

BEATEN BY THE RAIN

Browns' Hopes of Winning Cut Short Early.

ONLY FIVE INNINGS PLAYED

Shields' Football Tackle Saves Harlow From Losing the Only Run—Strange Story of O'Hara's Hit Over the Fence.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE. Yesterday's Scores. Oakland, 3; Portland, 1. Seattle, 8; Sacramento, 2. Los Angeles, 2; San Francisco, 1.

J. Fluvius tried his best to help the Browns win from Oakland yesterday afternoon, but in spite of some very clever baseball jockeying by Manager Vignaux...

Pete Umpire McDonald led the stampee for abetter, and as many times the baseballists went back to pounding the horsehide over the field. The third time...

Sacramento loses to Seattle. Seattle batted Brown hard today, and with the aid of several costly errors won easily from Sacramento...

Los Angeles shuts out the Portland team. Yesterday's Scores. Los Angeles, 4; Portland, 0. San Francisco, 8; Tacoma, 2.

Los Angeles, May 15.—Lelshart's pitching was too much for Portland today, and Los Angeles won by a score of 4 to 0.

San Francisco, May 15.—The home team fell upon the curves of Maupin today and hammered them all over the lot, connecting with four safe hits in the opening inning.

Spokane almost shuts Helena out. SPOKANE, May 15.—Damman's good pitching and close fielding came near shutting Helena out today. The game was practically featureless.

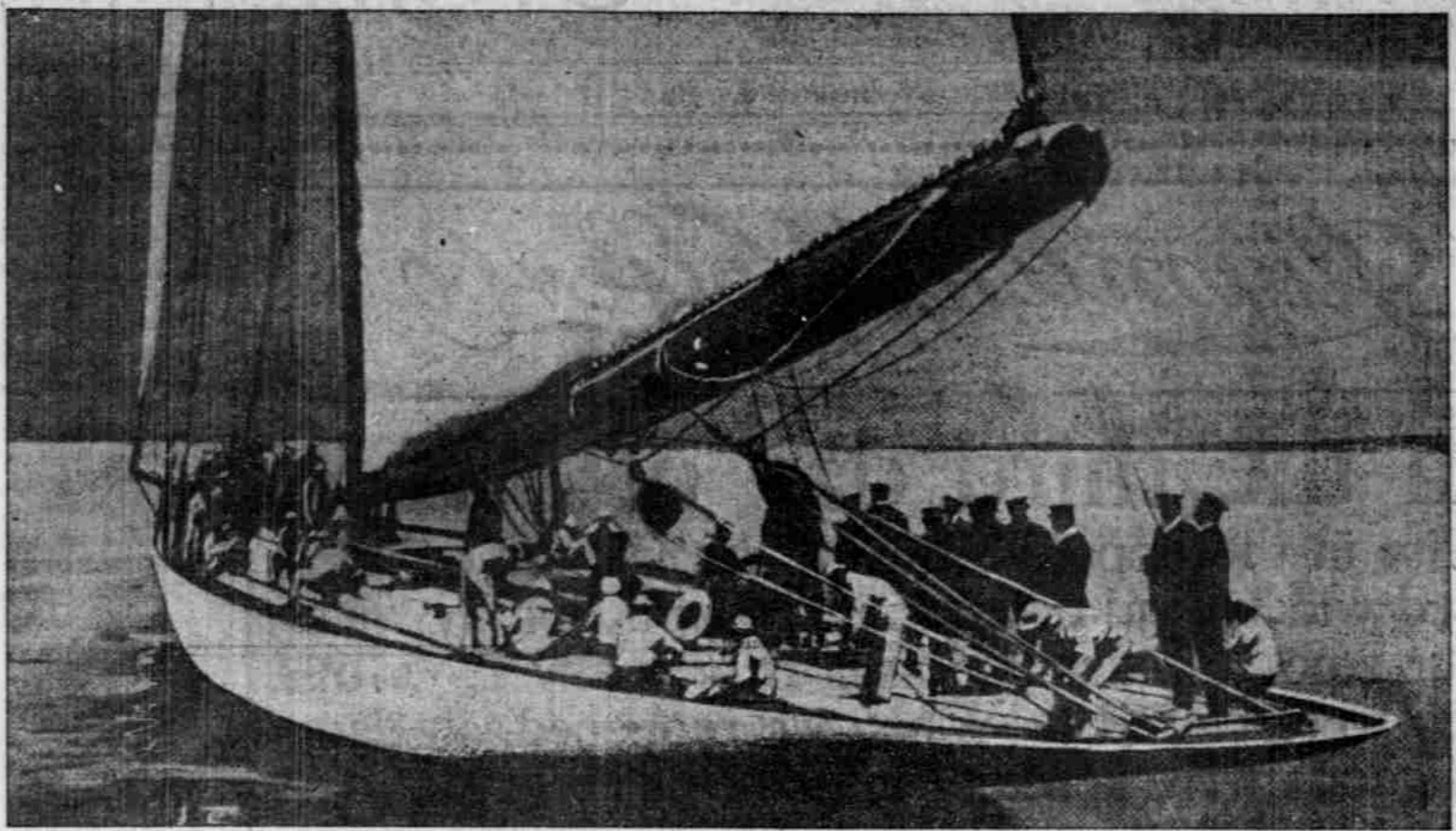
Butte easily downs Seattle. SEATTLE, May 15.—The locals vied with each other today in making errors, Buchel was wild and Butte won without a struggle.

