SPEAKER'S FIELDING UNDOING OF DODGERS

Spectacular Texan Breaks Up Budding Rallies.

SEWELL WINS GLORIES

Collegian in Less Than 5 Months Jumps From Bush Ball to Star in World's Series.

BY GRANTLAND P. RICE.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 5.—At the conclusion of this series there will be no wistful, tragedy-haunted Cleveland kit waiting outside a courtroom to get an answer to this command—"Say, it isn't true, Tris?"

In the presence of 22,934 wind-swept believers, the world's greatest outfielder not only led his club to victory over Brooklyn's world series hopes, but in backing up the brilliant pitching of Coveleskie the spectacular Texan broke up two budding rallies by killing off two impending triples while moving at top speed.

A gale from out of the barren lands came howling across the field twisting and warping the trajectory of fly balls into puzzling deviations, but these deviations were not puzzling enough to baffle the defensive art of Speaker who romped back and forth across the field like a ball-playing centipede in action. In spite of the effective pitching of Marquard, Mamaux and Cadore, Cleveland won the first game, 3-to-1, through the speed and power of her defensive play.

Five Hits Allowed.

As a starter Stanley Coveleskie, the enduring Pole, curbed the scrappy Dodgers with five scattered blows, using his right arm and a spitter for this worthy or unworthy purpose as the case may be, and when the Pole began to sway a trifle in the nipping gale his supporting cast did the rest. All in vain the loyal Brooklyn delegation pleaded for a rally. Through inning after inning the big crowd clamored for a winning drive, but Coveleskie was at his best. He yielded but one pass and after a slip by Konetchy and timely punches by Sewell and O'Neil had turned in two previous tallies, Brooklyn was beaten.

Less than five months ago Joe Sewell, as captain, was directing the baseball fortunes of Alabama university down in the fried chicken belt. From Alabama he drifted down to New Orleans and when Ray Chapman was killed and the dragnet for shortstops were thrown out Sewell came to Cleveland. On Tuesday he stepped into his first world series, a young collegian with less than a month's major league experience, and in the course of the afternoon he not only figured in the club's winning rally at bat with a clean single, but on the side ran down seven chances at short without a bobble. And two of these chances wiped out near base hits that might have done Brooklyn a world of good. In the third inning he robbed Pete Kilduff of a certain single by dashing in short left for his grounder and then whipping a fine line throw to first. Later on in the fifth it was Sewell again who shut down upon another Brooklyn rally by nailing Lamar's line drive over short with his gloved hand.

O'Neil on the .

Steve O'Neil contributed a brace of timely doubles that proved to be of vast assistance. And then there is a man named Wood. Exactly eight years ago this same Wood was the main hero in a spicy world series affair, wherein the Boston Red Sox trimmed the New York Giants. Smoke Ball Joe was the feature of the engagement. But Smoke Ball Joe lost the hop to his fast one, faded out of the picture and apparently was forever through. The old right wing that once carried such terrific speed might as well have been hanging on the wall with his glove. But Wood refused to be checked out.

He switched his career from pitching to outfielding, signed with his old pal, Speaker, and today back in the thick of another world's series it was Joe Wood who scored two of the three Cleveland runs, crossing the plate each time with a smile as wide as the span of a hand.

While Coveleskie was toying with Brooklyn batsmen the tall and willowy form of Rube Marquard was back at its old trade. Rube began his world series career back in 1911 by unluckily tossing a fast ball in reach of Frank Baker's bat. He worked against the Athletics in 1911 and 1913 and against the Red Sox in 1912 and 1916. So today he stepped jauntily out into his fifth post-season conflict.

Rube Has Bum Reel.

The eminent Rube bumped into a tough break in the second reel. He had a flock of stuff at his disposal in the first inning, but in the second a weird and unlucky incident steered him into the bosky dell. Burns opened with a high infield fly. The ball soared high above the field in the direction of second base. Pete Kilduff first took up the pursuit as the wind began to swing the ball toward first. The gallant Pete at the last moment abandoned what looked to be a futile chase, and as big Koney stepped forward the ball took a final whirl and dropped to earth just beyond his reach. In the meanwhile Burns after rounding first hustled on to second. Koney grabbed the ball, pegged it over second base out of Olson's reach, and so Burns continued his mad sprint over the plate.

