

Sensational Developments Are Expected in Investigation of World's Series Scandal

Jim Bagby to Oppose Kerr in First Game

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 23.—This town is baseball mad. Not even a world's series could attract as much attention and excitement as the three games between the White Sox and Indians, the first of which begins Thursday.

DODGERS NEED TWO GAMES TO CINCINNATI NATIONAL FLAG

New York, Sept. 23.—(U. P.)—A National league committee today said the Reds were decisively defeated and had retired to the fastnesses of Cincinnati to rebuild their forces for the 1921 campaign.

BASEBALL

SALEM, Or., Sept. 23.—Word has been received here from the Portland representative of the Salem baseball team, that he had completed arrangements for a game between the Senators and the Honeyman Hardware company aggregation of the Rose City, to be played here Sunday afternoon. It will be for the 1920 independent championship of Oregon.

A silver shower of \$25 was given to "Cack" Blanchard of the Salem Senators last Sunday because of his home run clout which helped to defeat the Honeyman Hardware company nine in the second game. "Cack" came through twice with a circuit clout, and the final count was 6 to 4.

Camp Lewis Wants to Play Club Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 23.—A game with the Multnomah club of Portland will be sought by the Camp Lewis football team, which is being developed by Captain Alpha Brumage, athletic officer and former Kansas university football captain.

The Shoes Men Wear

Most men wear a shoe that is good for all occasions. They differ widely in the selection of a last. Among Walk-Overs there is a last made for your feet. As soon as your foot is measured we know the shoe you'll take delight in wearing on all occasions. You'll be interested in what we have to tell you about shoes and YOUR feet. May we give you that information? There is no obligation to buy.

A NEW SHOE SHAPE A Walk-Over style created for gentlemen who like the snap of a long, straight line and sloping toe. It emphasizes the long, flat English effect. Equipped with Walk-Over Rubber Heels.

A SHOE WELL PUT UP A style developed from the straight line English last. It has a full toe with semi-high construction. Low heels. Good lines. Comfortable. Equipped with Walk-Over Rubber Heels.

Walk-Over BOOT SHOP 342 Washington—125 Broadway

Benton Denies Big Bets on Series Sox Players Alleged to Be in Ring

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—(I. N. S.)—J. C. "Rube" Benton, pitcher for the New York Giants, in an interview given today before he appeared before the Cook county grand jury investigating baseball's latest scandal emphatically denied charges by Charles "Buck" Herzog, Chicago Cubs second baseman, that the New York hurler had won \$3000 by betting on Cincinnati in the world's series in 1919.

DENIES WINNING "I never won \$3000 on any baseball game or any series," Benton said. "After Herzog and a number of others had told me I could make some 'easy money' by throwing a game between New York and the Cubs last season," Benton said, "I went into the game the next day and put everything I had into my pitching and carried off a victory and double-crossed these framers that were apparently trying to throw a game."

ARE PURE BUNK "Those two affidavits of Wilson and Boeckel," he said, "are pure bunk. The only betting I did on the world's series was on the 1919 world's series. I bet the drinks for the crowd. I bet on Cincinnati and put up \$20.

TO GIVE JURY TELEGRAMS These other telegrams, Benton said, he would give to the grand jury. On top of other charges, Benton said a "tribe of handbook men" made it their business to get "chummy" with baseball players for the purpose of influencing games in favor of their betting businesses.

HERZOG CLAIMS HE HOLDS TWO PLAYERS' AFFIDAVITS Chicago, Sept. 23.—(I. N. S.)—Organized baseball's newest scandal, which simmered and bubbled at the first session of the grand jury investigation yesterday, is expected to come to a boil today when J. C. "Rube" Benton, pitcher of the New York Giants, appears to testify. The possibility of a number being sealed is admitted by those conversant with the situation.

HERZOG DENIES CHARGE Affidavits are in Herzog's possession, and have been made public, that Benton "scraped together all the money he could get" and wagered on Cincinnati in the last world's series. The affidavits were made by Arthur Wilson, catcher, and N. D. "Tony" Boeckel, third baseman, of the Boston Braves. Wilson and Boeckel allege that Benton, in a conversation in the Bradford hotel, in New York, last April, declared he had received a telegraphic "tip" from Hal Chase, former Giants' first baseman, that it had been "fixed" for the Reds to win. Benton is expected also to back up his charges that he was offered \$500 by Herzog to "throw" a game to the Cubs in September of last year.

At Philadelphia: R. H. E. St. Louis 000 000 110—12 2 Philadelphia 000 000 002—2 5 2 Batteries—Lyons and Dillhoefer; Ciesek and Traeger.

At Pittsburg (1st game): R. H. E. Cincinnati 000 000 000—0 3 0 Pittsburg 000 100 10—2 8 0 Batteries—Loque and Wingo; Adams and Schmidt.

At Pittsburg (2d game): R. H. E. Cincinnati 010 000 000—1 8 0 Pittsburg 000 010 00—3 7 0 Batteries—Reuther and Wingo; Ponder and Haefner.

