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SPOKANE A WINNER

After Four Defeats They Get a Game From Portland.

At the ball grounds on Saturday it looked for a time as if the crowd would be presented with rain checks. The weather had been threatening all day and at the time the game was called Jupiter blazes turned on the tap, and in a few minutes the diamond looked like a duck pond.

Old Sol however managed to side step the clouds, and put in an appearance, with a smile of exceptional warmth. Some of the players with a broom spread out the piles of water where it had accumulated in the low spots, while others pulled sawdust around the bags and in a short time the grounds were ready for business.

During the interlude the irrepressible Julius Caesar appeared in the grand stand, and entertained the crowd for a few minutes, by rendering a short oration on ball between Portland and Spokane. The crowd could not get a line on what the ebony colored speaker was trying to get at, and it is doubtful whether Caesar did himself. At any rate the incident closed by the hurried exit of Spokane's hoodoo, amid a shower of seat cushions.

Cunningham opened the bombardment for the local team. His throwing was as wild as that of a woman throwing stones at a fresh hen. He put the balls everywhere but over the plate, and was retired at the end of the first inning, being replaced by Kostal who did good work.

First inning, Spokane—McLaughlin got to first on balls and managed to steal the second on a passed ball. Ferris got to the first on balls, and Reitz made a safe base hit. Grim then went to bat with three men on bases. He was hit in the short ribs by a ball which forced in McLaughlin. At this time Cunningham was retired and Kostal put in the box. Donahue grabbed the club and made a hit for first which let in Ferris. McKevitt sent a fly to second where it was cleverly fielded and sent to the home plate in time to settle Reitz. The ball was then passed to first and stopped McKevitt on a pretty double play. Frary then struck out.

Portland—Muller got to first on a hit to second. Van Buren struck out and Anderson and Weed went out on flys.

Second inning, Spokane—Howells and Quick struck out while McLaughlin died on a swipe to second.

Portland—Harris hit to first and Deisel went out on a fly. Engle died on first and Shea sent a fatal fly to the right field.

Third inning, Spokane—Ferris went out on a foul and Reitz and Grim were retired on first.

Portland—Kostal went out on a strike to center field. Muller sent a foul to the right field where McKevitt made a dive over the bleacher fence in his effort to secure it. Muller then sent another one to McKevitt who this time took it in. Van Buren sent a high hit to center field and ceased playing.

Fourth inning, Spokane—Donahue hit for first and McKevitt gave him second on a sacrifice. Frary got to first on balls, and Howells sent a fly into some unoccupied territory in the right field which let in Ferris. Quick fanned out and McLaughlin followed with a fly hit.

Portland—Anderson opened up with a two-bagger and Weed went out on a fly. Harris secured the first bag on balls and Anderson reached third on a passed ball. Deisel sent a fly to the left field and went out. Harris stole second and on a bad throw Anderson brought in a score. Engle went out on a pop fly to the pitcher.

Fifth inning, Spokane—Ferris out on first. Reitz base on balls. Grim died on fly to right field. Donahue hit to first and McKevitt got a base on balls. With three men on bases Frary sent a long grounder into the left field which brought in Reitz and Donahue. Howells died on first.

Portland—Shea, Kostal and Muller all went out on flys.

Sixth inning, Spokane—Quick, McLaughlin and Reitz all went out on first. Portland—Van Buren hit a fly to Reitz who jumped up in the air and with one hand dragged it down. Anderson got first on balls. Weed made a punt and fingered at the plate to see whether it would be properly fielded with the result that he died on first. Harris then sent out a grounder and Anderson brought in a run. Deisel went out on first.

Seventh inning, Spokane—Reitz died on first, likewise Grim. Donahue got first on first hit. McKevitt struck out.

Portland—Engle and Kostal went out on first and Shea on a fly to center field.

Eighth inning, Spokane—Howells fanned out. Quick sent a fly to Engle which settled him. McLaughlin got a base on balls and died on second on a hit by Ferris.

Portland—Muller, Van Buren and Anderson all died on first.

Ninth inning, Spokane—Reitz and Frary both sent flys to Muller and went out. Elsey was caught on first.

Portland—Weed struck out. Harris made a hit to first and stole second.

PORTLAND.

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Muller, 1. f.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Van Buren, c. f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Anderson, 2b.	2	0	1	2	0	0
Weed, 1b.	4	0	0	13	2	0
Harris, 3b.	4	0	3	0	1	0
Deisel, s. s.	4	0	0	1	5	0
Engle, f. c.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Shea, c.	3	0	0	6	1	0
Cunningham, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kostal, p.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	33	2	5	27	15	0

SPOKANE.

