

SNAPSHOTS BY THE OREGONIAN CAMERA MAN AT THE OPENING BASEBALL GAME YESTERDAY BETWEEN PORTLAND AND SALT LAKE.

LUNA NEED NOT HIDE, FOR BEAVERS WON

Bees Succumb to Portland in Home Opener, 3-1.

4310 HEARTS GLADDENED

Timely Hits, Errorless Support of Johnson and Nimble Baker Turn Trick of Victory.

Pacific Coast League Standings. At Portland—Portland 3, Salt Lake 1.

Yesterday's Results. At Portland—Portland 3, Salt Lake 1.

BY L. H. GREGORY. Let Luna, the kindly moon, cancel her date for the eclipse tonight.

One of the habits they broke was to win the introductory home game, which hasn't been done heretofore since Methusalem's heirs crabbied bitterly at the first inheritance tax.

But thanks to timely hits in the first inning by Ike Wolfier and Jimmy Poolie and errorless support behind the stern pitching of young Syl Johnson, they turned the trick and sent home 4310 persons who had braved the rigors of a dour and showery day.

Struggle Has Thrills. While handling out the resolutions the enthusiastic catching of Del Baker must not be overlooked.

Then for Pitcher Bromley, Byrd Lynn, temporarily directing the actions of the Bees in the absence of an ivory-hunt of the celebrated Gavy Cravath, substituted himself.

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High higher it rose as it traveled toward the fence. And low, the lowest sank the hearts of all on board as Dick Cox raced fenceward.

Perhaps it was the pair of lucky rabbit's feet presented to the battery by a couple of midget students from Hill Military academy that saved the day.

Up came young Hauger, totting his bat, to hit or perish. He hit it right, he perished.

The whereof the Beaver runs was as follows: Genie, first up in the first, waited out Bromley and talked.

Genie scored. Cox walked. Then Ike Wolfier joined the ranks of productive citizens by mauling a beautiful line double into left center, on which Genie scored.

But from the very end, rammied a smacking one-base drive into right, on which Wolfier tapped to pitcher for an easy out.

