

SPORTING RING NEWS TRACK FROM FIELD ALL DIAMOND SECTIONS

FORTUNE DIVIDED
FROM FANS' COIN

Jack Curley Gets Lion's Share
of Wealth That Rolls Into
Boxoffice.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—That George Hackenschmidt quit cold in his match with Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, and that the fans will put a crimp in the grapple game in Chicago for years to come, was the consensus of opinion here today. That Jack Curley, manager of the Russian lion and secretary of the Empire club which staged the bout, indulged in some particularly smooth work in manipulation of the lion's end of the purse was denied by none.

The total receipts of the match aggregated \$87,053, the heaviest in the history of the game. The club's expenses were \$4000. Gotch, by previous arrangement, received \$21,000 and 50 per cent of the receipts from the sale of the moving pictures. Theoretically, Hackenschmidt was to draw down 50 per cent of the remainder, amounting in this case to \$43,000. He did not get the money. Curley paid him \$11,000 cash and \$2500 additional for training expenses, leaving the astute manager of the very next little sum of \$29,953 to split down against a rainy day. Curley also received a quarter of the club's profits, bringing his total share up to \$34,591, to say nothing of one quarter of the moving picture receipts.

Hack's Days Are Over.
It is generally believed that Hackenschmidt, having received his payment in advance, decided that there was little to be gained by going through an arduous course of training and really struggling against the lion's strong man. He quit, and it is probable that his wrestling days in America at least, are ended as a wrestler.

Strung along with hot dope about the lion's fierce determination to gain the mantle of the wrestling champion of the world the sporting public shelled out its coin in large gobs. It is deemed highly improbable that it could be induced to do so again.

Gotch will make a tour of the world, starting in about two weeks. He arose at 8:30 this morning and outlined his plans to a United Press representative. "I expected Hackenschmidt to make a better showing," he said. "I never worked harder preparing for a match than I did for this. I thought sure we would go the distance and I would at least be prepared to go five. For months I have endured the physical exertion from three to five hours."

Will Tour America.
"My future plans are perfected. I will go to Humboldt at once to arrange my affairs for a tour of America, England, Scotland, France, Germany, Austria, Sweden, and then stop at Athens, where wrestling is always an honored pastime. Then I will go to Africa, Australia and finally to Honolulu. I would go to the most welcome place for me. The tour will last nine months and then I will be a gentleman farmer, making such exhibitions as the exigencies demand."

To Play in Large Hall.
"I will always be able to appear in public, feeling that I belong to the public and Humboldt. In my touring I will not stop at theatres, and no theatrical engagements will be played. I will appear in large halls to make sure that I get away from the stage business."

"The tour will start in two weeks and about three months will be spent in the United States. I will not carry a troupe—just a trainer, valet, Manager Emil Klank and my wife, who is the biggest part of the firm."

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Pacific Coast League.			
Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Vernon	90	67	.573
Portland	81	65	.556
Oakland	76	74	.507
San Francisco	75	85	.469
Sacramento	68	86	.441
Los Angeles	66	93	.415

Northwestern League.			
Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Vancouver	86	64	.573
Spokane	82	62	.568
Seattle	76	64	.543
Tacoma	76	67	.532
Portland	73	64	.529
Victoria	31	110	.220

National League.			
Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	73	45	.618
Chicago	70	48	.593
Pittsburgh	73	53	.579
Philadelphia	64	57	.529
St. Louis	64	58	.525
Cincinnati	56	64	.467
Brooklyn	49	71	.409
Boston	32	91	.260

American League.			
Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	76	41	.649
Detroit	76	46	.623
Cleveland	66	60	.524
New York	66	60	.524
Boston	62	62	.500
Chicago	41	68	.378
Washington	33	73	.312
St. Louis	37	87	.298

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CHAMPIONS BACK
IN SECOND PLACE

Drop Two Games to Oakland,
Being Outlucked in After-
noon Affair.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 5.—The Beavers dropped their 24 hour lead of the Coast league yesterday by twice going down to defeat at the hands of the Oaks by the scores of 9 to 1 and 2 to 0. By taking both games yesterday the Oaks won the series, five games to four.

