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RACING SCANDAL AT THE MEADOWS

Starter Fred Mulholland Resigns After Giving Metlakatla a Flying Start on Tuesday, Smashing Two Books.

Spokane and Riverside Clubs Are Played to Destruction by Caesar Young, Who Had a Tip on What Was Doing.

(Journal Special Service.)

SEATTLE, Wash., June 18.—Just before the horses were called to the post for the first race at The Meadows yesterday afternoon a sensation was sprung in the announcement that Starter Fred Mulholland had resigned and the stewards had appointed Assistant Starter Edward Duke to the position.

Simultaneously came the announcement that two books, the Spokane Club and the Riverside Club, would not cut in. It was a situation that did not require an extended search to find an explanation for.

Just as the horses went to the post for the second race Tuesday afternoon Caesar Young, who is making a book at the track, left the block and placed $1,200 on Metlakatla, the biggest part of the money going into the two books named. The odds against the filly were 6 to 1 at this time, but Young's play forced the price down to 3 to 1.

That Flying Start.

Then came the race. Mulholland let Metlakala away to a flying start at least three lengths ahead of her field. She was never headed and won as she pleased by five lengths.

The crimp put in the bank rolls of the two books that carried Caesar Young's money was something unpleasant to contemplate. It was sufficiently large, when taken in connection with their previous losses, to put them out of business for the time being, and they will probably not cut in again during the present meeting.

Between the close of the races Tuesday and the opening yesterday it was made plain to Mr. Mulholland that in case he saw fit to hand in his resignation it would not be ignored by the officials of the association. Their summary action meets with the approval of the race-going public.

The Heavy Losers.

The Spokane Club is owned by Harry Green, one of the boss gamblers of Spokane. The Riverside Club is backed by the bank rolls of Charles McCarthy of Portland and Pat McMahon of Seattle. Both McCarthy and McMahon declare that they did not quit because they were losers, but because they were forced out by the officials of the association. This statement is, however, generally discredited.

The officials of the association refuse to discuss the matter, and will neither affirm or deny the rumor that is being circulated that independent booking is to be superseded by a syndicate book.

The event of the day yesterday was The Ladies' Plate, at five furlongs, for 2-year-olds. A promising lot of youngsters faced the barrier and the race proved to be all that could be desired from a spectacular point of view.

The winner turned up in H. L. Frank, a colt that has been a most consistent performer since his appearance on this track. The value of the purse was $800.

Favorites captured all but one of the other events on the card. The play was especially heavy on Matt Hogan, winner of the five and one-half furlong race. He was backed from 2½ to 1 to 3 to 2.

Yesterday's Results.

First race, seven furlongs, for 4-year-olds and up—The Singer, 8 to 5 (Carson), first; Headstrong second, Augie third; time, 1:30¼.

Second race, six furlongs, for 3-year-olds and up, selling—Amasa, 8 to 5 (Powell), first; Lou Cleveden second; Gladys Bell third; time, 1:16.

Third race, seven furlongs, for 4-year-olds and up, selling—Arthur Ray, 2 to 1 (Collis), first; Rosin second; George Dewey third; time, 1:31.

Fourth race, The Ladies' Plate, five furlongs, for 2-year-olds—H. L. Frank, 8 to 5 (See), first; Planet second, Resigned third; time, 1:04¼.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs, for 4-year-olds and up, selling—Matt Hogan, 3 to 2 (Corson), first; The Pride second, Gleneinning third; time, 1:10.

Sixth race, one mile, for 4-year-olds and up, selling—Vasallo, 6 to 1 (Henderson), first; Kittie Kelly second, Pirate Maid third; time, 1:44.

Derby Day at Harlem.

CHICAGO, June 18.—The Derby trial special at Harlem yesterday furnished one of the most sensational finishes of the year. Savable, Linguist and Judge Himes, in a fierce drive that commenced at the head of the stretch, came under the wire as named, heads apart. Savable, the American Derby favorite, held at 1 to 2 in the race today, showed wonderful gameness at a time when he appeared beaten, but Gray, who had the mount, held Savable together and rode him out to victory. Results:

Four and a half furlongs—Pat Hammon won, Mast second, Lonsdale third; time, 0:54¼.

