BALL PLOT TRIAL DRAWS NEAR CLOSE

State Expects to Finish Argument Today.

'TRAITORS' ARE ATTACKED

Case Is Expected to Be in Hands of Jury Late Tuesday or Early on Wednesday.

CHICAGO, July 29.—Final arguments in the baseball trial were begun today with the state directing a two-hour attack on the defendants, in which the ex-White Sox players were pictured as "traitors who for $100,000 of dirty money sold their souls, betrayed their comrades and the public and conspired to make the only truly American pleasure and sport, baseball, a confidence game."

Edward Prindiville directed the prosecution's first fire in the final pleas, his talk coming after the defense had won a battle of strategy from the state by keeping out of the record a statement Happy Felsch, ex-Sox center fielder, was alleged to have made to a newspaper reporter that he received $5000 to throw games.

Defense to Plead Monday.

Mr. Prindiville expects to finish his argument in a special session of court tomorrow. The defense pleas will take up Monday and possibly part of Tuesday with George Gorman closing for the state late Tuesday. The case is expected to be in the jury's hands late Tuesday or early Wednesday.

Mr. Prindiville directed his words mainly against Eddie Cicotte, Chick Gandil, Joe Jackson, Claude Williams and David Zelcer, the latter identified by two state's witnesses as a man who, under the name of Bennett, helped to organize the alleged conspiracy for the throwing of the 1919 world's series. After outlining the details of the alleged conspiracy as related by Bill Burns, admitted accomplice, who turned state's evidence, Mr. Prindiville drew the jury's attention to the similarity of Burns' story and the confessions of Eddie Cicotte. He was particularly bitter in speaking of Cicotte.

Confession Is Cited.

"This man, by his own confession, sat in his room at the Warner hotel here and arranged to receive $10,000 for the dirty work he planned," said Mr. Prindiville. "Then, Judas-like, he went downstairs to hobnob with his innocent teammates and, in his own words, to allay the suspicions of the men whom he had just betrayed.

"He said he'd throw the ball over the fence if necessary to lose the first game. And what happened in the first game? Cicotte, the American league's greatest pitcher, hurling with a heavy heart—by his confession—and a pocket made heavy by $10,000 in graft, was beaten 9 to 1.

"No wonder he lost. The pocket loaded with the filth for which he sold his soul and his friends was too much. It overbalanced him and he lost."

Guilt Held Admitted.

Mr. Prindiville declared the evidence proved Chick Gandil one of the conspiracy leaders and that Williams and Jackson stood convicted by their own confessions.

"Williams and Jackson have admitted their guilt," he said. "What can you gentlemen do but go the limit in punishing them?"

"And this man Zelcer," he shouted. "He has tried to prove an alibi, to prove that he is not the man Bennett who helped Abe Attell run this deal.

"Yet we prove that Abe Attell had thousands of dollars under the mattresses in his room at the Cincinnati hotel and that he took $10,000 of this money—against Bennett's wishes—and gave it to Burns for the players and Burns gave it to Williams and Jackson.

"And Zelcer, after first saying he knew Attell slightly, finally admits that Attell roomed with him at Cincinnati during the series. He then admits that he has known Attell for years—and yet he did not know of this conspiracy or of the $10,000 transaction in his own room.

Burns' Story Upheld.

"Burns may be a squealer. But, is he any worse than these defendants? Three of them squealed. His story is as good as theirs—better because he withstood two days of grueling cross-questioning without changing a single main fact.

"Of course the defendant-players were at practice the morning Burns talked with them in Cincinnati. Burns himself has told you that he talked with them only a few minutes and that they then went to practice. The defense has not hurt Burns' story one bit on that point.

"These men did what Abe Attell told them. Abie said 'Lose the first two.' They did. Abie said 'Win the third.' They did."

Tomorrow Mr. Prindiville will go into the legal aspects of the case—the technicalities of the law.

What the Fans Say.

Fine Advertising for the Fair.

PORTLAND, Or., July 27.—L. H. Gregory, Sporting Editor The Oregonian.—Dear Sir: Kindly advise me, as well as many other of McCredie's faithful patrons, through your paper, if there is any hope of him obtaining any results for his wonderful cellar champions.

It sure is wonderful reading, not to speak of the advertisement, that our cellar inhabitants are giving the Rose City and the sporting public. When they turn to the sporting page and see for themselves what wonderful strides McCredie's club is making, what a boost for the 1925 exposition!