McLaughlin, c. f.	3	1	0	4	0	0
Ferris, 2b.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Reitz, 1b.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Grim, 3b.	4	0	0	12	1	0
Donahue, 2b.	4	0	0	1	2	0
McKevitt, s. s.	4	0	0	1	2	0
Frary, c.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Howells, 1. f.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Quick, p.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	33	3	5	27	11	0

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Quick, p.	4	0	1	1	4	0
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Totals	33	5	9	27	11	9

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Spokane, 1; off Kostal, 8. Bases on balls—Portland, 5; Spokane, 8. K's—Portland, 4; off Quick, 2.

Hit by pitcher—By Cunningham, 1. Struck out—By Quick, 2; by Kostal, 4. Sacrifices—Cunningham, 1. Stolen bases—Harris, 2.

Double play—Weed to Shea to Weed. Left on bases—Portland, 5; Spokane, 8. Wild pitches—Cunningham, Quick. Time of game—1 hour and 35 minutes. Umpire—Colgan. Attendance—1200.

SEATTLE AND TACOMA.

TACOMA, Aug. 18.—Seattle gave the Tigers the worst drubbing of the season on Saturday. Johnson the pitcher was retired and was succeeded by McCarty.

Score 12-0. Yesterday Tacoma by good playing secured the game from Seattle by a score of 10-4. In the first inning they made six runs.

HELENA AND BUTTE.

BUTTE, Aug. 18.—The Saturday game was a close one. Some clever plays were made by both teams. Score was 4-3 in favor of the visitors. The Sunday game was played before a large crowd. Helena won the game by a score of 6-5.

INLAND EMPIRE LEAGUE.

WALLA WALLA, Aug. 18.—In the game of Saturday, the home team lost to Pendleton by a score of 9-4. The Walla Walla team won the game from Pendleton by a score of 2-1. In yesterday morning's game. Until the 12th inning the score was at tie. In the game the afternoon Pendleton was 8-7.

L GRANDE-VIS, BAKER CITY.

LA GRANDE, Aug. 18.—The home team secured both games from the visitors yesterday. The grounds were muddy, but the games played were fast. Scores 6-5, 9-8.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Brooklyn	35	45	.559
Chicago	51	45	.531
Boston	49	44	.527
Cincinnati	44	50	.468
St. Louis	44	53	.454
Philadelphia	40	59	.404
New York	32	64	.333

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

St. Louis, 10; Brooklyn, 4.

New York, 8; Chicago, 3.

Boston, 3; Cincinnati, 1.

Pittsburg, 4-6; Philadelphia, 3-2.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Cincinnati, 2; Pittsburg, 1.

New York, 3-3; Chicago, 2-1.

St. Louis, 7; Brooklyn, 7.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
St. Louis	53	40	.570
Boston	52	41	.562
Chicago	52	43	.547
Washington	50	53	.489
Cleveland	49	51	.465
Baltimore	40	57	.412
Detroit	39	56	.411

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

Boston, 7; Detroit, 1.

Cleveland, 4; Washington, 2.

Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 1.

Baltimore, 5; St. Louis, 12.

BADGER TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 18.—The Wisconsin state championship tennis tournament opened today on the courts of the Milwaukee Lawn Tennis club.

The participants include experts from several parts of the state, and the tournament promises to be one of the most successful ever held in this section.

The tri-state tennis tournament opened this morning on the courts of the Omaha Field Club.

The United States national lawn tennis championship games will open at Newport August 19.

GOLF AT DEL MONTE.

DEL MONTE, Cal., Aug. 18.—Today opened a banner week for golf enthusiasts of the Pacific Coast. On the Del Monte links today the second annual competition for the women's amateur championship of the coast opened under most auspicious conditions. The forenoon was given over to the qualifying rounds in the women's championship, and this afternoon the preliminaries in the men's amateur competition are being contested. These competitions continue until Friday, when the open championship at 36 holes will be decided, to be followed on Saturday by the annual team competition between North and South. Some of the best amateur players on the Pacific Coast are taking part, and the several tournaments promise to be the most notable ever held since the introduction of the game in this part of the country.

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TAKE THE LAST GAME

Spokane Again Bumps Portland—Play Good Ball.