Six furlongs—Neverfret won, Antonius second, Joe Martin third; time, 1:13 1-5.

Derby Trial Special, one mile and an eighth—Savable won, Linguist second, Judge Himes third; time, 1:53.

Steeplechase, short course—Golden Link won, Mrs. Grabman second, Ceylon third; time, 3:34.

Five furlongs—Peter Paul won, Auditor second, J. P. Mayberry third; time, 1:00 1-5.

One mile—Colonnade won, Sir Hugh second, Vulcain third; time, 1:40 1-5.

One mile and 70 yards—Alfred C won, Lord Touchwood second, Milas third; time, 1:46.

Gravesend Track Closes.

NEW YORK, June 18.—The spring meeting of the Brooklyn Jockey Club closed yesterday. Summary:

About six furlongs—Vanness won, Petrarch second, Blue Banner third; time, 1:11.

One mile and a sixteenth—Proper won, River Pirate second, Himself third; time, 1:37 3-5.

About six furlongs—Valour won, Reveille second, Moxave third; time, 1:13 3-5.

The Myrtle stakes, one mile and 70 yards—Duke of Kendal won, Highlander second, Zoroaster third; time, 1:46.

Five furlongs—Bob Murphy won, Julia M second, Pampano third; time 1:02.

One mile and a sixteenth—Faulcon Bridge won, Spring Silk second, Aminte third; time, 1:50.

PORTLAND BROWNS' BRILLIANT WORK

In a Seventeen-Inning Game at Los Angeles Yesterday Morley's Men Won Out in an Ecxiting Game.

Charlie Shields Pitched for the Browns and for Eleven Innings Denied the Angels the Pleasure of a Single Run.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Scores.

Los Angeles 4; Portland 3.
Sacramento 13; Oakland 6.
San Francisco 6; Seattle 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Los Angeles	45	23	.662
Sacramento	41	26	.612
San Francisco	39	32	.549
Oakland	30	41	.423
Seattle	27	38	.415
Portland	21	40	.344

(Journal Special Service.)

LOS ANGELES, June 18.—The Portland Browns and the Coast League Angels played a grand 17-inning game here yesterday. The contest resulted in a victory for Morley's men in the last half of the 17th inning of the greatest game of baseball ever seen in Los Angeles. Both Shields and Hall pitched gilt-edged ball, and it was anybody's game until the locals half of the last session.

The Portland team seems to be up against the hardest kind of luck, for when they first appeared in Los Angeles before, their second baseman and shortstop were on the sick list, and this time they are minus a first and third baseman. Catcher Hess played a creditable first base, but he is a better catcher, and as the Portland team expect a crackerjack initial guardian to join them here, the local fans may have an opportunity to see Jimmy Toman's old teammate work behind the bat. Speaking of Toman and his work, the Portland team is in possession of a player who is almost Jimmy's equal in Joe Raidy, their crack shortstop.

Andy Anderson, who had just left the hospital on the Browns' previous visit to Los Angeles, is now in fine shape and his work yesterday was a revelation to the 3,000 spectators who witnessed the game. Jimmy Toman broke up the game in the 17th when he smashed one of Shields' curves for three bases, scoring Ross, who had singled, with the winning run.

Phil Nadeau made one of the greatest catches ever seen on the local diamond, when he ran up against the left field fence, and speared Wheeler's long fly with his bare hand, this play saved the game at that stage, as two men were on bases and two out at the time. Nadeau was roundly applauded when he came in from the field. The score follows:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hoy, c. f.	5	0	0	4	0	0
Wheeler, 2b.	6	1	1	4	5	0
Smith, 3b.	7	2	4	1	5	1
Dillon, 1b.	7	0	4	19	0	0
Cravath, r. f.	8	0	1	1	0	0
Ross, l. f.	6	1	2	5	0	0
Toman, s. s.	7	0	2	6	6	0
Spies, c.	7	0	1	7	2	0
Hall, p.	6	0	1	1	5	1
Corbett, c. f.	2	0	0	3	0	0
*E. Hurlburt	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	62	4	15	51	23	2