I suppose McCredie is still throwing the wool over the few faithful fans' eyes that have not yet gotten wise to his system "that it is impossible for him to obtain players." Yes, he surely crossed his wires when he was dickering for Duffy Lewis, but failed to reach "a financial agreement." Salt Lake reached a financial agrement easily enough, yet Mac told the public he wished he had a hard-hitting outfielder.

I do not wish to be a knocker, for I have only supported Coast league ball since 1904. But this year I am through supporting the cellar champions of the McCredies.

I would rather read about it than sit two or three hours pulling for the home team to try to win, with such a cheap man as the judge at the head. An ardent fan. F. W. A.

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More 17-to-7 Scores, Eh?

PORTLAND, Or., July 26.—Sporting Editor The Oregonian.—Dear Sir: What's the trouble with our baseball manager? Many fans have been roasting him. Now, what for? You fans who have been knocking him at every turn in the road, imagine yourselves in his position. Walter is capable of selecting players. If he could have gone east early last fall, with plenty of money, the fans would have seen a first-class team in the field. Don't think for a moment that Walter McCredie relishes traveling with a losing team.

I agree with Mr. Furuset that the team does not need new management or ownership. It just needs money to get the players, Walter has not lost his pep in managing a winning team. M. E. T.

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Give 'Em a Chance to Yell.

PORTLAND, Or., July 28.—Sporting Editor The Oregonian—Dear Sir: As I look at it, the McCredies have had their chance to make good and now it is their turn to give somebody else a chance, and the fans an opportunity to do a little cheering for a change. I am another of these rabid fans who attend every ball game in a season if I have half an excuse, but no more for me this year. Enough is enough and I know when I have taken plenty of punishment.

Come on, Judge, set a price on your ball club, just what it is worth and no more, and step out. If you had given us some kind of a ball team this year the fans would have let bygones be bygones, but this was your last chance to make good, and you booted it. Sell now while you can, for by the time the Beavers drop 50 more ball games you can't give them away. J. BROOKS.

DOWNEY TO GET TITLE

CLEVELAND BOXING COMMISSION PREPARES TO ACT.

Referee Gardner Alleged to Have Counted Too Slow During Knock-Downs in Fight.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Bryan Downey of Cleveland will be recognized in New York state as middleweight boxing champion provided the state athletic commission is notified officially by the Cleveland boxing commission that the referee's decision in Downey's recent fight with Johnny Wilson has been reversed. This announcement was made today by William Muldoon, chairman of the state commission.

CLEVELAND, July 29.—The Cleveland boxing commission is preparing a statement to be sent to all state boxing commissions and the national boxing commission tomorrow, reversing the decision of Referee Jimmy Gardner of Boston, and giving the middleweight championship of the world to Bryan Downey of Cleveland, J. B. Wilderding, chairman of the Cleveland boxing commission, announced today.

In a bout here Wednesday night Referee Gardner gave Johnny Wilson of Boston, the champion, the decision on a foul in the seventh round, claiming Downey struck Wilson while the champion was down, following two previous knock-downs.

The local boxing commission reverses Referee Gardner's decision on the ground that, according to the official timekeeper, Wilson was down for 13 4-5 seconds on the first knock-down in the seventh round and for 11 seconds on the second, while Referee Gardner counted only nine on each occasion; that Downey did not hit Wilson while the champion was down, and that if a foul was committed, it was by Martin Killilea, manager of Wilson, when he placed his hand on his boxer while he was down in the seventh round.

DUGAN FAILS TO SHOW UP

Manager Mack Threatens to Suspend Yankee Third Baseman.

PHILADELPHIA, July 29.—(Special.)—Joe Dugan, the Philadelphia Americans' third baseman, did not report at the Athletics park today, and Manager Mack expressed the belief his disappearance was due to his sensitiveness to the shouts and criticisms of some of the fans.

"After he was jeered by a few members of the crowd at yesterday's double header," said Mack, "Dugan told me he was through with Philadelphia and would never play here again. I told him he would have to play here or nowhere, and I also warned him that any further protest would result in discipline. If he does not report to me immediately and give a satisfactory account of his absence today, it will mean suspension."

CY YOUNG PITCHES AGAIN

Old-Time Players Defeat Team at Cleveland Anniversary.

