

Cellar Champs to Open Series Thursday :: Big League Clubs Settle Down to Struggle

Mackmen to Make 4-Day Stand Here

WALTER M'CREEDIE'S cellar champions will return to their home grounds Thursday for a four-day stand against the Seattle pennant contenders. Six games will be played during the four days, double headers being scheduled for Saturday and Sunday afternoons. The games Thursday and Friday will start at 2:45 o'clock and the double will begin at 1:30 o'clock.

During the three weeks on the road the Beavers won but seven out of 23 games. They made a bad start at Salt Lake, winning but one out of seven games, but perked up at Oakland and annexed three out of seven, giving the Oaks a setback in their hopes of finishing in the first division.

ANGELS WALLOP 'EM

Against Los Angeles they made a good start, getting even breaks in the doubleheaders played during the first three days of the series, but in the following games the Beavers were on the short end of every score.

After this week's series with Seattle, Portland will hook up with the Rainiers in an eight-game series in Seattle. Then they will return home to do combat during the two closing weeks of the season with San Francisco and Los Angeles.

The four first division clubs are still in the race for the title. San Francisco holds the lead by a margin of four games over Los Angeles, the Angels cutting the lead one full game by taking the Seals down the line in Tuesday's game. Sacramento is one game behind the Angels and Seattle brings up the rear in the four and one-half games behind Bill Rodgers' players.

RACE TO BE CLOSE

Sacramento is scheduled to battle Salt Lake this week, and next week they will tangle with the Bees again in Sacramento.

The race during the closing month of the season promises to bring out some good games. Let's mention the Cincinnati world's champions of 1919, and Patterson, a New York Giant infielder recruit. These two players have strengthened the Seattle club considerably with their hitting.

"Beans" Reardon, who has been umpiring in the Western Canada league, will replace Ed Finney on the Pacific Coast League indicator staff during the final three weeks of the season. Finney turned in his resignation last week.

ANGELS TAKE FRISKY SEALS DOWN IN FIRST BATTLE

Los Angeles, Sept. 7.—The Angels trimmed the league leaders Tuesday, winning in the early stages of the game. The score was 6 to 3.

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Roth, B.	4	0	0	0
Coverly, J.	1	1	0	0
Kelly, C.	3	2	1	0
O'Connell, J.	4	1	0	0
Fernald, J.	4	0	2	0
Kamm, B.	4	0	2	0
Intile, J.	4	0	0	0
Agnew, J.	4	0	0	0
McQuaid, P.	0	0	0	0
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