PORTLAND.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Raidy, s. s.	6	0	0	3	9	1
Van Buren, c. f.	6	0	3	6	0	0
Nadeau, l. f.	7	1	1	1	0	0
Anderson, 2b.	7	1	0	4	7	0
G. Hurlburt, r. f.	7	1	2	0	0	0
J. Reilly, 3b.	8	0	2	1	3	0
Shea, c.	8	0	2	11	2	1
Vigneux, 1b.	7	0	1	22	2	1
Shields, p.	7	0	4	1	3	2
Totals	63	3	15	48	26	5

*Hurlburt batted for Hoy in tenth.
||No one out when winning run was made.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

L. Ang.	0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1— 4
Hits	0 1 2 0 1 1 2 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 2 2—15
Portland	0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3
Hits	0 0 2 2 0 1 0 2 1 0 2 1 2 1 0 1 0—15

SUMMARY.

Three-base hits—Smith 2, Nadeau, Toman. Two-base hits—Toman, Smith, Spies, Wheeler. Sacrifice hits—Smith, Van Buren, Dillon, Cravath, Nadeau, 2, Ross 2, Hall, Anderson, Shields. First base on errors—Los Angeles 3; Portland 2. First base on balls—Off Hall 4; off Shields 5. Left on bases—Los Angeles 16; Portland 14. Struck out—By Hall 6; by Shields 7. Hit by pitcher—G. Hurlburt. Double play—Cravath to Dillon. Time of game—Three hours and 15 minutes. Umpire—Levy.

TO PLAY FOR CHARITY

The baseball teams representing the Telegram Tigers and the Oregonian Mailing Department will cross bats at the Coast League grounds, Twenty-fourth and Vaughn streets, on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged, the proceeds to be donated to the Heppner flood sufferers. Jay Andrews, the popular third baseman of the Portland Browns, will officiate as umpire. This fact alone makes the game worth witnessing, as his services as a physician may be called upon at any time during the session. The teams will line up as follows:

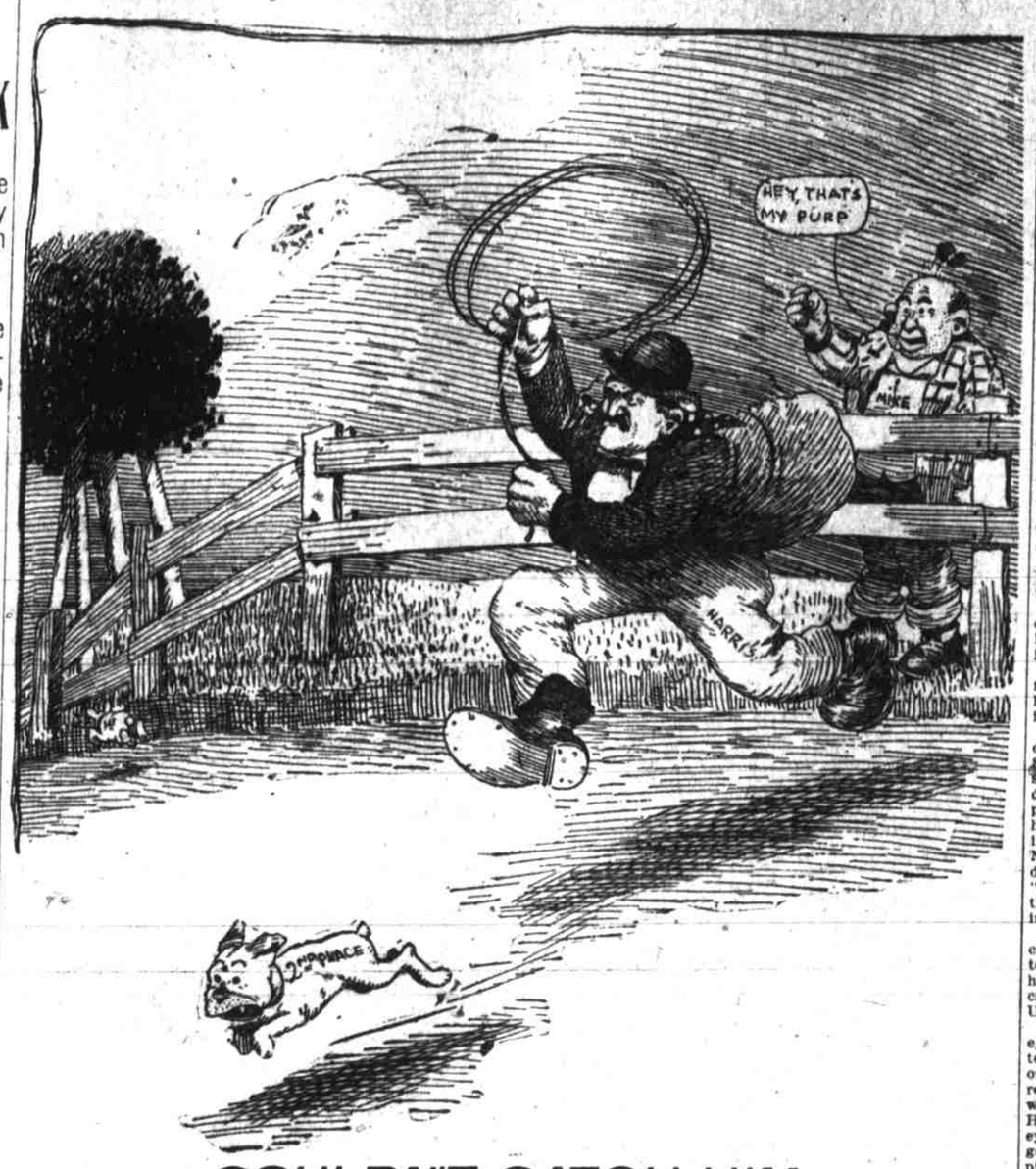
Telegrams—Kelly, catcher; Wessels, pitcher; Waldstein, first base; Burgard, second base; McCam, third base; Jeter, shortstop; Packard, left field; O'Donnell, center field; Anderson, right field.