No wonder the dismayed Rube began to hop around in circles. To have an infield fly develop into an unaided run was quite enough to jar him loose from his moorings. Before he came back to earth Wood walked, Sewell singled and O'Neill rammed out a double to left, and another tally was over the plate, with Coveleskie riding on top of the world.

Those two runs, backed up by Cleveland's fast and flawless defense, were quite enough to hold Brooklyn in check despite her game efforts to break through.

Dramatic Moments Few.

The battle in the main was devoid of any dramatic moments. It was merely a ball game. The loyal fanatic is a hard bird to suppress, but the triple combination of cold weather, the home team not hitting and the shadow of baseball's greatest scandal from the series of a year ago seemed to remove some of the ancient zest. There was nothing funereal about the occasion, but a portion of the old hip-hip was missing.

This will change quickly, however, before a balmy sun with Brooklyn pasting the offerings of Jim Bagby, provided the sun or the pasting arrives.

Outside of Konetchy's wild peg in the second inning, the contest was errorless on both sides. While Marquard was peppered in spots, Mamaux and Cadore brought back renewed hope by holding Cleveland hitless in the closing rounds. Mamaux struck out three men during his opening inning, using the old combination of curves and speed with telling effect. He whiffed Sewell, O'Neil and Coveleskie in order, and as he stalked out of the box the massed attendance presented him with all the mixed metaphorical earmarks of an ovation. The harmony king had proved that a good right-hander could hold his own against the slugging Indians and their season's batting average of .363. Cadore was almost as effective, and now with Grimes, Pfeiffer and Sherrod Smith still left, the Dodgers refuse to concede anything except the first game.

Pitchers Brooklyn's Chance.

Brooklyn's chance in this series was conceded to be over the long route where her large supply of pitchers gave her the advantage. Few teams in the business would have stopped Coveleskie today, supported as he was by the entire cast. But it is no certainty that Bagby and Mails can hold this pace, while Brooklyn can look for even better pitching than Marquard offered from Grimes, Pfeiffer and Smith. Brooklyn isn't out of it by a dozen jumps yet.

PLAY BY PLAY TALE OF FIRST WORLD SERIES GAME IS TOLD

Burns Starts Cleveland Fireworks in Second and Indians Net Two Runs That Frame.

EBBETS FIELD, Brooklyn, Oct. 5.—The following detailed story and box score tell how Cleveland snared the first game of the 1920 world's series:

First Inning.

Cleveland—Evans up. Ball one. Strike one. Foul, strike two. Evans out, Olson to Konetchy. Wambsganns up. Foul, strike one. Wambsganss bunted but the ball rolled foul. Strike two. Wambsganss flew out to Wheat, who had to come in to make the catch. Speaker up. Speaker got a hand when he came up. Strike one. Ball one. Foul, strike two. Speaker fanned and the crowd gave Marquard a big cheer. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Olson up. Olson flied to Wood, hitting the first ball pitched. Johnston up. Strike one. Foul, strike two. Foul. Ball one. Johnston struck out. Coveleskie's spit ball was too much for him. Griffith up. Sewell threw out Griffith at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Second Inning.

Cleveland—Burns up. Burns sent up a high fly which landed safely behind Konetchy. The batter was credited with a single. Konetchy picked up the ball and threw to second to head off Burns, but no one was there to receive the ball, which went into left field. Burns going all the way home on Konetchy's error. Gardner up. Strike one. Foul, strike two. Ball one. Olson threw out Gardner at first. Wood up. Ball one. Ball two. Strike one. Ball three. Ball four. Wood walked. Marquard temporarily lost control. Sewell up. The man who took Chapman's place got a cheer. Marquard tried to catch Wood off first. Strike one. Ball one. Sewell singled into right, Wood going to third. O'Neill up. Strike one. Ball one. Ball two. Wood scored on O'Neill's double to left field, Sewell going to third. Mamaux now warming up for Brooklyn. Coveleskie up. Strike one. Coveleskie grounded to Konetchy and Sewell attempting to run home was run down, the play being Konetchy to Krueger to Johnston. Two runs, three hits, one error.

Brooklyn—Wheat up. Ball one. Foul. Strike one. Wheat filed to Speaker, who made a wonderful catch of Wheat's seemingly safe hit. Myers up. Strike one. Strike two. Ball one. Myers filed to Wood, who picked the ball off the wall. Konetchy up. Konetchy out, Sewell to Burns. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning.