Northwest League.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
Spokane, 6; Portland, 4.
Helena, 6; Butte, 3.
Tacoma, 10; Seattle, 4.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Seattle	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Butte	48	31	.608
Helena	42	34	.553
Spokane	37	39	.487
Tacoma	34	43	.442
Portland	32	46	.410

GAMES THIS WEEK.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday—Portland at Butte, Seattle at Helena.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday—Spokane at Tacoma.

One of the largest and loudest crowds that have attended a ball game this season turned out yesterday to see the closing game of the Spokane-Portland series.

In spite of the threatening weather the grand stand and bleachers were packed by a crowd which was ready to enthrone at every good play made. They were a generous audience and both teams received equal encouragement.

The military display in the grand stand made it appear like a vast flower garden. Both men and women had on their glad rags, and no where has a better dressed crowd of people ever assembled to witness a Sunday ball game.

Caesar was on deck, and gave out that he was willing to let the visitors have another game, as the home team had captured the series, and he wanted the Spokane boys to make a little showing, or they would be killed on getting to their home town.

Spokane played a superior all-around game. Both teams made some grand-slam, stunts. Several excellent double plays were made.

First inning—Spokane went to bat and opened up by getting three runs in a bunch. This gave them a lead which the home team could not overcome, although they made a game attempt.

Portland—Muller went to bat and died on first. Van Buren and Anderson died on flys.

Second inning, Spokane—One man died on a fly, one on first and one on strikes. Portland went out in quick time without a run.

Third inning, Spokane—Elsey went out on a fly to second. McKevitt on a fly to right field. Frary made first on a fumble by Deisel. Kelley died on a punt.

Portland—Deisel went to first on balls. Shea struck out. Witbeck made a safe hit to center field. Van Buren hit to third base which let in Deisel. Anderson hit to second where it was dropped and Witbeck came home. Zeigler hit a three-bagger and let in Anderson. Weed died on first.

Fourth inning, Spokane—Howells died on first and Pfeister on a fly to left field. McLaughlin went out on a fly to the left field where it was caught by Muller after a long run.

Portland—Harris sent a fly to second and was out. Deisel and Shea went out on first.

Fifth inning, Spokane—Ferris went out on a punt to the pitcher. Donahue made first and died on a hit to center field by Elsey. The hit by Elsey was caught by Van Buren by a high jump.

Portland—Witbeck died on first after sending a hot grounder into the center field where it was picked up by McLaughlin and sent to first. Muller got first on balls and stole second. Van Buren reached second on a clever sacrifice by Muller between second and third. Anderson made a safe hit to third where it was fumbled. Anderson stole second after a mighty slide. Zeigler then struck out with two men on bases.

Sixth inning, Spokane—McKevitt made a safe hit for the first bag. Frary sent a fly to right field which gave McKevitt third. Kelley made first. Howell went out on a fly to Shea. Pfeister struck out and McLaughlin made a hit to second with three men on bases.

Portland—Weed out on a fly. Harris struck out. Deisel died on first.

Seventh inning, Spokane—Ferris out on a fly to second base. Donahue made a first-base hit, the ball was thrown to Weed who caught it. About this time Donahue hit him with the force of a pile driver and knocked the ball out of his hand, and was declared safe. Elsey went out on first. McKevitt sent the ball to the health food sign on the center field fence. This let in Donahue, and the striker got to second. Frary made first on balls. Kelley struck out with two men on bases.

Portland—Shea hit to first. Witbeck sent the ball to second where Shea died. Muller hit to second and Witbeck went to the mfm Muller stole second and made third on a passed ball. Van Buren died on first.

Eighth inning, Spokane—Howells secured base on balls. Pfeister went out on first. McLaughlin made a two-bag hit. Ferris hit to first and Howells came home. Donahue hit to first which let in McLaughlin. Elsey went out on a fly to second and McKevitt followed with a fly to center field which settled the inning.

Portland—Anderson made a first-base hit. Zeigler, Weed and Harris struck out.

Ninth inning, Spokane—Frary fanned out. Kelley was stopped on first. Howells took first on balls. Pfeister died on a fly to second.

Portland—Deisel struck out. Shea and Witbeck died on first base. Score:

PORTLAND.

Muller, 1st fr.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Van Buren, c.	4	1	1	2	1	0
Anderson, 2b.	4	0	0	1	1	0
Zeigler, f. c.	4	0	0	8	0	0
Weed, 1b.	4	0	0	0	1	0
Harris, 3b.	4	0	0	1	1	0
Deisel, s. s.	3	1	0	1	1	0
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