Portland. A. B. R. H. SH. FO. A. E. Raley, 3; ... Van Buren, 1; ...

Oakland. A. B. R. H. SH. FO. A. E. O'Hara, 3; ... Deveraux, 2; ...

Portland. A. B. R. H. SH. FO. A. E. ...

DECK VIEW OF THE CUP YACHT RELIANCE WHILE ON HER FIRST TRIAL SPIN



SHOWING THE TWIN STEERING WHEELS, THE GREAT STEEL MAIN BOOM AND THE CROSS-TRUCK MAINSAIL. In the group of yachtmen on the quarterdeck are Commodore F. G. Bourne, ex-Commodore Edwin D. Morgan, Secretary George A. Cormack, William B. Leeds, C. Oliver Iselin, Herbert C. Leeds, Woodbury Kane, Newberry Thorne and Vice-Commodore C. L. F. Robinson, all of the New York Yacht Club, and Captain Charles Barr, sailing-master of the Reliance.

first inning, and they were enough to give them the game. The visitors could do little with Hodson's pitching thereafter, and failed to score again. Score: R H E Los Angeles, 2; Portland, 0.

SOME GOOD MUD JOCKEYS

AS MUCH DEPENDS UPON RIDER AS THE HORSE.

Animal and Boy Like or Dislike for Heavy Going an Important Feature in Parse Winning.

"Did it ever occur to you that it is just as important to study a jockey's mud-ridding ability as it is to figure a horse's mud-ridding ability?"

"Take the past meeting, at New Orleans for example and I can show you that mud riders are the thing in mud going. There was little short of a deluge all winter and if the track was really fast it must have been on Sundays or at midnight some time."

"When Archie Jackson appeared on the grounds with his charge he had some trouble finding good mounts for him. The boy who was comparatively unknown and whose measure of success it did not come to him—he went after it. That he was a success was demonstrated in the first few weeks of the meeting. He simply revelled in the deep-going and after he had hooked up with Odum, Buchanan, Redfern and some of the others of quality a few times people reached the conclusion that he knew how to sit on a horse. Before the close of the meeting the fact of Fuller having the mount when the track was muddy would result in a shorter price than would have been expected. This was as it should be, for he developed into a mud rider who was pounds better than anyone else on the track."

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"Coming a little closer to him, I want to say that he is a very good mud runner for fair in Haack, the boy who has been surprising everybody at Benning recently. It was last winter at New Orleans that Haack first attracted the notice that won for him his present comfortable berth. He knew the way around the track in the sticky going and many a race was won by his courage and cleverness when the muddy clods were flying or the water and slush were splashing in all directions. One of his most sensational rides at the New Orleans meeting was the time he was first with King Barleycorn, which was as good as 100 to 1. It was much such a race as he rode on Turnpike last Wednesday. King Barleycorn was particularly stubborn and fast, but Haack kept at him resolutely and got up in time to nose out the Messenger. It was purely a case of rider, and from that time Haack was given some consideration."

"Benning, with its muddy going, has shown that Haack is still a mud boy of the first water—or first mud. He has demonstrated that fact so thoroughly that he is being freely picked as one of the best in his division."