Cleveland—Evans up. Ball one. Ball two. Ball three. Evans walked. Wambsganss sacrificed, Johnston to Konetchy. Evans taking second. Speaker up. Strike one. Ball one. Ball two. Speaker filed to Wheat. Burns up. Ball one. Ball two. Strike one. Johnston took Burns' grounder and Evans was run down between second and third. Johnston series to Kilduff. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Kilduff up. Strike one. Sewell threw out Kilduff at first. It was a close play at the bag. Krueger up. Ball one. Strike one. Ball two. Strike two. Ball three. Krueger was out, Gardner to Burns. Marquard up. Strike one. Gardner threw out Marquard at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fourth Inning.

Cleveland—Gardner up. Ball one. Ball two. Ball three. Strike one. Kilduff tossed out Gardner at first. Wood up. Wood hit a long drive into left center for two bases. The ball hit the bleacher fence on the bounce. Had it struck six inches higher it would have been a home run. Sewell up. Ball one. Strike one. Sewell filed to Myers. Wood held second. O'Neill up. Ball one. Ball two. Strike one. Wood scored on O'Neill's two-base hit. It was O'Neill's second two-base hit in the game. Coveleskie up. Foul. Strike one. Ball one. Kilduff threw out Coveleskie at first. One run, two hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Olson up. Strike one. Ball one. Strike two. Ball two. Olson got a single over second, the first hit for Brooklyn in the game. Johnston up. Foul, strike one. Ball one. Johnston forced Olson. Wambsganss to Sewell. Griffith up. Griffith singled into center. Johnston going to second. Wheat up. Wheat filed to Evans, who knocked down Speaker in making the catch. Myers up. Ball one. Myers filed out to Wood. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Fifth Inning.

Cleveland—Evans up. Evans flied out to Wheat. The high wind bothered the outfielders. Wambsganss up. Strike one. Ball one. Ball two. Foul, strike two. Wambsganss struck out. Speaker up. Ball one. Strike one. Foul, strike two. Speaker filed out to Griffith, who leaned up against the wall and speared the ball with his gloved hand. The catch cut off a two-base hit. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Konetchy up. Strike one. Konetchy filed to Speaker. Kilduff up. Strike one. Kilduff sent up a high fly to Wood. Krueger up. Ball one. Gardner tossed out Krueger at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Sixth Inning.

Cleveland—Burns up. Foul, strike one. Ball one. Foul, strike two. Burns was a strike-out victim. Gardner up. Gardner flew to Wheat. Wood up. Ball one. Ball two. Foul, strike one. Strike two. Wood struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Lamar batted for Marquard. Ball one. Strike one. Foul, strike two. Lamar lined out to Sewell who made a pretty leaping catch. Olson up. Olson singled into center field for his second hit. Johnston up. Johnston bunted but Coveleskie threw him out at first. Griffith up. Coveleskie threw out Griffith at first. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Seventh Inning.

Cleveland—Mamaux went into the box for Brooklyn. Sewell up. Ball one. Ball two. Strike one. Strike two. Ball three. Sewell struck out, Mamaux's speed being too much for him. O'Neill up. Ball one. Strike one. O'Neill also struck out. Coveleskie fanned and the crowd cheered Mamaux, who retired the side on strikes. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Wheat up. Strike one. Strike two. Wheat crashed a hit into right field for two bases. Myers up. Strike one. Sewell threw out Myers at first. Wheat going to third. Konetchy up. The Cleveland infield played back. Foul, strike one. Ball one. Wheat scored while Burns was throwing out Konetchy at first, Coveleskie taking the throw. Kilduff up. Balls one. Foul, strike one. Ball two. Foul, strike two. Kilduff struck out. One run, one hit, no errors.

Eighth Inning.

Cleveland—Jamieson batted for Evans. Strike one. Ball one. Ball two. Foul, strike two. Olson threw out Jamieson at first. Wambsganss up. Foul, strike one. Mamaux took Wambsganss' bunt and threw him out at first. Speaker up. Ball one. Ball two. Foul, strike one. Johnston knocked down Speaker's grounder and threw him out at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Krueger up. Jamieson went into left field for Cleveland. Ball one. Speaker robbed Krueger of a three-base hit with a wonderful catch. Mitchell batted for Mamaux. Strike one. Ball one. Mitchell got a single into right field. Olson up. Ball one. Ball two. At this point Nels ran for Mitchell. Ball three. Olson walked. Johnston up. Strike one. Johnston popped to Gardner. Griffith up. Ball one. Griffith forced Olson, Wambsganss to Sewell. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Ninth Inning.