Mailing Clerks—Mualthoff, catcher; Shields, pitcher; Murray, first base; Anderson, second base; Barton, third base; McCarthy, shortstop; Montague, left field; Webster, center field; Dewey, right field.

JACK O'BRIEN FORGIVES

"Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien has forgiven big Al Limerick for putting him out during a recent exhibition and has telegraphed Al to come and join the show. Al said last night he wouldn't go. O'Brien also wants to manage Limerick for half of the profits. Al shakes his head at this, too.

Full description of all sporting events, New York and Chicago races received by direct wire from the tracks. New York telegraph tips posted. Commissions received for all sporting events in any part of the world. First betting California races 1:45 p. m. Memphis races commence Monday, March 23, first betting 11:45 a. m. PORTLAND CLUB, 130 Fifth street.



COULDN'T CATCH HIM.

WILD GEESE LOSE AGAIN TO HELENA

Dr. Drake's Actors Perform Poorly Before a Small, Uninterested Crowd.

PACIFIC NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Scores.

Helena 5; Portland 3.
Spokane 5; San Francisco 2.
Los Angeles 2; Seattle 1.
Tacoma 13; Butte 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Los Angeles	35	19	.648
Spokane	32	22	.593
Seattle	31	22	.585
Butte	30	24	.556
San Francisco	26	31	.456
Tacoma	24	30	.444
Helena	20	33	.377
Portland	18	35	.340

HELENA, Mont., June 18 — Dr. Drake's aubergines played in their usual stupid style yesterday, and when the runs were counted afterward were two to the bad. Parrott, Fisher and Anderson were the chief offenders. There were but a handful of spectators present, and the game was a frost. The score was:

		R.	H.	E.
Portland	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 0	3	8	5
Helena	0 0 0 0 2 1 2 0 0	5	10	2

Batteries — Lundbom and Anderson; Thompson and Carisch.

'Frisco Defeated Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 18.—Failure to connect with Hodson's delivery, which, coupled with poor baserunning, lost yesterday's game for Seattle. Attendance 2,300. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Seattle	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1	3	12	2
San Fran	2 0 0 0 1 2 1 0 *	6	10	2

Batteries—Semple and Wilson; Hodson and Leahy. Umpire—O'Connell.