CLEVELAND, O., July 29.—Old-time professional baseball players, some of whom played with Cleveland as far back as 1879, today defeated a team of veteran sand-lotters, 11 to 6, the event being one of the features of Cleveland's 125th anniversary celebration. Cy Young, the only pitcher who ever won 500 major-league games, went to the box at the outset of the contest, with Chief Zimmer, his old catcher, behind the bat. Each is more than 50 years of age. This famous old battery worked two innings, being followed by younger pitchers and catchers.

Only two hits were made off Young. He struck out two batters and gave one a base on balls.

EXPRESS CRUISERS TO RACE

New Event Added to Programme for Detroit Regatta.

DETROIT, July 29.—An express cruiser race for boats with a speed of from 17 to 20 miles an hour will be added to the gold cup-Harmsworth trophy regatta here, August 27 to September 5. This was decided by a committee here today. The race will be held August 28. A proposal that a gasoline substitute be used in the Wood-Fisher cruiser race was voted down.

To make the identity of the contending craft in the gold cup and Harmsworth races more easily discernible to spectators, it was decided that each should carry a distinguishing number. No. 7 was assigned to Vogler Boy IV of Portland, Or.

BRITISH WIN FIRST RACE

American Yacht Sheila Dismantled by Strong Wind.

RYDE, Island of Wight, July 29.—(By the Associated Press.)—Great Britain won the first race, sailed today, in the international six-meter yacht competition for the British-American cup, the British yachts outscoring the Americans on points. The race was sailed in squally weather.

The American yacht Sheila was dismasted by the strong wind. She was towed away for repairs.

Ball Team Desires Game.

Manager Brosey of the Union Pacific system baseball team has an open date for his team Sunday and would like to hear from some local or out-of-town nine desiring a game for that date. The Union Pacific pilot would like to schedule a game with the Kenton Packers. He may be reached at Broadway 4500.

SHIMIDZU DEFEATED BY NORRIS WILLIAMS

Straight Sets Taken From Japanese Tennis Star.

PLAY IS SPECTACULAR

American Is Deadly at Net With Overhead Smashes—Volleys From Mid-Court Clean.

BOSTON, July 29.—Richard Norris Williams II of Boston decisively defeated Zenso Shimidzu of Japan in straight sets today in the final match of the lawn tennis tournament for the Longwood bowl. The scores were 6-3; 7-5; 6-4.

Williams will face William M. Johnston of San Francisco tomorrow in the challenge round in a match that will mark Johnston's first appearance of the season on eastern courts.

Williams' tennis in the first and third sets was spectacular. At the net he was deadly with his overhead smashes and his volleys from mid-court were clean and decisive. From the base line he was steady and prevented Shimidzu from making his severe fore-hand serves effective.

Williams had such command of his strokes that he placed the ball at will. When Shimidzu camped back of his base line in his efforts to stroke his deep placements, Williams would shift his attack and drop the ball gently over the net.

In the three sets Williams outscored Shimidzu on earned points by a wide margin. His earned points total reached 55, while the Japanese had only ten placements to his credit and no service aces.

In the doubles Shimidzu and his Davis cup team mate Ichiya Kumagae, reached the final round through their victory over Wallace F. Johnson and Harry C. Johnson in straight sets. The Japanese will face Raymond B. Bidwell and W. E. Porter Jr., Massachusetts doubles champions, in the final round tomorrow.

In the semi-final round of the doubles, Ichiya Kumagae and Zenso Shimidzu defeated Wallace F. Johnson and Harry C. Johnson 6-1; 6-2.

MISS BROWNE IS VICTORIOUS

Mrs. May Sutton Bundy Beaten in Singles at New York.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Miss Mary K. Browne of Los Angeles defeated Mrs. May Sutton Bundy of Los Angeles in the final of the women's New York state tennis championship tournament at the Crescent Athletic club, Brooklyn, today, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4.

With the strongest elements of her game, the close-range and swift position play, spoiled by wet courts, Miss Browne gave much to her rival. This was repeatedly demonstrated in the rallies, when Miss Browne often remained in deep court rather than hazard a twisted ankle or a fall by sudden shift to close-range attack. When settled into her game she completely mastered Mrs. Bundy at the task of putting across winning shots. Miss Browne's total of placements for the three sets was 40 to 21 for Mrs. Bundy.

Mrs. Bundy, after Miss Browne had opened with the service in the match, dominated the first set from deep court. The matron excelled at the long drives. She swung the ball from the corner and alternated at pace, compelling Miss Browne to do some running entirely unsuited to the conditions.