Cleveland—Cadore went into the box for Brooklyn. Smith batted for Burns. Kilduff threw out Smith at first. Gardner up. Strike one. Gardner grounded out to Konetchy. Johnston batted for Wood. Johnston up. Ball one. Ball two. Cadore tossed out Johnston at first. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Brooklyn—Smith went into right field and Johnston played first base for Cleveland. Wheat up. Ball one. Foul, strike one. Strike two. Wheat was thrown out at first, Johnston to Coveleskie. Myers up. Ball one. Myers flied out to Speaker, who made another nice catch. Konetchy up. Foul, strike one. Foul, strike two. Konetchy struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Box Score.

Cleveland—	B	R	H	O	A	Brooklyn—	B	R	H	O	A
Evans,l.	2	0	0	1	0	Olson,s..	3	0	2	0	4
Jam'on,l	1	0	0	0	0	J.Joh'n,3	3	0	0	1	3
Wam's,2	3	0	0	0	2	Griffith,r	4	0	1	4	0
Sp'k'r,m	4	0	0	4	0	Wheat,l.	4	1	1	1	0
Burns,1.	3	1	1	9	1	Myers,m.	4	0	0	1	0
*Smith,r	1	0	0	0	0	Konet'y,1	4	0	0	12	1
Gard'r,3.	4	0	0	1	3	Kilduff,2	3	0	0	1	3
Wood,r.	2	2	1	4	0	Kr'g'r,c	2	0	0	7	0
†Joh'n,l	1	0	0	0	1	Marq'd,p	1	0	0	0	0
Sewell,s.	3	0	1	3	4	‡Lamar.	1	0	0	0	0
O'Neill,c	3	0	2	3	0	Mam'x,p.	0	0	0	0	1
Cove'e,p	3	0	0	2	2	§Mitchell	1	0	1	0	0
						**Nels...	0	0	0	0	0
						Cadore,p.	0	0	0	0	1
Totals.	30	3	5	27	13	Totals.	31	1	5	27	13

*Batted for Burns in ninth.
†Batted for Wood in ninth.
‡Batted for Marquard in sixth.
§Batted for Mamaux in eighth.
**Ran for Mitchell in eighth.

Cleveland	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—3
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1

Error, Konetchy. Two-base hits, O'Neill 2, Wood, Wheat. Sacrifice hits, Wambsganss, Johnston. Double play, Konetchy to Krueger to Johnston. Left on bases, Cleveland 3, Brooklyn 5. Bases on balls, off Marquard 2, Coveleskie 1. Hits, off Marquard 5 in six innings, off Mamaux none in two innings, off Cadore none in one inning. Struck out, by Marquard 4, by Mamaux 3, by Coveleskie 3. Losing pitcher, Marquard. Umpires, Klem (National league) behind the plate, Connolly (American league) at first base, O'Day (National) at second, Dineen (American) at third.

World's Series Comment.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT

Although Brooklyn has been in three previous post-season competitions the Dodgers have yet to emerge a winner. Brooklyn's record shows two defeats and one draw. In 1890 Brooklyn won the National league pennant for the first time and met Louisville, winner of the pennant in the then American association and these two clubs won three apiece and tied one in the playoff.

Brooklyn's other ventures into world's series whirlpools occurred in 1889 and 1916.

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In 1889 Brooklyn was in the association and it met the Giants, winners in the National league, and the Giants triumphed six games to three. In 1916 Brooklyn made its debut into the present world's series arrangement and was easily defeated by the Boston Red Sox, four games to one.

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Cleveland is another club which is confronted with an opportunity to make a record. This is Cleveland's first chance to win a world's series, for no Cleveland team, either in the old National league or in the American league, ever has won a pennant and gained entrance into the crowning series for the world's title.

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Portland ball fans are pulling for Cleveland chiefly because of the alliance that existed between the Portland and Cleveland club for several years during Charley Somers' regime at Cleveland. Somers always came to McCredie's rescue whenever Mac needed playing talent, and if Somers had possessed managers of ordinary acumen his Portland alliance might have gained world's series honors for the Indians years ago and might have saved Somers from the financial rocks.