"Another mud rider, who was developed at the long session of mud in New Orleans, was the time he was first with King Barleycorn. He has certainly made it his goal at Benning, and it was form that he should in view of his performance in New Orleans."

"W. Hicks, the rider recently engaged by Perry Belmont, is another of the mud quality. That is, muddy tracks first brought him into the public eye. There are several others I can't think of just now who have been singularly successful in the mud, while over a fast track they have been outgeneraled by the same jockeys that they outride in the slop. It is not a question of luck; it is just a natural superiority in that particular and most important branch of riding."

"Keep your eye on the jockeys when it is muddy and see if I'm not about right when I say there are good mud boys just as there are good mud horses."

One mile—South-Sayer won, Lingard second, Gilfillan third; time, 1:40 2-5. Mile and a half—Ginspary won, Prince Webb second, John A. Clarke third; time, 2:25.

Five furlongs—Wizard won, Miss Nancy second, Cheeka Yette third; time, 1:30. International handicap steeplechase, about two miles—Walter Cleary won, Neponset second, Hark Forward third; time, 3:52.

The Fashion stakes, last 4 1/2 furlongs of eclipse course—Johann won, Mapoot second, Fickle third; time, 0:54. The withers stake, withers mile—Short Hoe won, Mexican second, Injunction third; time, 1:41.

Handicap, mile and three-sixteenths—Luke Ward won, Bonybert second, Herbert third; time, 2:05 1/2.

New York and Chicago Races. Direct wires Commission accepted. PORTLAND CLUB, 120 FIFTH STREET.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. P.C. Chicago, 15; St. Louis, 11; Philadelphia, 11; Boston, 11; Detroit, 11; Cleveland, 9; Washington, 7.

Chicago 4, Washington 3. CHICAGO, May 15.—Outside of one inning, on both sides today's game was a pitcher's battle. Attendance, 1900. Score: Chicago, 4; Washington, 3.

St. Louis 2, Philadelphia 0. ST. LOUIS, May 15. While Sudhoff pitched another good game against Philadelphia today and St. Louis won, Bender also pitched a fine game. Attendance, 1500. Score: R H E Philadelphia, 0; St. Louis, 2.

New York 3, Cleveland 2. CLEVELAND, O., May 15.—In a pitcher's battle between Bernhard and Bemis, New York won out by one run, the locals being unable to hit with men on bases. Attendance, 800. Score: R H E Cleveland, 2; New York, 3.

Detroit 9, Detroit 6. DETROIT, May 15.—Detroit made half a dozen errors today, but could stand the game scheduled for tomorrow will be played Tuesday. Attendance, 800. Score: R H E Detroit, 9; Detroit, 6.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. P.C. New York, 15; St. Louis, 11; Philadelphia, 11; Boston, 11; Detroit, 11; Cleveland, 9; Washington, 7.

Chicago 6, Boston 1. BOSTON, May 15.—Boston had a bad sixth inning today when three hits, three errors and a pass gave Chicago four runs. Attendance, 400. Score: R H E Chicago, 6; Boston, 1.

Brooklyn 3, Cincinnati 4. BROOKLYN, May 15.—Timely and consecutive hitting by the Brooklyn team recovered the golden car of the sunken Colorado and Islander. Attendance, 500. Score: R H E Brooklyn, 3; Cincinnati, 4.

St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 2. PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—St. Louis defeated Philadelphia today because of the home club's inability to hit. Six hits in the fifth inning gave the visitors four runs. Attendance, 475. Score: R H E Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 6.

the turnstiles. Matthewson pitched one of his best games and the Pittsburgh men could not hit him consecutively. Score: R H E Pittsburgh, 3; New York, 7.

EUGENE WON AT SALEM. Winner's Pitcher and First Baseman Get Honors. SALEM, Ore., May 15.—(Special.)—Eugene defeated Salem at baseball this afternoon by a score of 14 to 10. The game was played on the Capital City Club's new field in the presence of a fair-sized crowd. The weather was cold and the ground somewhat wet, so that the playing was slow. At the beginning of the last inning the score was 7 to 4.

Reliance to Be Hauled Out Now. NEW YORK, May 15.—The Reliance arrived here today from Newport in tow. She was then hauled out of the water for cleaning.