Discovering that a back-court duel with Mrs. Bundy was a losing venture, Miss Browne braved the dangers of a net attack in the second set and was immediately rewarded. She tallied the first three games. Miss Browne held to her commanding lead at 5-2 on games. Several brilliantly-fought running rallies marked the closing games of this set, Miss Browne floundering a bit on occasions, but gaining the set at 6-3.

With feverish intensity Miss Browne fought the opening rallies of the third sets. So cleverly did she play her shots that Mrs. Bundy repeatedly overdrove the base line, Miss Browne taking the first three games by easy scores. By wonderful driving Mrs. Bundy pulled up to the threatening tally of 5-4 on games. It was then that Miss Browne showed her best play. Driving with all the power she possessed, she scored a love game to win the set and match.

The strain of the singles encounter upon her strength was revealed when Miss Browne attempted to do battle through the semi-final round engagement in the doubles. Paired with Mrs. Louise Williams, the girl was beaten by Mrs. Bundy and Mrs. Carl V. Hitchens in straight sets. The score was 6-2, 6-4.

Wray Brown Wins in Singles.

OMAHA, July 29.—Wray Brown, ex-St. Louis singles champion, defeated Harold Godshall, Los Angeles, junior singles champion of the Pacific coast, in the sixth round of the first open tournament of the Nebraska Tennis association here today, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3. Harry Coffin, also of Los Angeles, won the right to enter the semi-finals by defeating Carl Meyer of Kansas City, 8-6, 4-6, 6-2.

TWILIGHT GAMES SUCCESS

Portland Sunday School Schedule Nearing End.

Portland Sunday School Twilight League Standings.

Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
Anabel Presbyterian	8	1	.889
Arleta Baptist	3	1	.750
Central Presbyterian	6	2	.750
Central M. E.	4	2	.667
First Friends	3	4	.428
Grace Baptist	2	5	.286
Woodstock Episcopal	1	4	.200
Central A. M. E.	0	3	.000
East Side Christian	0	2	.000
Highland Baptist	0	0	.000
Mizpah Presbyterian	0	3	.000

The Portland Sunday school Twilight league schedule is rapidly nearing its completion and before long the remaining games will be played off.

Although a late start handicapped the teams somewhat, they managed to play a great many games. The experience gained from this season will prove a help to the officials in organizing a similar league next year.

The league demonstrated that games can be played after working hours and every contest in the circuit was in the evening.

DETROIT MAN WINS IN RACE

Opening Event of Two-Day Henley Regatta Is Captured.

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., July 29.—H. A. Clarke of Detroit today won the opening event of the two-day Canadian Henley regatta. In the 140-pound singles he defeated S. Stevenson of Toronto by half a length. R. Beleya of St. John, N. B., was third.

The Dons of Toronto won the 140-pound four-oared race, nosing out the Argonauts of Toronto. The Lachines of Montreal finished third and the West Sides of Buffalo fourth.

In the junior four race for one and a half miles the Argonauts of Toronto won handily from the Buffalo West Sides and Ottawa crews.

In the navy league gig race for one mile the Hamilton crew won from Welland by a length, notwithstanding that one of the Hamilton oarsmen broke an oar. Toronto was third. The winner's time was 8 minutes 30 1-5 seconds.

Victoria 12, Tacoma 8.

TACOMA, Wash., July 29.—Victoria scored seven runs in the ninth, defeating Tacoma for the third straight time, 12 to 8. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Victoria	12	19	4	Tacoma	8	10	2

Batteries—Thompson, Wallace, Washington and Rego; Arnold, Gibson, Hovey and Stevens.

YACHTS TO RACE TODAY

VIRGINIA MEETS ALBATROSS THIS AFTERNOON.

Swimming, Diving and Motorboat Contests as Well as Surfboard Riding on Programme.

Willamette river yachting enthusiasts are eagerly awaiting the start of the sailing race this afternoon between Captain Frank Butler's "Virginia" and the "Albatross," owned by George S. Shepherd. The start and finish of the two-mile event will be in front of the Oaks park.

The boats will cross the starting line to windward and sail to the upper end of Ross Island, rounding a buoy there out into the channel and up the river to the Sellwood ferry and back to the start. This distance is approximately one mile. The craft will cover two laps.

In conjunction with the yacht race there will also be held a general programme of aquatic sports including swimming races, diving and motorboat races. The swimming and diving events are termed the Oregon state outdoor championships and will feature aquatic experts from the Broadway natatorium, Multnomah Amateur Athletic club and several unattached entries.

In the senior championships there will be four events for the men and four for the women, while there will be six events for the juniors under 15 years of age.

