

Leach Cross Arrives for Gorman Contest : Indian Recruit Leads American Batsmen

Wet Grounds Prevent 'Mix' With Bees

WHERE COAST TEAMS PLAY THIS WEEK Sacramento at Portland, seven games. Salt Lake at Seattle, seven games. Vernon vs. Oakland at San Francisco, seven games. San Francisco at Los Angeles, seven games.

THOUGH Old Sol's bright rays partly chased the rain clouds out of the sky, the Portland-Salt Lake baseball contest scheduled for Monday afternoon was called off on account of wet grounds. The field was extremely muddy and unfit for play.



By George Bertz

The postponement, which gives the Beavers the series, 2 games to 2, will result in nine games being scheduled when the Bees return here next August.

Portland fans, after seeing the Mackmen win two ball games Sunday, are of the opinion that McCredie will have a team that will be reckoned with as soon as he is able to bolster up his pitching staff and add another strong infielder on the left side of the diamond, who can hit, and grab a lead-off man of the Denny Wille or Justin Fitzgerald type.

Walt Genin, who is doing the leading off for the Beavers, is a corner, but is hardly ripe for coast baseball yet. He is a classy fielder and a good base runner, but is hardly up to Coast league standard.

Four of McCredie's hurlers—Cy Johnson, who turned in two victories during the week; Sam Ross and Sid Ross, southpaws, and Bill Hickey, a lanky Californian—showed up in good style during the week.

Sam Ross pitched unbeatable ball in the last three frames of the first game Sunday. The weather of the past week has been a handicap to the pitchers, and in a few days of sunshine some of the others may round into shape. Rudy Kallio pitched great ball for three innings against the Bees in the first game Sunday.

The infield is playing good ball, but Manager Mac is still on the lookout for a third baseman, who can hit the ball. Dutler is playing a great fielding game, but at present is in a batting slump.

Portland displayed a lot of driving power against the Bees, who are sadly in need of pitching strength. The Beavers grabbed 53 hits in the five games for an average of 10.6.

Lew Moreing, principal owner of the Solons, is with the club. The Solons arrived in Portland Monday morning and are out to repeat their performance of the second week of the season.

Pitcher Bleaholder, one of the young finds of the Salt Lake club, is en route to Los Angeles to see "Bona Setter" Spencer. Bleaholder will rejoin the Bees at Los Angeles.

Del Baker, Portland catcher, who was hit on the elbow in Sunday's second game, will probably be out of the line-up for a couple of days. His arm is pretty sore and in addition he is suffering from a bad cold.

Umpires Casey and Phyle, who worked like a pair of big leaguers last week, will call 'em again this week. Phyle and Casey are two of the most popular umpires in the Coast league.

Individual Playing Of Yankee Star Big Drawback to Team

(By United News) New York, April 28.—Despite the apple smacking of Babe Ruth and his slugging Yankee colleagues, the Yankees continue to drop ball games not because they aren't a brilliant crowd of ball players, but because they aren't a team. The pre-season criticism of the Yanks, to the effect that they comprise a collection of stars, each working independently, has been more than upheld in the nine games they have played to date, in some of their five victories no less than in their four defeats.

Ruth's fifth homer of the season Monday would have been sensational at this time in 1920, but when Irish Meusel of the Phillies cracked out his No. 4 the same afternoon, moving up alongside George Kelly of the Giants, who also has four, Babe's feat seemed less notable. Monday was a great day for the heavy artillery everywhere. There were 23 doubles, six triples and four homers, for a total of 49 extra bases in seven baseball games.

TEA M STANDINGS

Table with columns for Pacific Coast League, American League, and National League, listing team names and win/loss records.

MONDAY'S RESULTS

Pacific Coast League—No games played, traveling day. National League—Pittsburg 6, St. Louis 5; Philadelphia 7, Boston 6; New York 1, Brooklyn 4; Chicago 2, Cincinnati 2.

Weaver Says C. Paddock's Records O.K.

NEW YORK, April 26.—Charlie Paddock, sensational pitcher of Southern California, will get four world's records that will stamp him as the greatest runner of history, if Robert S. Weaver, president of the A. A. U., has anything to do with it.

"Paddock's records of Saturday at Redlands should be accepted," Weaver wired today to the track, striking the record.

"I personally made all the arrangements. Five timers and judges were on all the tapes and their watches were all tested by experts. The track was surveyed by civil engineers.

"Weather conditions were unfavorable. It was cold, with a slight breeze blowing diagonally across the track, striking the runners a little in the face.

"Paddock ran out the 100 yards for the 100-meter record. In the 220 he went on through the 220 meters, 400 yards and 800 meters. All the watches agreed, with the exception of the 300 yards and 300 meters. Two watches got him at 29.9 seconds, the other at 29.8.

"I started the events, refereed and saw that everything was authentic. All the officials had lots of experience, and there can be no reason why the records should not stand. The records Paddock recently made in the 100 yards and the 220 yards will have not been set East and West, but will accompany the new ones when filed."

BOXING

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 26.—(I. N. S.)—Rocky, the Buffalo mauler, who has been stirring things up in the lightweight division, is the favorite in his bout with Johnny Dundee here tonight.

Kansas' recent defeat of Willie Jackson, who trounced Dundee in the last meeting between the two, is the chief factor against the Buffalo mauler.

