

BEAVERS CONTINUE VICTORIOUS STRIDE

Tigers Unable to Check Winning Streak and Mackmen Make It Eight Straight.

EXTRA-BASE HITS COUNT

Mitchell Blows in Tenth and Portland Grabs Four Runs—Gardner, Rookie, Holds Vernon Scoreless for Ten Frames.

Pacific Coast League Standings. W. L. Pct. San Fran. 54 43 .558 Portland. 47 52 .475 Salt Lake. 78 67 .538 Oakland. 74 77 .490 Los Angeles 78 74.518 Vernon. 62 91 .407

LOS ANGELES, Sep. 2.—Portland won both games today, making it eight straight from Vernon, and drew closer to the first division in the Pacific Coast League standing. The Beavers batted Marlon for 12 hits in the morning game, while Daley and Houck held the Tigers to three hits and won easily.

After pitching nine innings of superb ball in the afternoon game, Mitchell blew in the tenth and the visitors scored four runs. Long extra base hitting featured the morning game, Griggs, Willie and Rodgers slugging out two-baggers and Williams getting a triple. Griggs, Rodgers and Fisher contributed to the heat-stirring. The Beavers won this game 9 to 2.

All the Beaver runs were earned, while Daley was charged with one earned run. Houck went in at the close and breezed through. Daley had gone wild and 'wh' he wasn't hittable his seven passes kept the fans expecting a blowup. Houck was as steady as a clock after he took the mound.

Portland's recruit pitcher, Gardner, added to his string of victories by shutting out the Tigers, 4-0, in the afternoon and ending them to six hits. The Beavers were held to three hits, but Mitchell was steady in the pinches until the tenth, when the visitors bunched hits for four runs. Hollocher, Williams, Griggs, Boldwin and Gardner were the batting stars for the visitors in the matinee engagement.

ANGELS AND SEALS DIVIDE Baum and Oldham Pounded Hard; Hogg Holds Opponents Safe.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Los Angeles won the morning game from San Francisco at Oakland, but lost the afternoon contest to the Seals. Both Baum and Oldham were batted hard, while Hogg pitched to victory as they had scored three runs in the first inning of the morning game.

The afternoon game was a free hitting contest in which the Seals had the advantage. The score: Morning game: Los Angeles 3, San Francisco 2. Afternoon game: Los Angeles 3, San Francisco 2.

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BEES AGAIN WALLOP OAKS

"Speed" Martin Hammered Hard at Salt Lake and Loses, 10-4.

SALT LAKE, Sept. 2.—Salt Lake defeated Oakland today, 14 to 4, Martin and Goodbred, of the visitors, being hammered hard, while Leversen held the Oaks to eight hits, the Bees piling up a big lead early off Martin and holding Leversen was wild but was steady in the pinches. Errors by Leard and Martin aided the Bees in the opening inning. The score: Oakland, 10; Bees, 4.

ROOKIE HELPS BEAVERS

PORTLAND HAS WON 15 OUT OF LAST 17 GAMES.

Byron Houck and Harry Gardner Doing Fine Mound Work to Make Mackmen Permanent Contenders. Portland has won 15 and lost 2 out of the last 17 games played. This has brought the Beavers from a poor fifth to within one game of first place.

Gardner, of the Northwest League, has strengthened the Beaver pitching staff materially. Gardner has lost one game, won three and relieved James twice, winning both times.

Houck is now Portland's leading regular. Out of 28 games he has won 17. Houck got a bad start this Spring, which has held him his average considerably. The big southpaw acquired about a month ago from the Southern Association, has won five games and lost three. He has also done much work as a relief pitcher.

GUBS AND CARDS DIVIDE

PACKARD FALLS PREY TO CHICAGO BATSMEN IN FIRST.

Errors Costly to Mitchell's Men in Second Game—Pirates Win Loose Contest From Cincinnati. ST. LOUIS, Sept. 2.—Chicago and St. Louis divided today's double-header, with the first game a tie and the second, a 10-4 victory for the Cubs.

Chicago 10, St. Louis 4. Batteries—Carter and Elliott; Packard and Gonzales. Second game: Chicago 10, St. Louis 4. Batteries—Aldridge, Prendergast and Wilson; Elliott; Meadows and Snyder.

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FIGHTS SCHEDULED

Premier Attraction Will Be Carl Morris-Fred Fulton Bout at Canton, O.

MEN TO BATTLE 15 ROUNDS

Worship May Meet Jess Willard in World's Championship Match. Mike Gibbons to Box Jack Dillon at Terre Haute.

Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul phantom, who has been recognized as the leading middleweight in America, will take on Jack Dillon for 15 rounds at Terre Haute, Ind. Mike should have no trouble beating Dillon, as his opponent is a hand-picked licker of a few weeks ago.