Cleveland could have had Dave Bancroft, now short-patching for the New York Giants, but Somers' manager turned down McCredie's offer. The same goes for Tom Seaton, who afterward journeyed to Philadelphia and pitched brilliantly. McCredie had great difficulty in persuading Somers' managers to take Roger Peckinpaugh. Afterward the Indians traded him off to New York for Bill Stump and some other minor leaguer.

If it hadn't been for Walter McCredie's insistence it is doubtful if Stanley Coveleskie, hero of yesterday's world's series opener, would have been in Cleveland uniform. McCredie had to get down on bended knee and beg Cleveland to take the little Pole.

McCredie brought Coveleskie down from Spokane in 1915 and Coveleskie won 20 and lost 15 in the Northwestern league the previous season.

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Undoubtedly there was a wild rush to Konetchy's room after he uncorked his wild heave in the second inning yesterday and helped the Indians to a couple of runs. Testimony in the Chicago grand jury probe revealed that several ball stars found $10,000 under their pillows during the 1919 series.

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Cleveland appears to have only three pitchers of world's series caliber—Coveleskie, Bagby and Mails. The day of rest during the switch to Cleveland after three games in Brooklyn will mean much, therefore, to the Indians. It will give all three twirlers a chance to recuperate for the second swing at the Dodgers.

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In the National league it is said that the Brooklyn club, with its array of right-hand hitters, just dotes on southpaw pitching. Possibly this is true and if all portsiders look alike to the Dodgers things may not go altogether well for Walter Mails. However, the ex-Portland and Sacramento left-hander has a fast ball that will make the Brooklyn "righthanders" blink with amazement, and he has a better hook and change of pace than he had when he tried out with Brooklyn in his rookie days about five years ago.

Mails has sublime confidence in his ability—confidence that borders almost on conceit, and if he gets the ball over the plate, watch out, Brooklyn.

ARION GUY WINS $14,000

HARRY STOKES HAS CIRCUIT DAY OF TRIUMPHS.

Lloyd Entry Lowers Own Mark for 3-Year-Old Trotters on Lexington Course.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 5.—C. C. Lloyd's Arion Guy, driven by Harry Stokes, won the $14,000 Kentucky futurity, one of the richest Grand Circuit events, today and lowered his own season's record for 3-year-old trotters to 2:04¾. The principal contender was A. B. Cox's Sister Bertha, although Natalie the Great and Volage each finished second in one heat. All races were won in straight heats.

Driver Harry Stokes had a field day. In addition to scoring with Arion Guy, he drove DeLopez to a win in the 2:06 trot and landed Trampsafe first in the two rounds of the unfinished 2:14 pace.

Mightell was an easy winner in the 2:15 trot and Eva Abbe outstayed Drift Patch for first honors in the 2:04 pace.

Best times: 2:06 trot, 2:06½; 2:15 trot, 2:09½; 2:14 pace, 2:08¾ and 2:04 pace, 2:04.

Baseball Summary.

How the Coast Series Stand.

At Salt Lake no game, Vernon one game; at Sacramento no game, San Francisco one game; at San Francisco, Portland no game, Oakland no game; at Los Angeles no game, Seattle no game.

Where the Teams Play this Week.

Portland at Oakland, Seattle at Los Angeles, Vernon at Salt Lake, San Francisco at Sacramento.

How the Coast Series Ended.

At Seattle two games, Portland three games; at San Francisco, Los Angeles four games, Oakland three games; at Los Angeles, San Francisco five games, Vernon two games; at Sacramento six games, Salt Lake one game.

Beaver Batting Averages.

	B.	H.	Av.		B.	H.	Av.
Valencia	4	3	.750	Siglin...	621	147	.236
Maisel..	601	202	.331	Glazier..	47	11	.234
S'ther'd	152	46	.303	Brooks..	44	10	.227
Blue...	563	170	.302	Koehler..	392	90	.227
Cox....	592	176	.297	Spranger	451	93	.206
Schaller	631	188	.294	Barnabe..	38	7	.184
Wisterzil	628	180	.288	Kallio...	58	9	.155
Baker..	164	43	.262	Polson...	80	7	.088
Kingdon.	240	82	.241	Johnson.	10	...	.000
Ross....	133	32	.240	Pillette.	2	...	.000
Tobin..	169	40	.236				

CLEVELAND WINS OPENING GAME, 3-1

Brilliant Team Play Puts Brooklyn Behind.