Promoters of the affair declare that the winner of tonight's fracas will earn a go with Benny Leonard.

Monday Night's Results

(By International News Service) At New York—Louis Bogash of Bridgeport knocked out Wildcat Nelson in the ninth round of a scheduled 15-round bout.

New York A.C. Wants Dual Meet With 'M'

By Earl R. Goodwin THE New York Athletic club is seeking a dual track and field meet with the representative of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club.

Manager Halpin is to bring his stars to the annual track and field championships of the Amateur Athletic Union, at Pasadena, July 1 and 2, and he is desirous of landing a dual meet for Multnomah field, June 25.

The telegram has been turned over to Vere Windnagle, manager of the "Winged-M" athletes, and from present indications the New Yorkers will be accommodated.

"The matter has come to us so unexpectedly," said Manager Windnagle, "that we haven't had an opportunity to figure on the proposition at all. By June 25 all the colleges of the Pacific Northwest will have started their summer vacations and we will be able to line up an strong aggregation to represent Multnomah.

"We are making plans to send a team to Pasadena in July, and I can see no reason why we can't give the boys a real test by pitting them against the New York Athletic club delegation the Saturday preceding the A. A. U. championships. It will be the acid test for those who contemplate making the trip from Portland as well as to afford followers of track and field an opportunity to witness some high class performances."

According to Halpin's message, he is figuring on bringing his squad across the continent via the Canadian Rockies, and he has met and agreed to keep his men in good condition during the long trip from New York to Pasadena.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

HAVANA, Cuba, April 26.—(U. P.)—Jose Capablanca today is chess champion of the world.

The youthful Cuban was given the title when Emanuel Lasker, aged champion, resigned the fifteenth game of their series here and declared his opponent champion. Capablanca won five of 16 games, drawing the other 10.

Hermiston, Or., April 26.—The West End Umattila county grade and high school track and field meet will be held here today and declared his opponent place winners will represent Hermiston in the county meet at Bendleton May 7.

The regular program is arranged for the event here and representing this city are carded for the grade students.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 26.—(I. N. S.)—In the presence of Ban Johnson, president of the American league, the Cleveland champion baseball team will this afternoon raise the first pennant ever won by the team representing this city.

The flag-raising ceremony will occur at 2 o'clock. A little later in the season the world's championship pennant will be raised.

New York, April 26.—(U. P.)—Promoter Tex Rickard today announced that he will start immediately the erection of an arena for the Carpenter-Dempsey fight on "Boyle's 30 acres," in Jersey City, N. J., between the Summitt and Grover street tube stations.

Vancouver, Wash., April 26.—The Vancouver high school track team will meet Columbia university at a dual meet in Portland Tuesday afternoon. The baseball team will play Gresham Friday in Gresham and Huesday, May 2, will play in Newberg.

Chase Released on Bond San Jose, Cal., April 26.—(U. P.)—"There's nothing to it," was the comment today of Hal Chase on the charge of "conspiracy to defraud the public" which was placed against him when he was arrested here late yesterday.

"I know nothing about this affair and I am not in any way connected with any baseball scandal," he added.

Chase was arrested on an indictment from Chicago returned in connection with the major league baseball gambling scandal. He was released on \$500 cash bond which his father, Albert Chase of San Jose, furnished.

TRAPSHOOTING

FRANK BLAIR, James W. Seavey and G. N. Ford tied for first honors in the 100-bird registered shoot at Everding Park traps of the Portland Gun club last Sunday. Each was credited with 25 and in the shoot-off Ford managed to nose out his two opponents for first place.

In class B, Jim C. Morris and J. S. Crane each broke 85 out of 100 for first honors and in the shoot-off, Morris proved to be the "champ." E. J. Jaeger was forced to enter a shoot-off in class C competition Sunday and he was equal to the occasion. He and W. R. Rowland tied for first place in their division, each with 75, and Jaeger proved he was Rowland's master with the scatter gun.

Standing at the 25-yard mark, James W. Seavey had his eye on the clay birds and as a result he topped the list in the 25-bird handicap affair. Seavey broke 24 out of 25, while Herbert E. Newland and William C. Block each scored 22.

Frank Templeton managed to break into the limelight when he won the doubles event, breaking 22 out of a possible 24. In the miss and out shoot, Seavey and H. W. Skuse tied for first place.

Following are Sunday's scores in the 100-target and 25-target handicap events, at Everding Park traps:

Table with columns for Shooters, 25 Target, 25 Target, 25 Target, 100 Target, 100 Target, 100 Target.

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INDOOR SPORTS



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Recruit Is Best Hitter In Big Sets

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MAJOR LEAGUES AMERICAN R. H. E. Detroit 600 620 100 3 13 9 Cleveland 040 600 100 3 11 9 Batteries—Sutherland, Otham, Middleton, Ehmke and Basler; Bagby and O'Neill. Umpires—Evans and Hildebrand.

Salt Lake Club Has Dropped Trio Of Double Bills Thursday's Boxing Card Is Completed

YOU can't tell how shoes are made by looking at them—what sort of materials are used inside—what pains are taken in workmanship that does not show at first. But if they are Florsheims you know. Quality goes clear through or the name would not be there.

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