

WELL, THEY'RE OFF AT HOME, AND WHAT'S MORE IT'S TO A GOOD START

10,000 FANS WATCH CHAMPIONS DEFEAT OAKS IN FIRST BATTLE

Higginbotham Backed Up by Slugging of Rodgers and Ryan and Score Is 4 to 2.

BETER CROWD SUNDAY

Marry Zacher, Gus Hettling and Buddy Each Get Three Base Hits During Contest, Featuring the Slugging.

Some 10,000 people saw Portland win the belated opening game of the season yesterday from the Oakland club, 4 to 2, mainly because of the prodigious three bagger of Captain Bill Rodgers and outfielder Buddy Ryan, which gave the champions their two extra runs late in the game.

Portland moved yet further out of reach in the sixth when Rodgers called a three base hit far over Zacher's head in the atmosphere of an initial turnout of the season.

Portland scored in the first inning when Rodgers made the circuit with two out on his walk and Ryan's single, which cut into the third base, both annexed three base hits that afterwards were converted into runs and offest the half dozen blows gathered by Zacher and Heig.

The Oaks gave the Beaver fans a few anxious moments in the fourth and McCredie, thinking that Hig was warming the double steal that let Helne score because Cook was too anxious to get the ball back to the plate.

THREE BIG SPECIALS In the Men's Furnishing Department

One big lot of Summer Shirts in plain white and beautiful stripes, soft French cuffs, color similar to match. Special \$1.15

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JOHNSON TAKES GREAT ALASKAN DOG RACE AGAIN

Siberian Wolves Outlast the Other Quadrups in Rigorous Dash Over Snow.

Nome, Alaska, April 17.—Covering the track between Nome and Candle, a distance of 412 miles, in 81 hours and 3 minutes, John Johnson, holder of the all-Alaska sweepstake record, won the 1914 event yesterday.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES

Table with columns for team names (Boston, New York, Chicago, etc.) and statistics (W, L, P.C.).

DAILY STANDING OF TEAMS

Table showing standings for Pacific Coast League, Northwestern League, Western Tri-State League, National League, American League, and Federal League.

Table showing standings for American Association Results, including teams like Indianapolis, Kansas City, etc.

Table showing standings for Southern League Results, including teams like Montgomery, Chattanooga, etc.

LOS ANGELES PUG LOSES

Tacoma, Wash., April 17.—As a boxer, Battling Jones of Los Angeles is a good punching bag, according to the verdict of the fight fans who saw Joe Bonds of Tacoma wear himself out slugging the Johnson team around the ring in last night's four round show at Eagles' hall.

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Vancouver Smoker Has Been Postponed

St. James Club Must Wait Until Legality of Holding Amateur Boxing Matches Has Been Decided by Court.

Vancouver, Wash., April 17.—The smoker, which had been arranged for this evening between the Beaver club, of Portland, and the St. James Athletic club, of Vancouver, has been postponed indefinitely.

NOTES OF THE GAME

The Coast league penant won yesterday by Portland was unfurled yesterday, making opening day and pennant day one grand celebration.

Bill Malarky had the doubtful distinction of being the first man called out in the second walk-off, when he was criticized a strike that Guthrie called on Kaylor in the eighth inning that aroused the umpirical ire and he was banished to the house.

Buddy Ryan was given an immense hand when he stepped to the plate in the first inning, showing he is just as popular as when he hit 'em over the fence in 1911.

When Ramey was yanked from the mound in the sixth inning, Ryan was on third, Kores out, Lober on first from a walk and there were three balls on Dave. Killaly couldn't get the fourth ball over and the bases were full, but he made Fisher get to Hettling and Hig foul to Ness.

Jack Ness played a nice game at first base for the Oaks. He was knocked down two or three ground balls that had "smoke" written on them. He is playing an improved game over last year.

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COLUMBIA'S INDOOR TRACK MEETING ON AT STAD TOMORROW

First Event Will Be Staged at 2 o'Clock and Program Will Be Rushed.

SCRAMBLE ON FOR FIRST

George Philbrook Arises From Sick Bed and Will Try to Win Points for Multnomah Team Saturday.

The order of events of the eleventh annual indoor track and field meet to be staged at the Columbia university tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock was announced this morning by J. H. Bach, chairman of the athletic committee of the Columbia university.

There is going to be a lively scramble for first place between the Multnomah of Oregon and the O. A. C. teams. Multnomah's chances of winning the meet were not very bright during the first part of the week, on account of the illness of Captain George Philbrook.

The absence of Johnny Baker from the Oregon Aggie team robs Stewart's athletes of a good chance to win the event. If Cohn, the Multnomah sprinter, gets off right in the 50 and 220 yard events, Multnomah will likely walk away with first honors.

The work of the police squad under command of Captain Harry Circle was keenly appreciated. It was the best handled crowd that ever assembled at the track, and the crowd at the gate. Business Manager Metzger had made arrangements for enough entrances to handle the crowd without delay, all of which was duly appreciated by the fans.

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Southern League Results.

Table with columns for team names and statistics (W, L, P.C.).

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VENICE GATHERS AGAIN

Los Angeles, Cal., April 17.—The Venice Tigers defeated the Solons again yesterday by the score of 3 to 1. Wolverton's players outbit the Tiggers, but the bingles were not bunched. Pitcher Slagle was wild and hit Carlisle two times. Leard scored a home run in the seventh inning.

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BATTING AVERAGES

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