SPEAKER SETS FAST PACE

Superbas Try Every Artifice to Stave Off Defeat and Use Pinch Hitters.

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Brooklyn pitchers, was much steadier than Marquard or Mamaux. Coveleskie threw 24 balls, Marquard 31, Mamaux nine and Cadore two, while their respective totals for missed strikes were 22, 21, 10 and 1. The Brooklyn batters fouled off nine pitches for strikes and the Cleveland men 14. Only one foul occurred after two strikes were on the batter and that was made by J. Johnston of Brooklyn in the first inning.

Only six Cleveland men went out on flies, while 11 Brooklyn batsmen went out by the air route. Each side had 13 men grounding out. Marquard never pitched less than 10 balls an inning and doubled that number in the second, when he became unsteady after Konetchy's error let Burns score. Coveleskie's total in the seventh and eighth innings was 13 each. Marquard had four strike-outs, Coveleskie three and Mamaux three, all of which came in the seventh when he relieved Marquard.

Chapman Gets Full Share.

Division of the receipts for the game follows: Ten per cent of gross to national commission, $7904.90, leaving a balance of $71,144.10. Sixty per cent of this balance for players' fund, $42,686.46; 40 per cent to club-owners, $28,457.64.

The players' fund is divided 75 per cent to the members of the two teams participating in the world's series and 25 per cent to go into a pool to be divided among the players of the teams which finished second and third in the National and American leagues.

The Cleveland players have voted a full share of the portion of the receipts to be divided among them to the widow of Ray Chapman, the shortstop who was killed by a pitched ball in a game between Cleveland and New York in this city.

Cleveland got the jump on Brooklyn by scoring two runs in the second inning. Burns, first man up, hit a high fly, which came down where Konetchy was standing. The wind caught the ball and Konetchy jogged a step forward, then backward, then sidewise, and in the end the ball dropped to the ground. It went as a single. Konetchy picked up the ball and threw to second to head off Burns, but no one was there to receive the throw and the ball went to left field. Burns meanwhile completing the circuit for the first run. After Gardner had been disposed of at first, Wood drew a pass and went to third on Sewell's single to right center. Wood then scored on O'Neill's double down the left field line.

Robins Only Score in Seventh.

In the fourth inning with one out, Joe Wood doubled to left center and remained at the midway station when Sewell flied to Myers. Wood scored on O'Neill's double to right.

Brooklyn's only run came in the seventh, when Wheat led off with a double to right. He took third while Myers was being retired at first and scored when Konetchy was put out at first, Burns to Coveleskie.

The spectators were slow in filing into the stands and there were many vacant seats when Evans opened the game with an infield out. Later these seats filled but there was an apparent lack of enthusiasm compared with preceding world series. Much of the usual noise of rooting was missing and there was little evidence of concerted effort to cheer on either team. Speculators who offered both grandstand and bleacher seats at several times their face value found few purchasers and after the first inning were glad to dispose of them at 50 per cent of the original price. The high ground back of the park and roofs of apartment houses in the vicinity were thronged but these crowds dwindled as the cold wind and inability of the Brooklyn batters to hit Coveleskie safely chilled their baseball ardor.

Brooklyn Team Yet Confident.

After the game today, Manager Robinson of the Brooklyn team said his players are not discouraged over the loss of the first game and are still confident that they will win the series.

"Cleveland played great ball in the field," he added, "while Coveleskie's work on the mound was of the best. Cleveland, too, was favored by the wind, which carried Burns' fly in the second inning from short over to first base.

"While the Cleveland players deserve all of the glory and praise that goes with winning the opening game, the fans should not overlook the Brooklyn players. My boys fought hard every inch of the way and threw a big scare into the Cleveland team in the eight inning.

"The Brooklyn team with the exception of Konetchy's error played faultlessly in the field. That catch of Griffith's against the right field wall was one of the most remarkable I ever saw.

"I will probably give the Cleveland batters some spitball pitching to hit at tomorrow as I intend to use Burleigh Grimes."