There will be three motorboat races. The first will be in the 225-325 class, the second open to all boats of 15 miles and under and the third for boats of 15 miles and more. A surf board riding contest will round out the programme.

$25,000 OFFERED KILBANE

Decision Bout With Pete Herman Proposed by Pillsbury.

NEW ORLEANS, July 29.—Promoter Pillsbury has telegraphed Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, an offer of $25,000 to meet Pete Herman, bantamweight champion, in a return bout here next fall. Herman already has signified his willingness to meet Kilbane.

Herman declared on his return here yesterday he was also ready to meet Joe Lynch again if the ex-champion wanted another bout.

Three Teams to Play Tomorrow.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 29.—(Special.)—All of the three Aberdeen baseball teams have games scheduled for next Sunday afternoon. The Stars will journey to Elma for a game. Gadger is slated to do the twirling for the Aberdeen outfit. The City team will play the Hoquiam Colts at Stewart field here. Art Johnson is scheduled for mound duty. The Aberdeen Knights of Columbus will take on the Cosmopolis team at Cosmopolis.

Coast After Minors' Session.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—William H. McCarthy, president of the Pacific Coast Baseball league, has started a campaign to bring the annual convention of the National Association of Minor League Clubs to San Francisco or some other coast city in 1922, he announced today.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

WHEN they laid a new board walk on Fourth street and everybody flocked there for a promenade? O'C.

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When all the boys used to pay "Put" Smith 2 per cent per month for accommodation loans? OLD TIMER.

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When the Liliputians, Tom Thumb, Minnie Warren and the Nutt boys, with a show company disbanded and Commodore Nutt and his brother shortly after opened a saloon in Portland? E. D. G.

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When the block on which the Portland hotel now stands was surrounded by seven-foot billboards advertising Emma Abbott and other popular actresses? M. A. C. K.

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When Frank De Vernon and Darrell Vinton were matinee idols at Cordray's theater? O. G.

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That boxing match when Dave Campbell's nose was broken and Dr. Harry Lane set it straight with a pencil, and how it hurt Dave so severely that he wanted to punch the doctor? RINGSIDE.

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That Glisan street was named after Dr. Glisan, father of Rodney L. Glisan, and that the correct pronunciation is like "glissen," not "gleeson"? W. M. G.

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When Nathan Cole Jr. came from Los Angeles and started an eight-page daily paper called the Northwest News? JERRY.

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When Matt Green got $25 per week at Cort's Standard theater for balancing on the hind legs of a kitchen chair while reading a paper and smoking a cigar? ROUNDER.

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When the prisoners from the state penitentiary in their striped suits and with ball and chain attached used to work grading the Portland? OBSERVER.

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When the steamer Alaskan went down off Cape Blanco? T. E. A.

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When Charley Ford was the umpire of all ball games 35 years ago, and no one ever tried to kill him? G. H. P.

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When the height of your kid ambition was to become a motorman? G.

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The old-time Sunday excursions, when you could ride nearly all day on the river for $1? E. D. G.

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There's always room for good "do you remembers," even though they may not be printed immediately after receipt. Send in your recollections to the sporting editor.

MURPHY IS EXCITED ABOUT TITLE CLAIM

Denver Boy Thinks He Has Chance With Downey.

MIDDLEWEIGHT HALO AIM

Ortega's Opponent for Wednesday at Milwaukie Says He Has Whipped Clevelander.

BY DICK SHARP.

With Bryan Downey, the Cleveland boxer, claiming the middleweight championship of the world, Frankie Murphy, the Denver welterweight, who meets Battling Ortega in the ten-round main event of next Wednesday night's boxing card at Milwaukie, is all "het up" about his chances of winning the title.

The reason is simple. Murphy boasts two clearly won newspaper decisions over Downey, and has plenty of clippings on both fights to bear him out. Murphy fought Downey both times at Columbus, O., and in both scraps more than held his own.

This was not so long ago, and after beating a man twice without much trouble, Murphy is confident that he could turn the trick again, as he knows Downey's style of fighting from a to z. Of course Downey is a much larger boy now than Murphy, if he is fighting middleweight, and this added poundage is a lot to contend with. However, Murphy is willing to take his chances against a man of Downey's caliber. After he gets through with Battling Ortega he is going to lay off of the middleweights except in championship bouts.