Henderson started to pitch the morning game and lasted six innings. Benny was not in the condition to pitch and was relieved in the sixth by Lamline. The errors behind him were costly, Chadbourne and Lindsay being the chief offenders.

Ryan laced the ball over the fence for the only score the Beavers made in the morning game, while the Oaks scored at will, getting a tally in the first and three in the second. Another one was made in the third and in the fourth and fifth Henderson held the Oaks safe. Two more were made in the sixth and then Henderson was derelict. Two runs were made off Lamline during the time he pitched and this brought the Oaks' total runs to nine.

Catcher Bradley made his reappearance with the Coasters and appeared at the bat twice, but was unable to connect safely.

In the afternoon game the Beavers outlucked the Oaks but the luck was not with them and the Oaks won by the score of 2 to 0. Harkness allowed but four hits, but Wolverton's homer and a tally scored in the eighth were enough to win.

The Beavers were unable to connect with Pernell's shoots when the bases were occupied, although they made nine hits during the matinee. The batting of Ryan, Lindsay, Kuhn and Wolverton were the features of the double bill.

Morning game—									
	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.		
Patterson, If.	4	2	1	3	0	0	0		
Coy, rf.	5	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Cutshaw, 2b.	5	1	1	2	0	0	0		
Zacher, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Wolverton, 3b.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0		
Tiedemann, lb.	3	0	1	0	0	0	0		
Wares, ss.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Mitze, c.	4	2	2	6	0	0	0		
Christian, p.	4	1	0	0	3	0	0		
Total	35	9	8	27	4	0	0		

PORTLAND.									
	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.		
Chadbourne, If.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Lindsay, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Rapps, lb.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Ryan, rf.	4	1	2	1	0	0	0		
Krueger, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Sheehan, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Pecknapp, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Henderson, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Bradley, c.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Barry, lb.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Lamline, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total	34	1	5	24	11	0	0		

SCORE BY INNINGS.									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Portland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hits	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakland	1	3	1	0	2	1	1	1	0
Hits	1	3	1	0	2	1	1	1	0

SUMMARY.									
Seven runs and four hits off Henderson in 6 innings. Home run—Ryan. Three base hit—Cutshaw. Two sacrifice hits—Lindsay 2, Zacher. Sacrifice hit—Tiedemann. Bases on balls—Off Christian 4, off Henderson 1. Struck out—By Christian 4, by Henderson 1. Lamline 1. Hit by pitched ball—Zacher, by Henderson. Time of game—One hour 50 minutes. Umpire—Finney.									

Afternoon game—									
	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.		
Chadbourne, If.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Lindsay, 2b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Rapps, lb.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Ryan, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Krueger, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Sheehan, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Pecknapp, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Henderson, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Bradley, c.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Barry, lb.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Lamline, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total	35	0	0	0	0	0	0		

Batted for Harkness in the ninth.									
	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.		
Portland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		

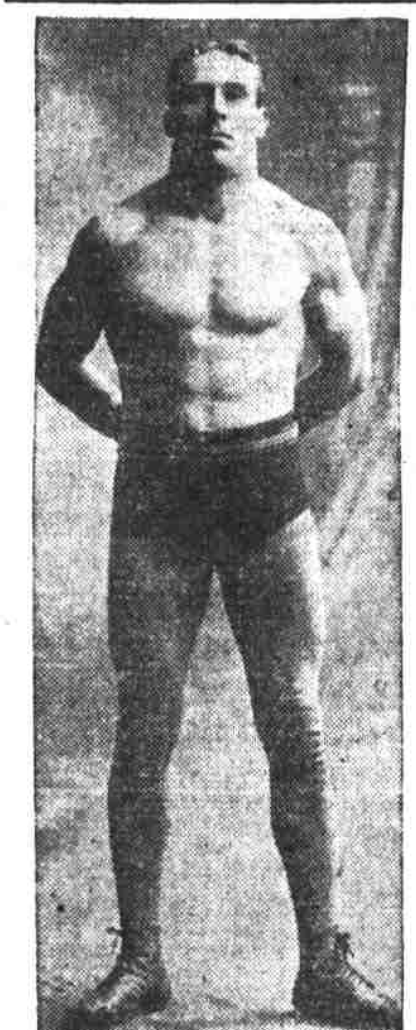
SUMMARY.									
Stolen bases—Kuhn, Patterson, Wares. Home run—Wares. Sacrifice hits—Pernell, Pearce. First base on called balls—Off Harkness 4, off Pernell 2. Struck out—By Harkness 5, by Pernell 2. Double play—Pecknapp to Rapps to Sheehan. Time of game—1:38. Umpire—Finney.									

