc White is scheduled to frisk about the first stopping place next season for Bill.

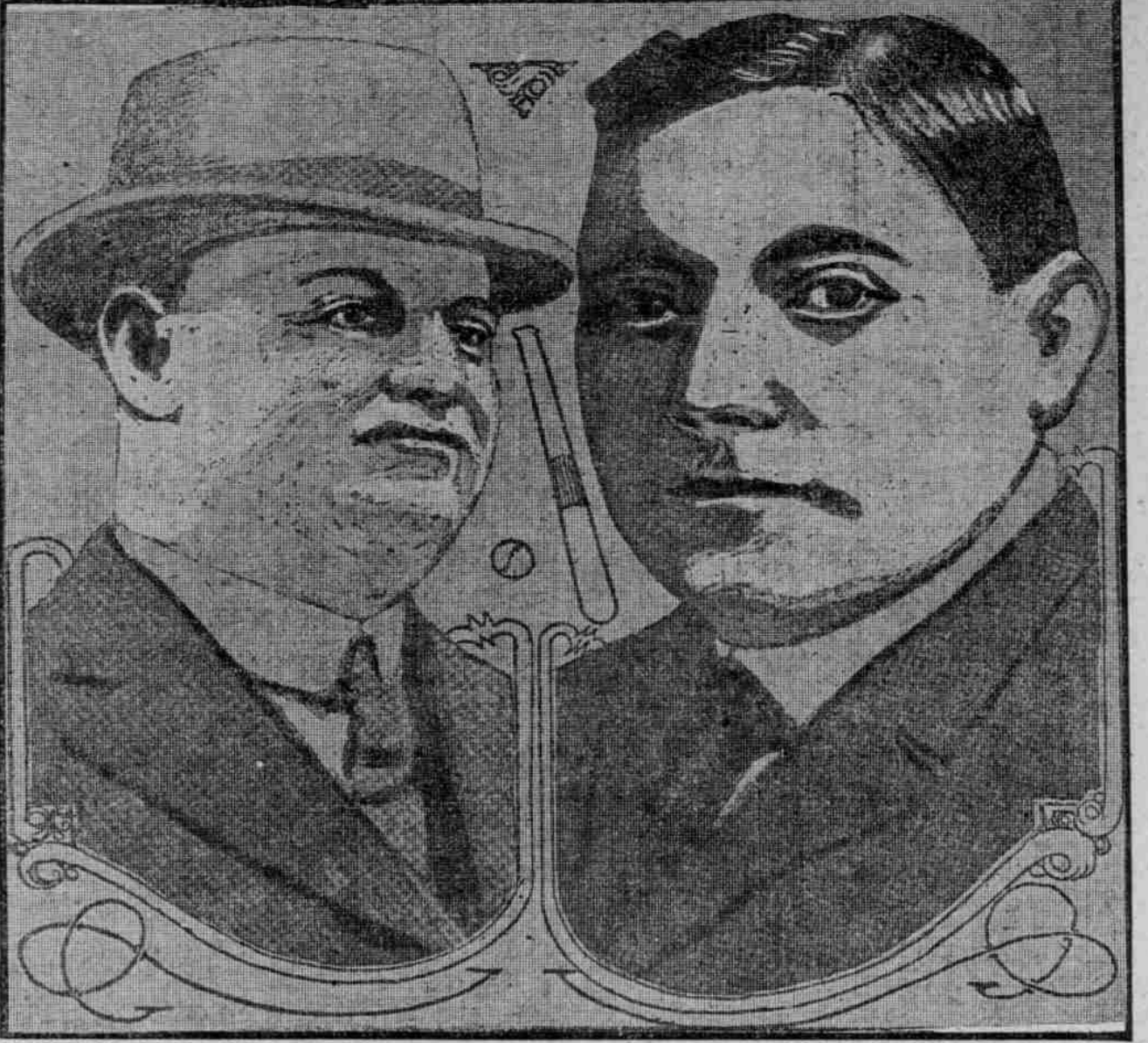
SOUTH PORTLAND JUNIORS WIN

Lincoln Park Quits With 2 Minutes Left to Play and Count is 14-0. The South Portland Juniors continued their rush toward the 1914 championship of the Portland Junior Athletic League yesterday afternoon by trouncing the Lincoln Park contingent 14 to 0 on the Sellwood grounds.

GAME MUST BE PLAYED OVER

Soccer Match of Thistles and Weonas to Be Reset, Say Directors. Directors of the Portland Soccer Football Association at a meeting Saturday night announced that the Thistles and Weonas would have to play their first match again at some date to be selected.

EXIT OF BERRY LEAVES LOS ANGELES BALL MATTERS IN HANDS OF BREW MERCHANTS.



LEFT, HENRY BERRY, NEW SAN FRANCISCO OWNER; RIGHT, TOM DARMODY, WHO SUCCEEDS TO LOS ANGELES PRESIDENCY.

When Henry Berry, principal owner of the Los Angeles club of the Pacific Coast League, bought the San Francisco club recently, Tom Darmody ascended to the ownership of the Angels giving Los Angeles over completely to the liquor interests.

BUD ANDERSON BACK

Loser of Fight at Wallace Blames Injured Foot.

"PUG" TO STAY IN GAME

Boxer's Ardor Not Cooled by Canceling of Pendleton Match—Poor Training Place and Weather Share in Complaint.

Bud Anderson, the Vancouver welterweight, whose seconds threw up the sponge after he had gone two rounds with Frank Barrieau in Wallace, Idaho, Christmas day, returned home yesterday.

LEADING HITTERS OF 1914

Table listing leading hitters of 1914 with columns for Name, Club, League, Games, P.C., and P.C. A.

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Albina and Western Club Football Teams Battle.

LIGHTWEIGHT TITLE PRIZE

After Match Played to Standstill on Columbia Park Field in Rain, League Head Announces New Contest Is Necessary.

Bits of Sport.

The University of Illinois is to send 25 athletes to compete against the University of California at Berkeley in April.

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