Steady Rain Falls To Keep Dogs From Doing Great Work Lebanon, Or., Sept. 23.—The final day's program of the annual events of the California Field Trials club were held here yesterday and a steady down-pour took place throughout the day. This did not seem to hinder the dogs or the spectators and all seemed to have a good day.

First Race—Hyslop-Chickman, owned by M. A. Howe of Tacoma and handled by Charles Herman, ran with Willie Wilks, owned by J. F. Evans, and handled by Paul Whiteside.

Second Race—November 11, owned by A. J. Wilks of San Francisco and handled by Charles Herman, ran with Hyslop, owned by J. F. Evans, and handled by Paul Whiteside.

Sacramento Will Keep Ball Club Sacramento, Sept. 23.—(U. P.)—Lewis Macreeling will keep the Sacramento ball club in this city, he said Wednesday after reading a letter of commendation sent him by the chamber of commerce. The business men waived their option on the franchise.

Coffroth Keeps Track San Diego, Sept. 23.—(I. N. S.)—Confirming J. W. Coffroth in his possession of the T. Juana racetrack, was the decision of the Mexican federal judge, Robles Linares. The court of first instance had granted an attachment against the track, and Coffroth immediately appealed and the decision of the upper court permits the operation of the track under Coffroth's management.

Ball Yard Is Damp Again; Game Called

Cincinnati to win the first two games. Herzog declared he had obtained the depositions from Wilson and Boeckel before he appeared before the Cook county grand jury investigating baseball's latest scandal emphatically denied charges by Charles "Buck" Herzog, Chicago Cubs second baseman, that the New York hurler had won \$3000 by betting on Cincinnati in the world's series in 1919.

OAKS PROTEST GAME, BUT TIGERS GET THE VICTORY

San Francisco, Sept. 23.—The Tigers won a protested game from the Oaks Wednesday night. The protest was made by Captain Manager Mize of the Oaks, who objected to a decision given by Umpire Phyle on a play at third base in which Devormer and Smith figured.

NUMBER TO BE CALLED A number of well-known baseball men, players, managers and magnates, are yet to appear before the grand jury. Among them are: Charles A. Stoneham, president of the New York Giants; John McGraw, manager of the Giants; John O. Seis, secretary of the Chicago Cubs; Ray Schalk, White Sox catcher; Barry McCormick, National league umpire, who officiated at the recent Cubs-Phillies game, which is declared to have been "fixed" in the interests of gamblers; Samuel W. Pass, a White Sox fan, who is said to have lost heavily in the last world's series; Players Paulette and Rawlings of the Phillies; Hugh Fullerton, Joe Vila and William Birch, baseball writers.

Major Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES At New York: R. H. E. Chicago 110 000 000—2 8 1 New York 220 300 00—7 13 1 Batteries—Tyler, Bailey, Martin and O'Farrell; Dose and Snyder.

At Brooklyn: R. H. E. Boston 000 100 000—1 8 1 Brooklyn 010 010 01—3 10 0 Batteries—Finnegan and Gowdy; Smith and Miller.

At Philadelphia: R. H. E. St. Louis 002 000 110—12 2 Philadelphia 000 000 002—2 5 2 Batteries—Lyons and Dillhoefer; Ciesek and Traeger.

At Pittsburg (1st game): R. H. E. Cincinnati 000 000 000—0 3 0 Pittsburg 000 100 10—2 8 0 Batteries—Loque and Wingo; Adams and Schmidt.

At Pittsburg (2d game): R. H. E. Cincinnati 010 000 000—1 8 0 Pittsburg 000 010 00—3 7 0 Batteries—Reuther and Wingo; Ponder and Haefner.

At Philadelphia: R. H. E. St. Louis 002 000 110—12 2 Philadelphia 000 000 002—2 5 2 Batteries—Lyons and Dillhoefer; Ciesek and Traeger.

At Pittsburg (1st game): R. H. E. Cincinnati 000 000 000—0 3 0 Pittsburg 000 100 10—2 8 0 Batteries—Loque and Wingo; Adams and Schmidt.

At Pittsburg (2d game): R. H. E. Cincinnati 010 000 000—1 8 0 Pittsburg 000 010 00—3 7 0 Batteries—Reuther and Wingo; Ponder and Haefner.

At Philadelphia: R. H. E. St. Louis 002 000 110—12 2 Philadelphia 000 000 002—2 5 2 Batteries—Lyons and Dillhoefer; Ciesek and Traeger.

TEAM STANDINGS

Table with columns for League, Team, W, L, Pct. National League: Boston 89-60, Chicago 72-75, Cleveland 77-66, St. Louis 70-76, Cincinnati 77-66, Pittsburgh 74-69. Pacific Coast League: Seattle 87-92, Los Angeles 83-85, Oakland 83-93, San Fran. 81-82, Portland 71-101.

Smoker to Be Held in Armory Tonight

Company B, Fifth Infantry, Oregon National Guard, will stage a smoker in the Armory tonight for the members of the company and their invited guests. The entertainment will be for men under 22 years of age. The music will be furnished by the Fifth Infantry band of 47 pieces and the Community Service girls' minstrel will stage a 30-minute minstrel show.