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First in importance comes the Carl Morris-Fred Fulton bout at Canton, O. Upon the result of their 15-round encounter hinges the heavy-weight championship of the world.

Mike Gibbons Picked to Win. Everything is ready for tonight's boxing show at the Baker Theater, the first that the Portland fans will have seen for some time.

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BEAVERS PLAY TWICE TODAY

Late Arrival at Salt Lake to Necessitate Another Double Bill. The Beavers play two extra games with Vernon today. Were it not for the Labor day games yet to be played, the Portland lads would have taken a trip to the ordinary seven-game series from Vernon.

FANS TO SEE 6 BOUTS

BOXERS ARE SAID TO BE READY FOR HARD BATTLES. Charley Moy, of San Francisco, to Meet Billy Mascott, of Portland, in Bantam Class.

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SOX TAKE BIG JUMP

Double Victory Is Won From Detroit Tigers. COLLINS CHICAGO'S HERO

VETERAN STEALS SECOND AND THIRD

Run—Comiskey's Men Now 4 1/2 Games Ahead of Boston. CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—Chicago gained a four and one-half game lead on Boston today by winning both games of the double-header from Detroit, 7 to 3 and 6 to 5, the latter contest going 11 innings.

Erratic fielding on the part of Young and Veach, with opportune hitting, gave the locals the lead in the sixth inning of the second game, but Russell blew up in the ninth. The visitors' rally in the tenth, however, gave the Sox runs and the lead. Pinch hitters evened the count in the Chicago ninth. Chicago won when E. Collins walked and stole second and third, scoring on Jackson's hit. Score: First game—

Chicago 7, Detroit 3. Batteries—Mitchell and Stange; Cloutie and Schalk. Second game—

Chicago 6, Detroit 5. Batteries—Cunningham and Stange; Danforth, Williams and Schalk, Lynn.

Cleveland 7, St. Louis 4. CLEVELAND, Sept. 2.—Cleveland defeated St. Louis in the first of the series. Each club started a recruit pitcher, but neither was able to finish. The howitzer A team by its prowess to get credit for the victory. Score: Cleveland 7, St. Louis 4. Batteries—Wright, Sotheron and Severeid; Torkelson, Coume and O'Neill.

DEL MONTE SCORES ARE LOW Rudolph Wilhelm, Northwest Champion, and Russell Smith Entered. DEL MONTE, Cal., Sept. 2.—Scores were low in the first half of the qualifying round in the California state golf championship here today.

Douglas Grant led the field with a 74. He played the first 18 holes with John Nevill and at the end of the first nine holes both had medal scores of 35 and were "all square" on a match-play basis.

Rudolph Wilhelm, Northwest Pacific champion, made the round in 80 and Russell Smith turned in an 84.

Revolvers Shooting Mark Goes. SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 2.—L. P. Costello, of this city, shot what is claimed to be a National record for rapid firing with revolvers at 50 yards here Saturday, turning in a score of 221. The old record was 214.

GERARD SEES 2 PATHS ONE MUST BE EITHER AMERICAN OR TRAITOR, SAYS SPEAKER. Pacificists Are Told That Peace Will Come More Quickly if They Keep Still and Help Country.

HAMILTON, Mont., Sept. 2.—"Every one must decide now whether to be an American or a traitor," James W. Gerard, ex-American Ambassador to Germany, told an audience of about 2000 persons here today in an address.

"Let them decide," he said. "If they don't we will lead some of them on a ship and send them to the gallows."

Mr. Gerard described social and economic conditions in Germany and said the worker there was cared for as well as any man in jail, but got little out of life.

"It is hard to understand why some of those who left these conditions to come to this country, as the land of opportunity now feel enmity against this country and favor the Prussian autocrats," he said.

Before we entered the war it was all right to favor Germany, but the time has now passed. "The war was started to conquer the world. The Kaiser had promised a place ahead of China. He will meet Ray Leonard, the battling newsboy."

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The last full month of the 1917 baseball season being with New York and Chicago still leading the league in National and American League, the two clubs are expected to meet in a double-header on Sept. 10.

No great changes were effected during the last week and serious opposition was offered to the leaders in either league.

New York's play in the National showed no marked improvement over previous two weeks. The Yankees won three, losing two and tying one.

This week New York meets Philadelphia in the local ring after a three-day rest. The best record of the week was made by Cincinnati, which won five games and tied one. Boston was defeated in three straight games and Mathewson's men advanced to fourth place behind Chicago. St. Louis also had a good week, winning five out of seven.

In the American, Chicago had its most exciting week since mid-June. The leaders were undefeated in seven games up to Saturday, when they lost their only game of the week to St. Louis. Eight-five hits were made by Rowland's men for a total of 51 runs, while their opponents were able to cross the plate only 19 times.