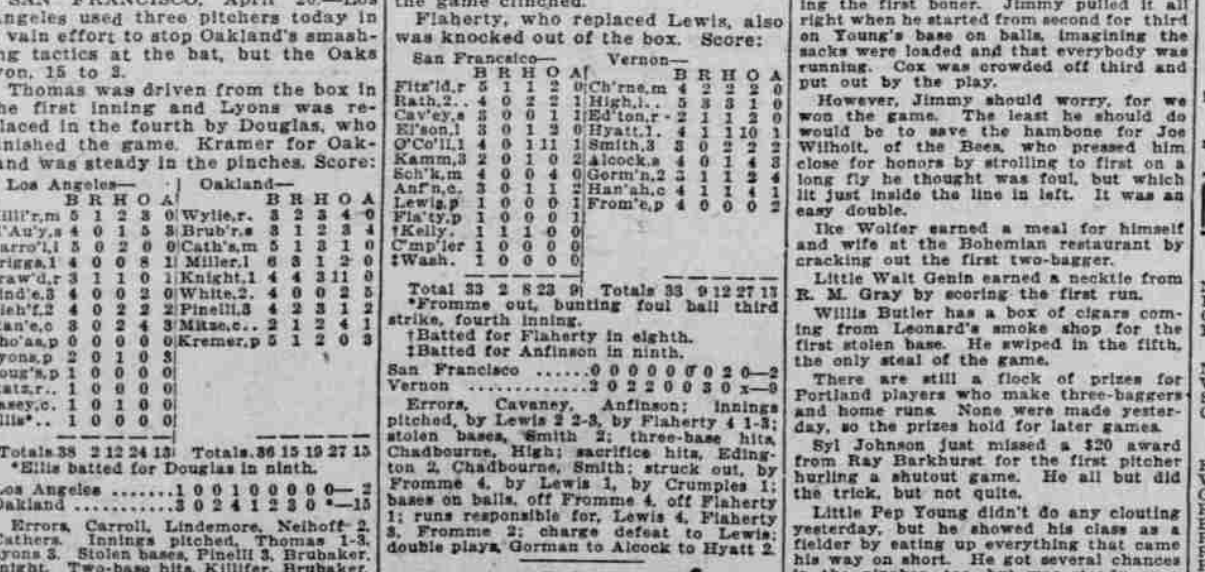
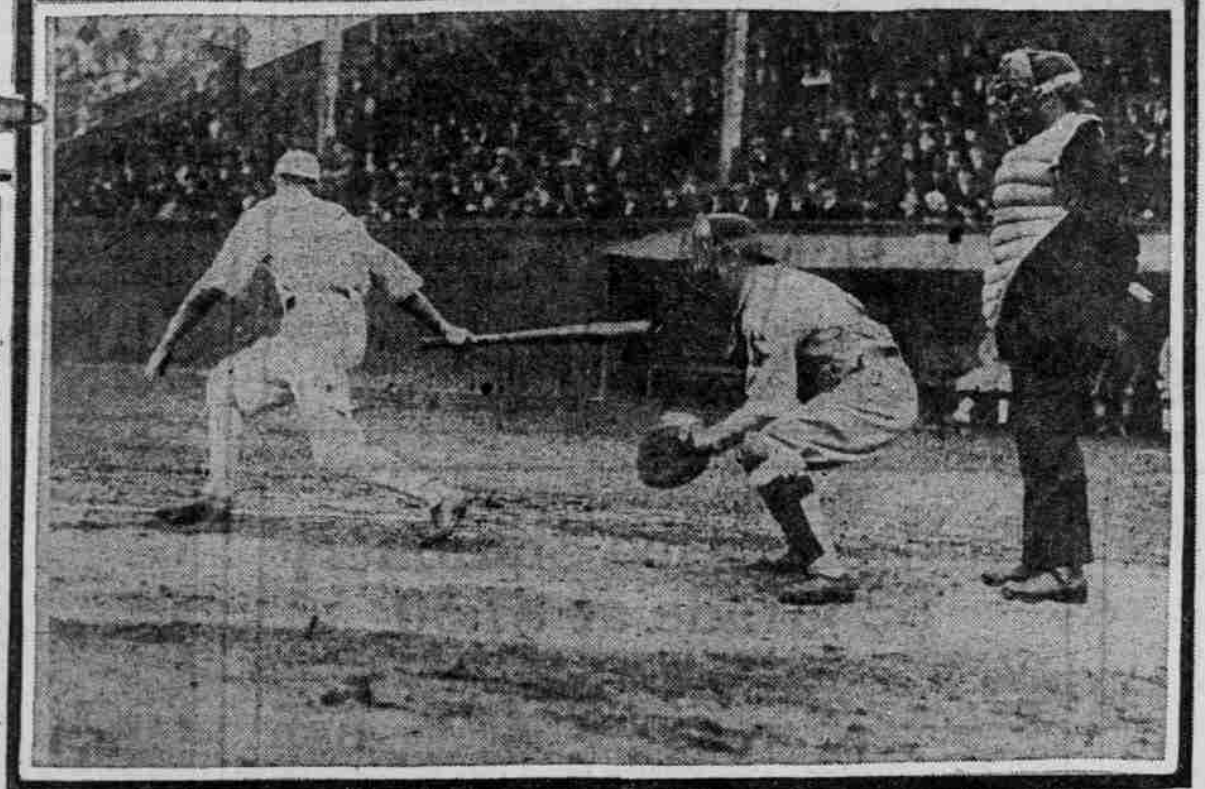
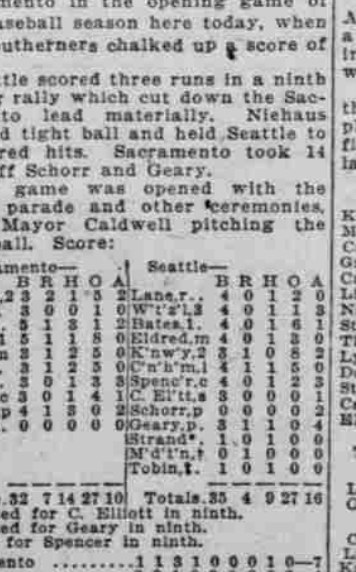
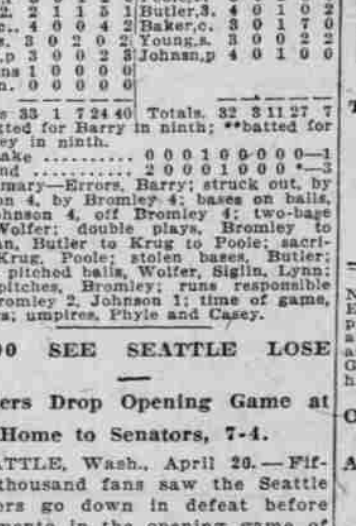
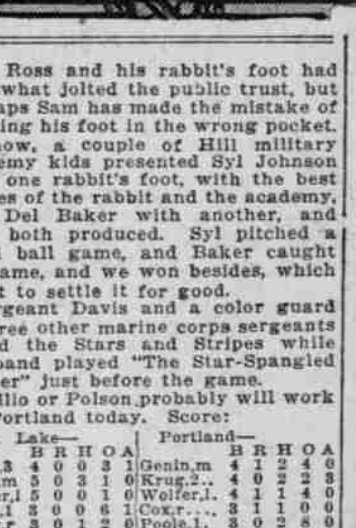
The Bees came back in the fourth with their only run. With one down, Paddy Signin led a fast one whiff off.