Webfoot Camp to Have Smoker

Webfoot camp No. 65, Woodmen of the World, will hold a smoker and entertainment in the lodge rooms, Eleventh and Alder streets, Friday night, starting at 8 o'clock. E. W. Jorgensen is chairman of the committee in charge of the affair and W. C. Stepp has been appointed to secure the bakers. At least four bouts will be on the program and the program is open to the public.

SENIATORS POUND 3 SEATTLE PITCHERS IN RAIN, WIN 6-0

Seattle, Sept. 23.—On a wet field Sacramento defeated Seattle Wednesday by a score of 6 to 0. Only seven innings were played in rain intermissions. Seattle used three pitchers in the effort to stop the slugging of the Senators. Score: SACRAMENTO: R. H. E. Seattle 000 000 000—0 0 0 Senators 010 010 01—3 10 0

SEALS TAKE FAST GAME; 3-2 LOVE KILLS ANGELS' CHANCES

Los Angeles, Sept. 23.—The Seals took another game from the Angels Wednesday, 3 to 2. The game was a very fast one. Love held the Angels without any runs until the fifth when they connected three times with his delivery and scored in the sixth. Summary: SAN FRANCISCO: R. H. E. Los Angeles 000 000 000—0 0 0 Seals 010 010 01—3 10 0

Lord Baltimore Mild Havana CIGAR 13¢-2 for 25¢

A Good Cigar By Every Test Try Yours THE HART CIGAR CO. 308-307 Pine St. Portland Oregon

NOTICE Home Owners and Buyers Why buy until you have seen "The Globe" FURNACE

COME AND SEE FOR YOURSELF Get our prices this week ALDER SHEET METAL WORKS 550 Wash. St. Broadway 2629

"BABE" RUTH IS GIVEN WELCOME IN BALTIMORE

BALTIMORE, Sept. 23.—(I. N. S.)—The welcome to "Babe" Ruth, baseball hero, by his home town folk today combined everything but declaring a legal holiday. Ruth entered Baltimore in triumph, and never was a conqueror from the field of battle accorded a greater reception. When the Yankees, with Ruth as the central figure, arrived they were met by a vast crowd and, headed by St. Mary's Industrial school's "mid-get" band, which accompanied the Yankees on their final swing of the 1920 season around the American league circuit, were escorted to Oriole park, where the Yankees were to meet the International league champions in an exhibition game this afternoon.

Guard Soccer Team to Practice

The first practice of the Multnomah Guard soccer football team will be held a week from Sunday on the East Twelfth and East Davis streets grounds, according to an announcement made by W. E. Bragg, manager and coach. At present, Manager Bragg is lining up all the available players and anyone wishing a tryout is requested to get in touch with him at Tabor 8794. A get-together of all the soccer players will be held in the Multnomah Guard clubrooms, second floor of the Chamber of Commerce building, Friday night at 8 o'clock.

BOXING

OAKLAND, Cal., Sept. 23.—(U. P.)—Dave Shade and the veteran Frankie Burns fought a draw in the main event of the boxing show here last night. Ed Ramies added another to his long string of consecutive victories by winning from Jimmy Brenton of Los Angeles. Sammy Gordon, Portland, boxed a draw with Micky O'Donnell.

Anglers to Meet Friday

Among the important matters to come before the members of the Multnomah Anglers' club at the regular monthly meeting slated for the top floor of the Oregon building, Fifth and Oak streets, Friday night at 8 o'clock, will be the question of new hatcheries for trout propagation and the revision of the game laws as affecting trout. Secretary Jack Herman has sent out notices to everyone and urges a large attendance because the questions are of vital importance to all fishermen.

Milwaukie Card Should Be a Hummer

THERE will be plenty of action in the Milwaukie boxing arena next Wednesday night, when the second smoker of the season is staged. Frank Kendall, matchmaker, has lined up some great contests. A bout that should be full of action is the semi-windup between Harry Casey, the Seattle welterweight, and Willie St. Clair. This will be the second meeting between the two battlers, Casey being awarded a decision over the colored battler at Vancouver last month, although a majority of the ring fans failed to agree with the decision rendered.

BASE BALL Portland vs. Salt Lake

Sept. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 3 P. M. Sunday, Double-Header, 1 P. M.



PRICE DECLINE IS UNDER WAY

Woolens Have Dropped Clothing Will Follow We Are Taking Our Loss Now—Once and for All

AT THIS GREAT CLOTHING SALE

TWO WEEKS AGO when we began this great sale we said prices were too high and would decline. Since then government reports show commodity prices are less and woolens have dropped considerably. Clothing prices must follow, although slowly.

If you knew that losses were inevitable wouldn't you reduce prices drastically when clothing demands are strongest—move your stock rapidly—take your loss at ONCE—and release your capital for advantageous buying at coming lower levels? That is what we are doing. There's no mystery about this sale. It is simply sensible merchandising.

Take Fullest Advantage of These Heavy Reductions

- \$40 Suits and Overcoats \$32
\$50 Suits and Overcoats \$40
\$60 Suits and Overcoats \$48
\$70 Suits and Overcoats \$56
\$80 Suits and Overcoats \$64

Mathis MEN'S WEAR Corbett Bldg. Fifth and Morrison