Boston, after a five-day rest, won games against Detroit, met Philadelphia in a four-game series, winning three and tying one. Because of good work of the leaders, however, the Red Sox did not gain on Chicago. Cleveland and Detroit fought for the possession of third place, the latter party of the week, but their series effected no change, nor did their week's work, as each club broke even in six games.

It's a long time since we've seen our club go out and make a hit. One went in as a pinch hitter one time last year and annexed a bingle, which made him the leading hitter in the league with an average of .367. Wichita 7-2. Score: In the double event were as follows: W. W. Woods.....50.1. L. Sachrison.....64 H. E. Dickerman.....78.2. C. Morrison.....40

STOVALL GOES IN AS PITCHER. Stunt Reminds That McCredie Has Failed to Bat This Season. When the Beavers were busy engaged in getting 20 hits and 14 runs off Vernon in the second game last Friday, Manager Stovall, of the victims, got peeved at his pitchers and went out on the mound himself, although he is supposed to be a first baseman.

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What Ex-Coasters Did in the Majors Yesterday. Alan Sotheron, ex-Beaver, lost a game yesterday for St. Louis. He got two hits.

Yitt singled for Detroit. Hellmann got a brace of hits for Detroit. "Pop" Young got a hit and scored for the White Sox.

McMullen got a hit, stole and scored for the White Sox. "Chick" Gandil got a hit and scored for the Sox. "Chick" Gandil scored twice for the Sox. "Volter" got two hits and made an error for the Cubs.

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SOLDIER BOYS LOSE All-Stars of Inter-City Trim-Battery A, 2 to 1. GAME GOES 11 INNINGS All Zweifel and "Lefty" Schroeder Engage in One of Best Pitchers' Battles of Season—Ed Kennedy Scores Winning Run. In what was probably the best semi-professional game of the season, an all-star nine picked from the crack players of the Inter-City League yesterday defeated the Battery A team by a score of 2 to 1, after 11 innings of hard and fast play. Two thousand people witnessed the game at Recreation Park. The entire proceeds go to the mess funds of Batteries A and B.

MARTIN LUTHER HONORED 400th Anniversary of Reformation Celebrated at Albany. ALBANY, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Members of the German Lutheran Church from Salem, Corvallis, Albany and Lebanon gathered in this city today in celebration of the 400th anniversary of the reformation. Services were held both forenoon and afternoon and a big lunch was served at noon in Hackleman's Grove, where services were held.

KAISER ASKS SWEDISH AID Importation of Miners With Food Is Proposed. STOCKHOLM, Aug. 15.—The Swedish newspapers publish an outline of a proposal received from Germany for the use of Swedish labor in the German coal mines. The scheme provides for the sending of Swedish workmen to the German coal mines to dig coal for Swedish use, although a percentage of the coal dug must be delivered to Germany. The Swedish workmen must bring their food and other necessary supplies from Sweden, and the coal must be loaded at Hamburg by Swedish laborers.

RAID ON ENGLAND TRIFLING German Planes Cross Kent Coast and Drop Few Bombs. LONDON, Sept. 2.—A German air raid on the coast of England tonight was announced by the official bureau. Bombs were dropped as the airplanes crossed East Kent. The text of the statement reads: "Hostile airplanes crossed the East Kent Coast at 11:15 o'clock tonight. They flew seaward a few minutes later. A few bombs were dropped. The casualties are believed to be small."

Impress your hatter with the fact that you are particular about your hat and he'll exercise his experience in helping you select the Gordon designed for your type. You'll know the hat when you don it. GORDON HATS

LOWEY & CO. BATHING SUITS. Reserved seats on sale today at Rick's, Stiller's and after 1 P. M. at the Baker Theater box office.—A. D. M. Christian Science Service Is Read at Marquette Circles. The funeral service for Captain Richard Chilcott, who died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hazel Kronenbort, 1042 East Hassalo street, was held yesterday at the chapel of J. P. Finley & Son at 2 o'clock. Christian Science services were read, and Mrs. Jane Burns Albert sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "Lead, Kindly Light." The body will be cremated. Captain Chilcott had long been prominent in the shipbuilding industry and in maritime affairs. He was born in England and went to sea at the age of 15, commanding a ship at 17. An advocate of the modern reinforced wooden ship he was among the Portland pioneers, and he died in June at the age of 57. He was widely employed and the reinforced wooden ship universally accepted as an improved factor in modern maritime affairs. He was organizer of the New Era Shipbuilding Company, and about a year and a half ago became identified with the Chinese-American Products Exchange Company. Besides his widow he is survived by a son, Fred Chilcott, of Redwood, Cal.