CLEVELAND FANS IN FRENZY

Indian Boosters Confident Speaker's Crew Will Win Again.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 5.—Cleveland baseball fans were in a frenzy tonight over the victory of the Indians today. In hotel lobbies, on street corners and wherever fans congregated today's game was gone over in detail, and it was the concensus of opinion that their idols would make it two straight tomorrow.

Satisfaction was expressed in the fact that "Rube" Marquard was disposed of and that with Manaux having pitched part of today's game, he hardly would be available tomorrow. The fans as a rule do not fear much trouble in disposing of anyone else whom Manager Robinson might send to the mound. Confidence was expressed that James Bagby and Walter Mails would be just as effective as Coveleskie.

More scoreboards were on display here today than ever before. Every corner newsboy had one and large crowds stood around watching the results.

CLUB PLANS OPEN HOUSE

Kuehn and Thelma Payne to Be Honored Tomororw.

All the honors due a conquering hero will be accorded "Happy" Kuehn at the Multnomah club tomorrow night when the popular Portland boy who recently won the fancy diving championship of the world at the Olympic games will be the star guest at one of the biggest social events in the history of the winged "M" institution.

Multnomah will hold open house tomorrow evening and the public is invited to share an extensive programme of entertainment, arranged by Frank Watkins, chairman of swimming, and Joe Reisch, head of the entertainment committee. At 8:30 o'clock Kuehn and Thelma Payne, woman's national fancy diving champion who made an excellent showing at Antwerp, will give an exhibition of their skill in the club tank. Following this Mayor Baker will deliver a speech of welcome and publicly express the appreciation of the city for the efforts of the two stars at the Olympiad.

TIGERS STRENGTHEN LEAD

LEVERENZ FOUND FOR 18 HITS ON SALT LAKE FIELD.

Houck Quarrels With Bees and Is Banished, While Hyatt Does Heavy Batting.

Pacific Coast League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Vernon..	102	85	.546	Salt Lake	90	88	.504
L. Angeles	98	88	.533	Oakland..	89	99	.471
San Fran.	99	87	.532	Portland.	79	92	.462
Seattle..	94	86	.522	Sacram'o	79	107	.425

Yesterday's Results.

At Salt Lake 3, Vernon 12.
At Sacramento 2, San Francisco 4.
Portland at Oakland no game, Portland traveling.
Seattle at Los Angeles, no game, Seattle traveling.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 5.—Vernon landed on Salt Lake today and won easily, 12 to 3. Essick's Tigers hit everything Walter Leverenz offered, while Houck and Piercey held the Bees down.

Pitcher Houck was banished after the fourth inning for quarreling with Johnson and Sheely of the Salt Lake team. Hyatt, Vernon first sacket, was the heavy hitter of the game. He got a homer and two doubles in five times up. Score:

Vernon.	B	R	H	O	A	Salt Lake.	B	R	H	O	A
Long,r..	4	1	2	1	0	Griffith,l	4	1	1	2	1
Smith,3.	4	0	1	0	1	Johns'n,r	2	0	1	0	0
Fisher,2.	5	1	1	1	1	Reiger,r.	2	0	1	1	0
Hyatt,1.	5	2	3	12	1	Krug,2..	4	0	1	5	0
S'n'der,l	5	2	3	3	0	Sheely,1.	3	1	0	11	1
C'ld'ne,m	5	1	1	3	0	Mul'g'n,s	5	0	1	0	6
J.M'tl,s	3	2	1	0	4	Hood,r..	3	0	1	3	0
D'w'm'r,c	5	1	4	9	0	Sand,3...	2	0	0	1	3
Houck,p	2	0	0	0	3	Byler,c..	3	0	0	4	1
Piercy,p.	1	0	1	0	0	Lev'enz,p	3	0	0	0	1
Totals	38	12	18	27	10	Totals	33	3	5	27	13

Vernon...	3	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	4	0	0	12
Salt Lake.	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3

Errors, Long, Houck, Mulligan, Sand. Home run, Hyatt. Two-base hits, Long, Hyatt 2, Devormer, Hood. Sacrifice hits, J. Mitchell 2, Smith, Long, Piercy, Krug. Double plays, Griffith to Byler, Mulligan to Krug to Sheely. Struck out, by Leverenz 2, Houck 2, Piercy 7. Bases on balls, off Leverenz 3, Piercy 1. Wild pitch, Piercy. No runs, 2 hits off Houck, 1 hit off Piercy in 4 innings. Runs responsible for, Leverenz 1. Credit victory to Houck.