Sacramento 13; Oakland 6.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 18.—Mique Fisher's hirelings landed on Mr. Lee of Pete Lohman's pitching corps for a total of nineteen safe swats yesterday, and as a result of the bombardment Sacramento won the game easily. Attendance 1,700. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	3 6 0 0 0 2 0 0 2	13	19	1
Oakland	3 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0	6	6	0

Batteries—Thomas and Graham; Lee and Gorton. Umpire—McDonald.

Tacoma 13; Butte 2.

BUTTE, Mont., June 18.—The Tacoma Tigers won yesterday's game on costly errors by the Miners. Attendance 200. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	3 0 1 2 2 0 3 2 0	13	17	3
Butte	0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0	2	13	3

Batteries — St. Vrain and Byers; Roach, Kelly, Swindells and Donahue. Umpire—Mahaffey.

Dugdale's Men Lost.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 18.—Seattle lost a close game to Los Angeles yesterday. An injunction was served on Walters and Thomas of the Los Angeles team, and they were prevented from playing. This is the result of Dugdale's injunction against Hurlburt of the Portland team. Attendance 400. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Seattle	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0	1	6	1
Los Angeles	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	6	0

Batteries — Hickey, and Stanley; Thatcher and Hildebrand. Umpire—Huston.

Nichols Fanned Twelve.

SPOKANE, Wash., June 18.—Yesterday's game was a battle of pitchers. Ernest Nichols struck out twelve of McCloskey's pirates. While Pfeister, the ex-Spokane player, fanned eleven of the locals. Both teams fielded perfectly. Several of the 'Frisco players used abusive language to their manager, McCloskey. Attendance 1,000. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Spokane	0 1 2 1 0 1 0 0 *	5	8	0
San Fran	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	9	0

Batteries—Nichols and Hanson; Pfeister and Zearfoss.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	30	18	.625
Boston	29	19	.604
Cleveland	25	20	.556
Chicago	22	22	.500
New York	21	22	.488
St. Louis	19	21	.475
Detroit	20	24	.455
Washington	13	33	.283

At New York.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	1	4	1
Chicago	0	1	4

Batteries—Wolfe and Beville; Flaherty and McFarland.

At Philadelphia.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	7	4
Philadelphia	11	12	0

Batteries—Reidy and Sugden; Bender and Powers.

At Boston.
FIRST GAME.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	7	1
Cleveland	3	8	2

Batteries—Gibson and Smith; Moore and Abbott.

SECOND GAME.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	6	9	1
Cleveland	1	5	4

Batteries—Hughes and Criger; Joss and Bemis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	39	16	.709
Pittsburg	37	17	.685
Chicago	34	18	.654
Brooklyn	25	24	.510
Cincinnati	22	26	.458
Boston	20	29	.408
Philadelphia	13	34	.277
St. Louis	14	37	.275

At Boston.
FIRST GAME.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	5	1
Brooklyn	2	5	2

Batteries—Pittinger and Moran; Garvin and Ahearn. Umpire—O'Day.

SECOND GAME.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	6	14	4
Brooklyn	14	18	0

Batteries — Piatt and Kittredge; Schmidt and Jacklitch. Umpire—O'Day.

At Philadelphia.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	13	2
Philadelphia	4	10	1

Batteries—Taylor and Warner; Sparks and Roth.

WILL BACK HIS BROTHER

Harry Corbett, the well-known sporting man of San Francisco, and brother of the ex-champion, is so impressed with his brother's condition that he intends to bet $5,000 on his chances of securing the decision over Jeffries. In speaking of the battle in 'Frisco, Harry Corbett said:

"I never before saw Jim in such perfect shape as he is at present. With the two months of hard work which he will indulge in for the battle, I am sure he will enter the ring in better shape than he ever was for any fight. Jim tells me he is sure he will beat Jeffries. I have taken his tip and will bet any part of $5,000 on him."

Corbett will have no trouble in getting his money covered. There are many prominent sporting men of San Francisco who feel confident that Jeffries will beat the ex-champion. Before Jeffries left for the Coast he told the writer that there is a millionaire in Los Angeles who intends betting $25,000 on him to beat Corbett.