Murphy is getting tired of having to give away from 5 to 15 pounds to get a fight. If the welterweights won't meet him, he will claim what little titles there are, and leave for other fields. However his ten-round battle with Dave Shade comes up at Marshfield, Or., August 19. If Murphy can get over Shade he will be the biggest drawing card on the coast in the welterweight ranks, just as he will be in both the welter and middleweight divisions if he gets over Ortega next week.

Ortega, slipping or not, is a mighty tough proposition to give away weight to, and Murphy is looking for the toughest fight of his career when he faces the Oakland scrapper.

The rest of the coming card bespeaks class, and all of the boxers, with the exception of Allie Taylor, who boxes Abe Gordon, are on the ground training. Young Sam Langford, the dusky skinned Seattle mixer, who will box Abe Mishkind of Salt Lake in the six-round semi-final, arrived here yesterday and worked out at the Olympic gym. Mishkind is doing his conditioning at the London club, and looks in the pink.

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Bobby Harper, Seattle's best lightweight, who won the Pacific coast lightweight championship when he defeated Eddie Mahoney of California on the Elks' benefit programme may meet Otto Wallace at Bozeman, Mont., August 6.

Harper has not taken part in any contest since he easily trimmed Willie St. Clair and has been spending the last four weeks with his folks in Seattle, but is expected here within the next few days to start training.

"Denver" Ed Martin, the famous old timer, who in his day battled the best in the business, has been training for the last three months at the Olympic club and would welcome a chance to try his lock horns with some of the big boys who are hanging around the northwest these days.

In the old days "Denver" could have taken Frank Farmer, Tiny Herman and Young Hector, the three best-known northwest heavyweights, and licked them all in the same ring with ease.

Of the lot Young Hector would likely be the best to try the veteran out. Sam Langford is as old as Martin and is still knocking 'em over. The fans like to watch the punchers and if Ed could bowl a few of the boys around here over, he might land a nice piece of sugar in a go with Norfolk or Harry Willis.

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Joe Gorman, who has been on a vacation since his easy victory over Morgan Jones in Seattle last month, returned from Grants Pass last night and will start training at once for any and all matches that may turn up.

Frank Kendall, matchmaker of the boxing commission, hopes to obtain Gorman's signature to a set of articles to meet Bud Ridley at the suburban arena, August 24.

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Herman Koch, a young brother to the heavyweight known to local fans as Tiny Herman, would enter the ring and attempt to work his way up to a match with the leading heavyweights of the west.

At present the young Astorian with the pugilistic aspirations is at Knappa, Or., and may be brought here and given a chance if an opponent can be obtained for him.

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Joe Welling, who has not taken part in any boxing matches since his go with Champion Benny Leonard at St. Louis last March will swing into action for the first time August 5, at Aurora, Ill.

Following this contest Welling, accompanied by his younger brother, plans to make a trip to the northwest, stopping off in Tacoma, Seattle, Butte and Portland for matches when he hopes to return east for bouts with Rocky Kansas, Johnny Dundee or the Chicago boy Benny Leonard.

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George K. O. Brown, the famous Chicago Greek middleweight, who has met the leaders of his division during the last six years, is working daily in a Chicago gymnasium and plans to re-enter the ring within the next 30 days. The Greek will have little trouble in obtaining matches as he has proved himself a great audience pleaser and box office attraction many times.

MACDONALD WINS AT GOLF

Chicago Professional Takes Metropolitan Open Title.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., July 29.—Bob Macdonald, professional of Chicago, won the Metropolitan open golf championship with a 72-hole total of 294 Thursday. Pat O'Hara of Staten island was second with a total of 298. John Farrell, Mamaroneck, N. Y., Cyril Walker, Englewood, N. J., and Fred Canausa, West Point, N. Y., tied for third with 301. Next came Tom Kerrigan, Siwanoy Golf club, and Jim Barnes, national open champion, with 302.

Others among the leaders were: Archie Sanderson, Sleepy Hollow; Pat Boyle, Deal, and Will Creavy, Hillcrest, each with a score of 303. Joe Kirkwood, Australia, 305, and Walter Hagen, New York, and Walter Cruikshank, Essex county, with 306.

BEAVERS TO PLAY SALEM

Baseball Contest Is Arranged for Monday Afternoon.

SALEM, Or., July 29.—(Special.)—Jack Hayes, manager of the Salem Senators, announced today that the Portland Beavers would meet the local baseball aggregation at Oxford park here Monday afternoon. Keene, who once tried out with the Portland team, probably will occupy the mound for the locals.