Seals Turn on Angels.
Los Angeles, Sept. 5.—After losing 13 straight games, the Seals came back yesterday and defeated the Angels in the morning and afternoon game by the scores of 7 to 4 and 6 to 5. Steyer, a recruit, started the first game and lasted an inning, and was replaced by Agnew. Naylor, the new outfielder, arrived and starred in batting in the first game.

The score—Morning game—									
	R.	H.	E.						
San Francisco	7	10	1						
Los Angeles	4	9	0						

Afternoon game—									
	R.	H.	E.						
San Francisco	6	9	1						
Los Angeles	5	9	2						

Batteries—Castleton, Carson and Hogan; Hasty; Thornton and Kerns. Afternoon game—R. H. E. Vernon 5 8 1. Sacramento 1 4 1. Batteries—Brackbridge and Hogan; Hunt and Kerns.

WIEL WRESTLE IN
PORTLAND THURSDAY

John Berg.

John Berg, the light heavyweight champion of the Pacific coast, who will wrestle next Thursday night in the Baker theatre against the Russian Giant, George Lurick, in the main event, after an absence of two years. Berg, a Russian, the light heavyweight champion of the world, will meet Stranger Smith, former welterweight champion of the Pacific coast as a special added attraction. Last night Berg defeated Joe Heinrich in straight falls at Colfax, Wash., and that feat shows him to be in pretty good trim for his coming bout with Lurick. Buzukos had an opponent slated for Rainer last night, but after sipping Pete up the follow fall and the match was called off. All of the wrestlers are in splendid trim for the coming matches, which are expected to revive the great mat game in Portland this season. Three seasons ago Portland was one of the most important wrestling cities in the United States.

BEAVERS SLUMP
IN THEIR BATTING

The Beavers fell down in batting last week against the Oaklanders. Chadbourne led the club with the average of .281. Lindsay hit .267 and Krueger .257. Ryan hit .250. The Beavers were each credited with nine hits, while Ryan scored four runs. Lindsay made four doubles and six sacrifice hits. Buddy led the sluggers, getting two doubles and two home runs.

The individual averages:									
	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.		
Chadbourne	32	9	1	0	0	0	0	.281	
Lindsay	30	8	4	0	1	0	0	.267	
Ryan	28	7	3	0	0	0	0	.250	
Krueger	26	1	2	0	0	0	0	.257	
Sheehan	36	1	3	0	0	0	0	.250	
Pecknapp	32	0	1	0	0	0	0	.062	
Barry	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	.125	
Kuhn	27	2	6	0	1	0	0	.222	
Lamline	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
Harkness	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
Reen	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
Henderson	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	
Seaton	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	.200	
Koestner	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	.125	

DOUBLE HEADERS FOR
POSTPONED AFFAIRS

September rains put the crushers on the Nicks' chance of entering fourth place yesterday by causing the postponement of the doubleheader scheduled with the Victoria Islanders. The Islanders arrived yesterday morning, accompanied by President Warfield and their new manager, Ducky Holmes. Holmes put a great deal of ginger in the Bees at Spokane last week, but they were unable to win a game. Doubleheaders will be played Saturday and Sunday afternoon, provided the weather permits.

Hogan's Funeral Tomorrow.
Chicago, Sept. 5.—The funeral of Malachy Hogan, the well-known referee and sporting writer, will be held here tomorrow. Hogan's body will arrive in Chicago tonight from Denver.