The most delightful trip across the continent is via the Denver & Rio Grande, the scenic line of the world. Apply at 124 Third st., Portland, for rates.

NEW FOOTBALL RULES CAUSE DISCUSSION

Experts Claim That Changes Will Not Meet With Approval.

If the new football rules which Walter Camp talks about are put into effect there will be some of the liveliest times on the gridiron next fall that have been witnessed for many a day, says an exchange. The officials will be the whole works in the game, and it will be very little trouble for them to throw the game one way or the other where the teams are evenly matched, and nobody can accuse them of being unfair. One of the new rules which Camp talks about gives the quarterback the right to run with the ball. This seems all right and might improve the game, but the rule is qualified by the provision that the quarter cannot break through the line within five yards of the point where the ball was put into play. The official who will be able to locate the point where the ball was not put into play after a scrimmage will have to be of a brand which has not been seen on the Western fields to date. If he cannot say positively that the play started at this or that point he will have both sides after him continually. The other rules Camp talks about provide for different styles of play in different parts of the field. These rules may accomplish the desired result of making the game less dangerous to the men who take part in it, but it looks as though the sport was going to suffer as a result. The rules are not simple enough. Many of those who are not familiar with the game are of the opinion now that the rules are too complicated for the spectators, but after the rules which Camp tells of are put into force it will take an expert to know just exactly what is going on and why. The object to be brought about in football is more open play, and this can be done without compiling a bunch of rules that will force a man to spend all his time thinking instead of playing.

BALL TEAM DISBANDS

PENDLETON, June 18.—The members of the baseball team are making preparations to leave the city. Some of them have already gone and some of them will leave in a few days. Wilkins, the manager of the Sedro-Wooley team, about 28 miles from Everett, Wash., has written to several of the boys from here and made them propositions to go there for the rest of the season, and in all probability several of them will accept the offer. Gass, Speidell, Taylor, Bradbury and Neagle will leave in a few days.

It is not known what will be done in the way of a game for the celebration here of the Fourth, but some arrangement will probably be made whereby the games will be played; perhaps by two nines either imported or made up for the occasion.

The disbanding of the team has caused keen regret among the fans of the town. The club had sufficient money to continue for the season, but the fact that Colfax and Dayton dropped out made it impossible for Pendleton to continue.

OFFERS BIG PURSE

Matchmaker Alex Greggains of the San Francisco A. C., is so anxious to bring about a match between Jimmy Britt and Joe Gans, the lightweight champion of the world, that he has notified the managers of both fighters that he will hang up a purse of $12,500 for them to fight for within two months. Al Herford, manager of Gans, has accepted the offer, and says he hopes Britt will agree to fight Gans at 133 pounds, weigh in at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the contest.

Preferred Stock Canned Goods. Allen & Lewis' Best Brand.

DIAMOND GLISTENINGS

Short Paragraphs of Interest Concerning Well-Known Ball Players

That awful hoodoo.

Seventeen brilliant innings.

Excellent after a 1,400-mile trip.

Would that Umpire Levy were enjoined.

Shields displayed his sterling worth yesterday.

Nadeau shines on any part of the earth's surface.

It was one of those games that was hard to lose.

Call it Los Angeles luck, they capture games by a vagrant run.

In baseball, as in other professions, people of eminent virtue rarely ascend housetops to proclaim their immaculateness.

Wonder how the human need, Dugdale, feels now, since Wilson enjoined Thomas and Walters from playing.

Two may play at any game proposed by Dugdale or Lucas, and beat them out at the finish.

Rest assured that Hulseman will also be served with injunction papers, and they will be of the permanent kind.

Wasn't it a brilliant thought of Dugdale's to have Hurlburt enjoined, thereby leaving himself and his confederates liable to 50 similar suits?

Some morning Lucas will wake up and find that most of the players in his league will be either in jail, Seattle or in the company of Injunction Dugdale.

Credulous Reader.—There are various definitions for the term self-defense. Some of the definitions have depth. The sea also has depth. Some say that self-defense is the art of getting back at a person in a savage fashion after one has been discovered. The literal meaning has been obsolete for many years. No, dodging behind a tree is not self-defense. Roosevelt's attitude on the "Panama" canal treaty was regarded by the Democrats as sidestepping, not dodging.