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Sidelights on the Beaver-Bee Opening Game.

When they took the protecting canvas off the home plate a ghostly specter, later identified as one J Wellington Jinx, jumped out and stunk away for parts unknown.

In spite of dire predictions of the gloom garblers, a big crowd of fans was on hand an hour before the game started.

Campbell's band entertained with appropriate selections including "Marching 'Annie On the Deep" and "God Fly the Sailors on a Day Like This."

The opening day ceremonies were impressive. The flag was raised with the help of Sergeant Davis and a few other marines.

George Shepherd pitched the first ball after an we-inspiring wind-up reminiscent of the days when Pop Anson didn't know what a home run was.

A Hill Military academy cadet presented Del Baker with one of the hind pedal extremities of a rabbit born in a bed of four-leaf clovers on St. Patrick's day.

The slugging Beavers greeted Bromley like a pack of wolves mauling a plump bolshevik general after a tough winter.

In the early innings Bromley was as wild as a man who has lost his pet recipe for home brew.

The wet grounds made the umpire throw out more balls than a six-man vaudeville juggler act.

Gingard of Salt Lake, was the first player to whisper a few personal opinions about the eyesight of umpire.

Casey and Phyllie handled the game in style, were treated as cordially as a minister visiting the deacon's house for Sunday chicken dinner.

Notes of the Game.

Jimmy Poolie had a big day with his big bat. The tall Virginian plunked out a couple of safe smacks.

Wills Butler has a box of cigars coming from Leonard's smoke shop for the first stolen base.

There are still a flock of prizes for Portland players who make three-baggers and home runs.

Syl Johnson just missed a \$20 award from Ray Barbaret for the first pitcher hurling a shutout game.

BEAVERS TO PLAY AGGIES

GAME SCHEDULED FOR COLLEGE CAMPUS, MAY 2.

Portland Baseball Team to Make Trip to Corvallis in Autos, Returning Same Day.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, April 20.—(Special.)—The Portland Beavers will play the Oregon Aggies at Corvallis on Monday, May 2.

The team will come here by automobile and return the same day in order to be on hand to carry out their schedule in Portland.

Jimmy Richardson, college coach and general manager, is not expecting to win but scheduled the game in order to give his aggregation a sample of professional baseball.

The Aggies have played six games this season, losing only the one to the New York Colored Giants by a score of 3 to 0.

The first conference game will be played against Willamette at Corvallis on April 22, and April 23 the team will go to Salem to play a return game.

Willamette has an exceptionally strong team as indicated by her scores against Oregon, when she broke even in two games played at Eugene.

The Aggies still lack little batting practice. Perhaps the hardest game of the season will be with the University of Washington, reported as having one of the strongest teams in its history.

Opening Day Firsts.

First foul, Jourdan. First single, Wilhoit. First two-base hit, Wolfier. First error, Berry.

First base on balls, Jourdan. First strikeout, Young. First player to foul ball out of lot, Bromley.

First wild pitch, Bromley. First sacrifice hit, Krug. First player caught off base, Poolie.

First player hit by pitched ball, Wolfier. First double play, Bromley to Jourdan. First stolen base, Butler.

Opening Games in Portland

1903—Seattle 0, Portland 8. 1905—Los Angeles 0, Portland 0. 1906—Oakland 4, Portland 1.

1907—San Francisco 3, Portland 1. 1908—Portland 4, Sacramento 3. 1910—Portland 2, Oakland 0.

1911—Portland 4, Los Angeles 0. 1912—San Francisco 2, Portland 1. 1913—Portland 1, Los Angeles 1.

Baseball Summary.

National League Standings. New York, W. L. P. C. Cincinnati 3, 2, 429. Pittsburgh 5, 2, 714. Philadelphia 2, 3, 490.

COAST LEAGUE STATISTICS

The five leading batters in the Pacific Coast league at the close of play yesterday were:

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15,000 SEE SEATTLE LOSE

Rainiers Drop Opening Game at Home to Senators, 7-4.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 20.—Fifteen thousand fans saw the Seattle Rainiers go down in defeat before Sacramento in the opening game of the baseball season here today.

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OAKS ON BATTING RAMPAGE

Angels Use 3 Pitchers in Vain. Score 15 to 2.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Los Angeles used three pitchers today in a vain effort to stop Oakland's smothering tactics at the bat.

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AMERICAN POLO TEAM WINS

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