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of Steppers.

Although the incessant rain of yesterday interfered with the opening of the big harness race meeting at the Country club, it did not keep away a half thousand of racegoers, who gathered at the track and watched the four running races put on by the management as a substitute for the harness events. Every one of the running races saw a driving finish, and in all of them the spectators were on their feet from start to finish. The going was sloppy and the horses and riders in the rear resembled animated mud balls, but that only added to the interest displayed in the races.

During the races the management announced that while the rain kept up the runners would be put on each afternoon to entertain the spectators. The rain of Sunday and yesterday has made the track exceedingly slippery, and the time made in the mud by the runners is only an indication of how fast the surface will be when the wind and sun dry it for the trotters and pacers.

Old Campaigners in Races.
Several old campaigners on the western tracks whose names are known from Los Angeles to Banff, were entered in the races, and added considerable interest in the events, two of which were on the regular program for the afternoon, while two were added to fill out the card.

In the first race, a half mile event, Bell Reed captured first money with Special Delivery second and Gyptis third. The also rans were Maxim Wheeler and Miss Powell. The time was 50 seconds, mighty good in the heavy going. Tedwell, upon the Reed horse, got off in the lead, with Special Delivery in second place. The pair made a two horse race of it, and it was a whipping finish, with Bell passing the stand a neck in the lead.

The veteran Al Powell slipped one over on the other entries in the mile dash. With Siscus scratched, Harka, Abella and Soon faced the barrier. Powell captured first place, and got away in the lead, and was never in danger, although Abella challenged into the stretch and Powell had to urge Harka to beat the brown mare off. Soon was two lengths in the rear. The time was 1:45.

Kunt Club Korse Wins.
Portland Hunt club's colors flashed into the lead in the second half mile race when "Pike" Davis' old campaigner and splendid hunter, J. H. Bennett, captured first place under a good ride by Jockey Molero. The big horse ran neck and neck with Princess Viola into the stretch, when he gradually drew away, and without urging, remained in front, while Viola, under the whip, was left back foot. The time was 1:32 seconds. The also rans were Jane Laurel and Miss Comerton. What proved to be the feature of the afternoon was the five eighths mile race, which went to Platoon. Six horses most of them well known to race followers, faced the start. There was considerable jockeying at the post and several false starts were caused by the subordination of Platoon and Leondosha. Finally Starter Tongue got the entries away in good shape, with Leondosha in front, Platoon in second place, Leo H. third and Hector in fourth position. Fousting was fifth and Redan last. They opened into the stretch in this order, when the race began for the wire. Leo H. Platoon and Hector gradually drew away from the others. In the drive to the wire Platoon shook Leo H. off and finished ahead by half a length, with Powell compelled to use the whip on Leo H. to get the place from the fast coming Hector, who captured show money. The time was 1:03, considered fast on the track, which by this time was pretty soft.

Teams Break Even.

Spokane, Sept. 5.—The Indians and Canucks broke even in yesterday's games. The Canucks won the morning game by the score of 1 to 0, while the Indians shut them out in the afternoon game, 3 to 0. Engle allowed but two hits in the morning game, and Schwenk allowed but two in the afternoon affair.

The sepias—Morning game—R. H. E. Vancouver 1 3 1. Spokane 0 2 1. Batteries—Engle and Lewis; Williams and Ostleik.

Afternoon game—R. H. E. Vancouver 0 2 1. Spokane 3 5 2. Batteries—Rasmussen and Shea; Schwenk and Spleman.

Divide Two Games.
Seattle, Sept. 5.—The positions of the Tigers and Giants were unchanged yesterday, as the two teams broke even in the Labor day playing. The Tigers won the morning game by the score of 3 to 1, while the locals captured the afternoon affair by the score of 4 to 1.

The scores—Morning game: R. H. E. Tacoma 3 5 2. Seattle 1 7 1. Batteries—Schene and Burns; Zacker, Fullerton and Shea. Afternoon game—R.