Question Two.—Base runners and cushion deceivers are bound by the rules to touch all four bases when making a home run. Deviation from the rule may cause the sprinter to feel "put out."—Umpire Levy.

Question Three.—Batting eye, butting eye and good eye are not synonymous terms. Harlow had a batting eye, but only one, and his average suffered a regrettable shrinkage. Joe Walcott has what may be termed the butting eye. His optics are both discolored. "Good eye" is attributed to a batter who foregoes the pleasure of striking at wild pitches. The term comes from the bench, and therefore has the garb of legality around it.

Question Four.—Scorers, according to the rules, must be even tempered, impartial and possess an astounding fearlessness. One cannot play favorites and expect to win the long shots.

Question 5.—No, Parke Wilson is not the adopted son of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson.

Charlie Babb of the New York Nationals is playing a star game for McGraw and will be a first-rater before the season is over.

Christy Matthewson, the crack twirler of the New York Nationals, is in better form than ever before.

Sam Leever of the Pittsburg team has pitched three successive shutouts. He is going after the record of Chesbro and Wiggs.

Mike Fishers' contingent had Oakland buffaloed last week, winnig six out of the seven games played. These two teams play at Sacramento this week, perhaps Pete Lohman may shake the Jonah at the California capital.

Quintan, the long-expected infielder, who is to join Oakland, may possibly report at Sacramento this week.

Jack Flannery has resigned the management of the Helena club because of a dispute regarding his refusal to take Pitcher Heisman out of the box when requested to do so in a recent game. George Carisch has been selected to succeed Flannery as manager, and Pitchers Johnson and Heisman have been released.

George Davis, the famous shortstop of the Chicago Americans, who cannot play with McGraw's New Yorkers on account of the big league compromise, plays occasionally with the Woonsocket (R. I.) "Gyms" for a tidy retainer per game.

The Clevelands are physical giants. With the bulky forms of Tyole, Hickman, Bradley, Walker, Wright, Domer, Moore and Joss looming up they are enough to overawe an opposing club by their size alone.

Chauncey Fisher, who was an awful frost as an umpire in the Pacific Northwest League last season, is to join the Chicago White Sox soon, according to Sporting Life.

Pittsburg has won 11 straight games. Barney Dreyfus evidently has another pennant winner, without Chesbro, Tannehill and the other Pittsburg stars, who went the Ban Johnson League.

Clarence Beaumont of the Pittsburgs is the best run-getter in the National League. He averages one run a game.

Joe Tinker was called to Kansas City on account of the illness of his mother, but he could not reach his home on account of the flood, so he immediately reported to his team.

TWO PLAYERS ENJOINED

(Journal Special Service.)

SEATTLE, June 18.—Judge Bell of the Superior Court late yesterday afternoon granted a temporary restraining order in a suit brought by the Seattle baseball team of the Pacific Coast League to prevent Jack Walters, outfielder, and J. J. Thomas, pitcher, formerly of that team, from playing with the Los Angeles Team of the Pacific National League, which is now in this city playing a series with Dugdale's Colts.

The suit will come up for hearing on an application for a permanent injunction June 22.

It is alleged in the complaint that Walters and Thomas were under contract to play with the Wilson aggregation until the close of the season.

HANLON TO MEET YANGER

The 20-round bout between Eddie Hanlon of San Francisco and Benny Yanger of Chicago will be fought under the auspices of the Hayes Valley A. C. of San Francisco, on June 30, instead of June 20. Yanger asked for the change in date in order to give him more time to prepare for the contest. Yanger is only two pounds over the required weight at which he will fight, 130 pounds, weigh in at the ringside.

TO CONSIDER CHALLENGES

The members of The Journal's baseball team are requested to meet Saturday afternoon for the purpose of considering several challenges, which have been received from rival nines.

FIGHTERS READY FOR BIG BATTLE

Portland Ring Followers Anxiously Await the Great Contest This Evening Between Walcott and Jackson.

There Are Many Who Think that Jackson Will Surprise Walcott and Wrest a Victory from the Tough Champion.