A movement was launched today to have all merchants close their stores Monday afternoon. The Beavers played here last summer, with the result that the crowd was the largest for the season. The Astoria team will meet the Senators here Sunday.

American Army Athletes Win.

COBLENZ, July 29.—The American athletes are champions of the Rhineland. At the conclusion of the athletic carnival the scores stood: United States 209 points, France 106, Great Britain 59, Belgium 38.

CARDS BLANK DODGERS

McHENRY'S HOME RUN IS ONLY SCORE OF GAME.

Pitching Features Contest, Mitchell Allowing Only Three Hits and Pfeffer Only Four.

ST. LOUIS, July 29.—A home run by McHenry in the fifth inning gave St. Louis a 1 to 0 victory over Brooklyn today.

Pitching of the respective moundsmen featured the game, Mitchell allowing only three hits and Pfeffer four. It was Pfeffer's fifth victory in the six games he has pitched since being sent to the locals by Brooklyn. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0	4	1	St. Louis	1	3	0

Batteries—Mitchell and Taylor; Pfeffer and Clemons.

New York 10, Cincinnati 7.

CINCINNATI, July 29.—Numerous errors helped New York to win from Cincinnati today 10 to 7 in ten innings.

Cincinnati sent in four pitchers and New York two, Donahue and Ryan lasting less than a third of an inning each. The score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
N. York	10	13	2	Cincinnati	7	14	6

Batteries—Ryan, Sallee and Smith, Snyder; Donahue, Markle, Gear, Coumbe and Wingo, Hargrave.

Philadelphia 9, Chicago 2.

CHICAGO, July 29.—Philadelphia bunched hits today and easily defeated Chicago 6 to 2. Hubbell pitched in fine form in the pinches. Goldie Rapp cracked out a home run in the first inning, this being the 24th consecutive game in which he has hit safely. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Philadel	6	9	1	Chicago	2	8	3

Batteries—Hubbell and Bruggy; York, Martin, Jones and Daly.

Pittsburg Game Postponed.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—The National league Boston-Pittsburg game here today was postponed because of wet grounds.

INDIANS TRIM RED SOX

MORTON INVINCIBLE, HOLDING BOSTON TO TWO HITS.

Detroit Wins Final Game From Philadelphia, 18 to 6—Other Two Contests Postponed.

BOSTON, July 29.—Morton was invincible today, holding Boston to two hits, and Cleveland won the final game of the series, 3 to 0.

Not a Boston batter reached first base in the last six innings. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	7	0	Boston	0	2	0

Batteries—Morton and O'Neill; Thormahlen, Russell and Ruel.

Detroit 18, Philadelphia 6.

PHILADELPHIA, July 29.—Detroit won the final game from Philadelphia today, 18 to 6. Rain several times threatened to stop the contest.

Heilmann got his third home run in two days, and Veach also landed one in the bleachers. The wet ball was partly responsible for the nine errors scored against Philadelphia. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	18	19	4	Phil	6	7	9

Batteries—Ehmke, Cole and Bassler; Hasty, Freeman, Wolfe and Perkins, Styles.

Washington Game Called.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 29.—The Chicago-Washington American league game was called at the end of the second inning because of wet grounds.

New York Game Postponed.

NEW YORK, July 29.—The American league St. Louis-New York game was postponed today because of wet grounds.

Baseball Summary.

National League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	60	34	.638	St. Louis	45	47	.489
New York	59	34	.634	Chicago	40	52	.435
Boston	52	38	.578	Cincinnati	38	54	.413
Brooklyn	49	47	.510	Phil'd'phia	27	64	.296

American League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	64	38	.642	St. Louis	44	50	.468
New York	57	34	.626	Boston	42	52	.435
Wash'gton	51	47	.520	Chicago	40	54	.426
Detroit	48	49	.495	Phil'd'phia	36	58	.383

American Association Results.

At Toledo 1, Minneapolis 1. (Called end of fifth, rain.)
At Indianapolis 7-5, Kansas City 9-1.
At Louisville 9, Milwaukee 3.
No other games.

Southern Association Results.

At Birmingham 4, Atlanta 5.
At New Orleans 13, Mobile 7.
At Little Rock 9, Nashville 6.
At Memphis 6, Chattanooga 3.

Western League Results.

At St. Joseph 4, Tulsa 6.
At Des Moines 1, Joplin 4.
At Sioux City 4, Wichita 5.
Oklahoma City-Omaha, rain.

How the Series Stand.