SEALS BUNCH HITS AND WIN

Altrock, Former Griffman, Makes Debut on Coast.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Oct. 5.—San Francisco bunched hits on Penner in the first and sixth and topk the opening game of the series from Sacramento, 4 to 2. Cole had the Senators at his mercy except in the eighth, when singles by Kopp, Mollwitz and Orr netted two runs.

Nick Altrock, former Washington American player, made his first appearance in a Seal uniform. Score:

San Francisco—	B	R	H	O	A	Sacramento—	B	R	H	O	A
Schick,l	4	0	0	1	0	Sch'g,3.	5	0	1	0	1
Ken'dy,r	4	1	1	3	0	Kopp,l..	4	1	2	5	0
Cav'ey,s	4	2	3	2	2	Mol'w'z,1	4	1	1	11	0
Agnew,c	3	1	1	5	1	She'h'n,r	3	0	0	2	0
Con'ly,m	4	0	2	3	0	Cpt'n,m	4	0	0	2	0
Walsh,2	3	0	0	4	0	Orr,s...	4	0	2	3	3
Haar'k,1	4	0	0	7	2	Grover,2	3	0	0	0	0
Kamm,3	4	0	1	0	2	Cady,c..	3	0	0	3	0
Cole,p...	3	0	0	2	2	Penn'r,p	3	0	0	0	2
						Cook,*..	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	8	27	9	Totals	34	2	8	26	6

*Batted for Penner in 9th.
†Kamm out bunting foul third strike.

San Francisco	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—4
Sacramento	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—2

Errors, Kamm 2. Two-base hits, Caveney 2. Stolen bases, Connolly. Sacrifice hit, Walsh. Bases on balls, Penner 1, Cole 3. Runs responsible for, Penner 4, Cole 2. Struck out, Penner 3, Cole 5. Double plays, Mollwitz unassisted.

Seattle-Los Angeles game postponed, Seattle team traveling.

Portland-Oakland game postponed, traveling. Two games Saturday.

Coast Teams to Play Exhibitions.

SAN JOSE, Cal, Oct. 5.—Announcement was made here that the San Francisco and Oakland clubs of the Pacific coast league at the close of the league season will play exhibition games here with the San Jose club of the Mission league.

English Golf Experts Defeated.

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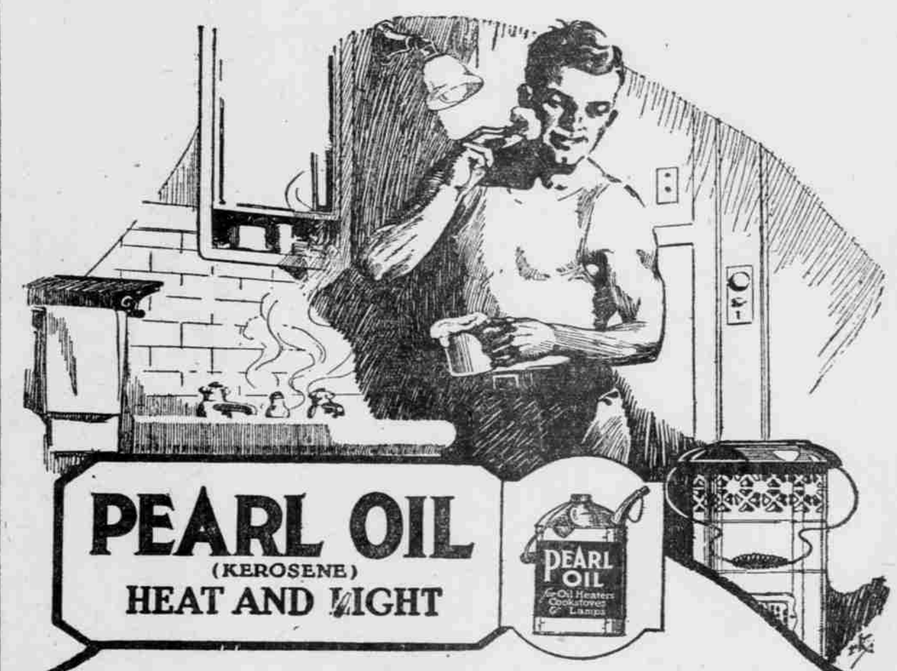

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