Everything is in readiness for the fray. This evening between dusk and midnight, two hairy-chested, iron-muscled, human beings will face each other in the ring at Exposition Building and, during the course of the battle, will batter each other as severely as strength and science will permit. All for the glory of gold and the applause of the curious crowd. Walcott and Jackson. What trait of virtue or relation to manhood do these names suggest? Followers of the fistic game are they, and admirers of the sport support them. Everybody likes to see science displayed, and the world loves a fighter, not in the pugilistic sense, but in the form that appeals to the heart, to the admiration.

In these days we admire boxing as much as the Puritans encouraged harmless pastimes. The principal topic of conversation on the streets, at the clubs and on the corners is the contest. Everybody knows that Walcott and Jackson are performers of great ability. Each is confident of winning. They are trained to the second and are carefully watched by their managers. They neither can see defeat. Jackson is so sure that he will win that he endeavored to make a bet with Walcott, but the chocolate-tinted champion refused to wager. Al Herford, Jackson's manager, says that his protege will win inside of 18 rounds, while Walcott insists that he will knock Jackson's head off before the 15th.

Which may we believe?

Herford is a wise manager, and may land Jackson a winner, thus having two champions under his control, Gans and Jackson. Noble ambition.

Weighed In.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock both men met at the Portland Club and weighed in. A large crowd was present at the meeting in order to see the condition of the fighters while they were stripped. The backers of Walcott do not appear to be worrying much over the result, but the wise ones are placing a few shekels on the short end. Referee Neal says that in his opinion the contest will be the fastest ever seen here, and from the style of the fighters there ought to be a knockout. It would not surprise as many as one might expect if Jackson would prove a winner. Keep your eye on him, it will pay you. In the meantime—wait for the gong.

MONOGRAMS-SCHILLERS

The Schillers and the Monograms will cross bats next Sunday on the baseball grounds at Twenty-fourth and Vaughn in what promises to be one of the best-played games in the Interstate League, to which both clubs belong.

The Monograms are holding second place in the league, and the Schillers are only one game behind, and the winner of next Sunday's game will take second place. If the Monograms win they will have a tighter hold on that position, and if the Schillers win they will take second place and then go after the Vancouver Maroons, who are in the first place and have a comfortable lead.

The Monograms and Schillers played a 3-to-2 game in Vancouver two weeks ago, the Schillers winning, and Sunday the Monograms will try and regain their lost laurels, and as both teams are anxious to win this game there will be plenty of excitement, lots of base hits, and errors will be scarcer than hens' teeth next Sunday, when these two strong teams meet on the grounds at Twenty-fourth and Vaughn.

BENEFIT BALL GAME

A benefit game of baseball will be played between the Upholsterers' and the Painters' Unions of this city on Sunday afternoon at National Park, East Eighth and Hawthorne. Ladies will be admitted free.

A DESPERATE MAN WAS JAMES BOHEN

Submitted Question of Life or Death to a Friend—Latter Advised Surrender.

Detective Braig will be dispatched from San Francisco to take James F. Bohen, self-admitted embezzler, back to the scene of his defalcation. As published yesterday, Bohen surrendered himself to Detective Joseph Day, after asking a friend which he had best do—commit suicide or give himself up to the officers.

Bohen, who formerly ran a hotel in Atlanta, Ga., was in the employ of O. M. Brennan, proprietor of the Pleasanton hotel, and one day recently was sent to the bank to deposit $258. Instead of going to the bank he went to the race track and bet the money, losing every cent. Then he fled, leaving his wife alone without friends or cash in apartments at No. 675 Bush street.

Bohen's defalcation was discovered by his employer on May 8, but the police were not notified until a few days later, owing to the fact that Mr. Brennan thought at first that he kould keep the matter quiet on Mrs. Bohen's account. Later, however, he decided it was a duty he owed society to punish the embezzler, and the story was related to the police. Bohen succeeded in baffling the officers, and reached Portland yesterday morning, consience-stricken, desperate and almost determined to plunge into the Willamette River to rid himself of the anguish his crime had brought upon him.

Detective Braig of the San Francisco Police Department will arrive here tomorrow or Saturday for the prisoner.

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