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College Baseball. At New Haven—Holy Cross, 3; Yale, 0. At Princeton—Princeton, 3; Cornell, 1. At Philadelphia—Harvard, 6; Pennsylvania, 0. At Annapolis—Navy, 11; Columbia, 11. At West Point—Amherst, 5; West Point, 2.

Belmonts Win. The Belmont baseball team defeated the Stephens second nine yesterday by the score of 13 to 4. Huriburt and Daily played fast ball for the Belmonts. Batteries—Stephens: Vadhani and James; Belmonts: Pot and Deburgh; umpire, Howard.

NEW COLLEGE RECORDS MADE. Vasar Junior Class Is Credited With Four Out of Five. POUGHKEPSIE, N. Y., May 15.—The ninth annual field day of the Vasar College Athletic Association was held on the college field today. Five new college records were made, of which four are to the credit of the junior class. The records broken were in the standing broad jump and running broad jump, both by Evelyn G. Gardiner '04, of Chicago, the 55-yard dash and 220-yard run, both by Agnes S. Wood, '04, of Port Richmond, S. I., and the running high jump, by Helen C. Wood, '04, of Arlington, Mass. The class of 1904 won 55 points; 1903, 35 points; 1902, 17, and 1901, none.

Whitney's Horse Wins in London. LONDON, May 15.—William C. Whitney's Dan Belmont, ridden by Martin, won the Marlborough stakes at the Cheltenham Spring meeting today. Martin scored two other firsts, besides landing Richard Croker's Sporting second in the Rock plate.

Pacific Coast Notes. Roseburg Presbyterians will build a \$8000 church. Captain Henry Finch has sailed from Puget Sound for Northwestern Alaska to recover the golden car of the sunken Colorado and Islander. Henry Phelps, multi-millionaire, has arrived in his way back to New York from a tour of the world. He is accompanied by a son and daughter.

Professor Felix von Lueban, the famous ethnographical student, who conducted the examination, submitted the following written statement to the head of the institution: "I have carefully examined and measured from an ethnographical standpoint Feodor Machow, of Kustajka, Russia, who is now about 22 years of age. He is 7 feet 9 inches in height and has a chest circumference which has resulted in establishing the truth of his claim of being the largest human being on the face of the globe."

Feodor Machow, a Russian, Possibly World's Largest Man. Chicago Tribune. Of all the giants that have appeared before the public within the last 30 or 40 years none can be compared with the imposing Russian who has recently been exhibited in Berlin, Germany. The giant, whose name is Feodor Machow, has been exhibited by the Anthropological Society, of Berlin, where he has undergone a rigid examination and careful measurements which have resulted in establishing the truth of his claim of being the largest human being on the face of the globe.

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Errors in a publication are usually of the following character: Typographical errors, such as misprints, omissions, and insertions; errors of transcription; misapprehension of the writer, or of differences in authorities. Besides this there is the wide field of differences in one's own mind, and thus many being unable to distinguish between a fact and what is properly but their own personal inference from facts, or supposed facts. Still further, different persons will estimate differently the value of events and give varying proportions to the elements constituting the whole. Typographical errors or mere blunders have already not, certainly, been expected in a standard work, yet are almost invariably found, particularly in first editions, and indeed seldom, or never, disappear entirely; almost every teacher, student, including myself, having noticed or reported such even in standard textbooks. By reference to the preface of my history it will be seen that the work was undertaken in public confidence, and that a complete or critical history of Oregon could not yet be written; but it was thought worth while now to lay the basis of an investigation and ask the passage of the public. I would therefore, feel a most friendly courtesy if any supposedly erroneous matter, whether mere slips or differences of information or opinion—in the great number of details that have been attempted to furnish—would be reported to me. I am confident that the work has been begun on a sufficiently broad basis to bear much further elaboration, and I would be glad to be corrected with such as may be found by myself, will, if they seem sufficiently numerous and formidable, be collated and published as a page of errors, and the corrected list be furnished each subscriber or purchaser, so far as these may be known. I hope that this may prove a useful line of inquiry and place the readers merely in the hands of the public, and thus furnish me matter for notice in a second edition, if this should be produced. Such investigation and criticism would also establish more firmly in public confidence the data as do not prove open to question. H. S. LYMAN.

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