At Portland no games. Vernon 4 games; at San Francisco 3 games, Salt Lake 1 game; at Los Angeles 3 games, Sacramento 1 game; at Seattle 3 games, Oakland 1 game.

Where the Teams Play Next Week.

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

Beaver Batting Averages.

	AB	H	Ave		AB	H	Ave
Grantham	40	16	.400	Ginglardi	41	10	.244
Hale	245	90	.367	Johnson	68	15	.221
Gilbert	5	2	.666	Pillette	63	11	.175
Poole	429	139	.324	O'berry	17	3	.176
Cox	431	126	.292	Young	264	45	.170
Wolfer	443	122	.276	Coleman	20	3	.150
Genin	413	110	.266	Ross	70	10	.143
Krug	374	98	.262	Ellison	1	0	.000
Baker	222	58	.261	Plummer	6	0	.000
Fisher	209	53	.253				

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ONLY VARIATION IN SAME OLD STORY IS SCORE.

Tigers Make Triple Play in Fourth Inning and McGraw Gets Home Run in Sixth.

Pacific Coast League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
San Fran.	76	42	.644	Oakland	65	51	.553
Sac'mento	67	50	.573	Vernon	60	57	.513
Los Ang.	61	48	.568	Salt Lake	40	72	.357
Seattle	63	50	.558	Portland	24	86	.218

Yesterday's Results.

At Portland 1, Vernon 10.
At Seattle 4, Oakland 8.
At San Francisco 5, Salt Lake 2.
At Los Angeles 1, Sacramento 0.

Chapter four in the current week's offering of that popular film serial for light summer entertainment, "When Will the Beavers Win Another Ball Game?" was put on at the ball park yesterday. About the only variation from preceding chapters was the score, which was 10 to 1 for Vernon this time. Previous scores of the week have been 7 to 4, 17 to 7 and 8 to 3. It's nice and kindhearted of Bill Easick not to bore the fans by turning in the same kind of a victory twice in a row.

The Tigers did put over a slight variation in plot and furnished a surprise ending to the Beaver half of the fourth by making a triple play. Poole and Wolfer led off for the home boys with singles. Del Baker attempted to sacrifice, but popped a puny fly that Truck Hannah nailed. Truck slammed to Locker at first, retiring Wolfer, and then Locker threw to French at second, who stepped on the bag before Poole could get back.

The only other resemblance to a thrill in a lifeless game was McGraw's home run in the sixth with Locker on base ahead of him. Score:

Vernon—	B	R	H	O	A	Portland—	B	R	H	O	A
Smith,3	3	0	0	0	0	Genin,m	3	0	1	2	0
Chad.,m	5	2	2	3	0	Kruz,2	3	0	1	3	2
Eding.,l	5	2	4	0	1	Hale,3	2	0	1	0	1
Hyatt,r	4	1	1	2	0	Cox,r	4	1	2	2	0
Han'h,c	4	1	2	7	3	Poole,l	4	0	3	8	2
Zelder,2	3	0	0	3	1	Wolfer,l	4	0	1	5	0
Locke,1	4	1	1	4	2	Baker,c	4	0	1	5	0
French,5	4	0	0	8	2	Gr'th'm,s	4	0	2	1	1
Love,p	1	1	0	0	0	John'n,p	2	0	0	0	2
M'Gr'w,p	3	2	2	0	0	Cing.,p	1	0	0	1	0
						Cole'an,p	1	0	1	0	0
						*Fisher	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	10	12	27	9	Totals	35	1	13	27	9

*Batted for Coleman in ninth.

Vernon	1	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	1	—10
Portland	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Errors, French, Poole. Struck out, by Love 1, by Johnson 2, by McGraw 4, by Coleman 2. Bases on balls, off Love 1, off McGraw 1, off Coleman 1. Two-base hits, Chadbourne, Edington, Locker. Three-base hit, Edington. Home runs, McGraw. Triple play, Smith, Zelder, French; Genin, Sacrifice hits, Smith, Zelder. Passed ball, Baker. Wild pitch, Johnson. Balk, McGraw. Innings pitched, by Love 3, at bat 7, runs 1, hits 4; McGraw 7, at bat 28, no runs, 9 hits; Johnson 6, at bat 26, runs 9, hits 10; Coleman 3, at bat 10, 1 run, 2 hits. Credit victory to Love. Charge defeat to Johnson. Runs responsible for, Love 1, Johnson 7, Coleman 1. Time of game 2 hours. Umpires Pipgle and Eason