

ONLY ONE GAME OF COAST TEAMS

Big Leagues Open Season with Seven Games in East Today

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, Pct. Rows include Portland, Oakland, Seattle, Vernon, San Francisco, Salt Lake, Sacramento, Los Angeles.

Tigers, 5; Angels, 2. LOS ANGELES, April 14.—Vernon defeated Los Angeles 5 to 2, in the second game of the series, achieving the victory by outplaying the Angels in every department.

The Angie pitchers could not hold the Tigers. R. H. E. Los Angeles 2 5 0 Vernon 5 13 0 Batteries: Schultz, Pertica, Brown and Bassler; W. Mitchell and Sullivan.

All other coast league games postponed.

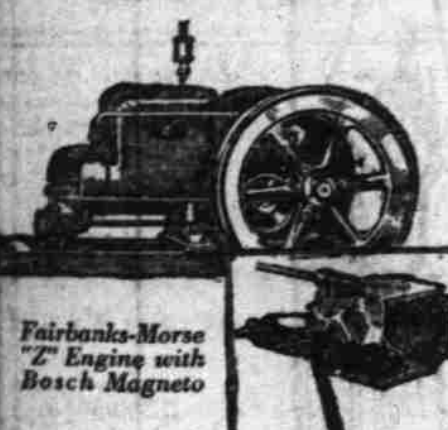
NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Reds, 7; Cubs, 3. CINCINNATI, O., April 14.—The world's champions opened their season here today by defeating the Chicago Cubs 7 to 3.

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son here today by defeating the Chicago Cubs 7 to 3. Alexander was hit freely and was unsteady, but his batting was responsible for three of Chicago's runs. Reuther held the visitors well in check except in two innings. The reds clinched the victory in the seventh by scoring three runs on a walk to Daubert and hits by Groh, Duncan and Kopf.

Score: R. H. E. Chicago 3 8 0 Cincinnati 7 12 0 Batteries: Alexander and Killifer; Reuther and Wingo.

Phillies, 2; Brooklyn, 9. BROOKLYN, April 14.—Brooklyn made practically all of their hits off Rixey's mound today and defeated Philadelphia in the opening game, 9 to 2. The batting of Wheat and Kontchy was timely. Myers, although credited with only one hit, a three-bagger, scored three runs, due to twice forcing out runners. Cadore held the Phillies to four hits until the ninth.

Score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 2 2 3 Brooklyn 9 9 3 Batteries: Rixey and M. Wheat; Cadore and Kreezer.

Pittsburgh, 5; St. Louis, 4. ST. LOUIS, April 14.—Pittsburgh defeated St. Louis 5 to 4 in 10 innings in the opening game of the season today. Nicholson's infield hit with the bases full, scoring the winning run. Doak was forced to leave the box in the third on account of illness, and the pitchers who succeeded him were ineffective.

Score: R. H. E. Pittsburgh 5 7 2 St. Louis 4 11 5

Boston, 6; New York, 3. NEW YORK, April 14.—Boston easily defeated the New York Nationals in the opening game today, 6 to 3. Boston drove Barnes out of the box in the second inning and scored five runs. It was the first time Boston had defeated Barnes since he was traded by that club to New York two years ago.

Fayers, a recruit left hand pitcher of the Boston club, made a good showing, but was relieved in the ninth. Score: R. H. E. Boston 6 8 0 New York 3 9 1 Batteries: Fayers, McQuilland and O'Neill; Barnes, Hubbel, Winters, Ryan and Gonzales.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago, 3; Detroit, 2. CHICAGO, April 14.—Chicago defeated Detroit 3 to 2 today in an 11-inning game, ushering in the American league season here. Williams' good pitching, coupled with Weaver's heavy hitting and base running and E. Collins' timely hitting won the game for Chicago. Heilman's home run had tied the score in the ninth inning.

Score: R. H. E. Detroit 2 4 2 Chicago 3 11 1 Batteries: Daus and Stange; Ainsmith, Williams and Schalk.

Philadelphia, 3; New York, 1. PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—Ruth's muff of Dugan's long liner allowed two runs to score in the eighth here today, giving Philadelphia a 3 to 1 victory over New York in the opening game of the season. Home runs by Pipp and Perkins scored two early tallies. Perry and Shawkey were in fine form.

Score: R. H. E. New York 1 7 1 Philadelphia 3 7 1 Batteries: Shawkey and Ruel; Perry and Perkins.

Cleveland, 5; St. Louis, 0. CLEVELAND, April 14.—Cleveland opened its season by beating St. Louis 5 to 0 before one of the largest opening day crowds in the history of Cleveland baseball. Cuyler held St. Louis to five hits and struck out seven men. Cleveland hit Sothoron hard, bunching its hits in the second inning when it scored four runs.

Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 0 5 0 Cleveland 5 13 0 Batteries: Sothoron and Severeld; Cuyleskie and O'Neil.

EDITORIALS OF THE PEOPLE

(The Statesman is pleased to print communications upon topics of general interest at any time. There is scarcely any limit to the topics of "general interest." It is asked only that correspondents refrain from personalities and use care that nothing be written of a libelous nature. Letters must have writer's name and address, though not necessarily for publication.—Ed.)

Attendants Tell Their Side. Editor Statesman: I am one of 35 remonstrators whose names are herewith submitted for use if necessary. We signed

a remonstrance to the superintendent of the asylum against the employment of convicts as attendants, to look after the patients. He flew into a rage and discharged the first man he saw, who admitted he had signed the remonstrance. When a number of others went to him, he treated them with disregard, and promptly discharged about five more of them.

We then took it up with the state board of control and Dr. Steiner made the explanation that "Happy" Gordon, the paroled convict whom he had employed as an attendant, had only been convicted of a "minor offense." Your paper this morning stated that he was only convicted of a "minor offense." The truth is that he was convicted by a jury of the crime of burglary, and sentenced by the judge for a term of eight years, or rather an indeterminate sentence, the maximum of which was eight years, and the minimum of which was one year. He had served one year, and is now on parole, pending good behavior. If burglary is a "minor" offense, what would Dr. Steiner call a "heinous offense?"

Steiner has discharged several, and about 15 more of us have quit the work, besides a large number of ladies who are quitting. Our pro-

test to Dr. Steiner is to make trouble, or to do any one any harm. We signed a petition which said: "We the undersigned, object to and will not work with convict labor." We meant it. We don't think any self-respecting citizen should be required to associate with thieves and burglars at the social functions of the asylum. These convicts, when employed as attendants, have keys for every man's room, including the violent wards and criminal wards. On these wards are many insane and pretending insane convicts. If they should escape, by either the aid or carelessness of the convict attendants, we would get the blame. We are under no obligation to assume that responsibility. We don't think that the good people of this state should allow their unfortunate to be looked after by a lot of criminals from the penitentiary. We have done our bit, and leave it to the thinking people of the community to decide between "might" and "right."

B. R. CLARK. The petition was signed by the following: Charles Haynes, S. Hendrick, R. Gatch, R. Clark, James H. Cochran, D. H. Armstrong, I. G. Curtis, E. H. Hinchshaw, J. D. Davenport, E. Crocker, A. N. Dawson, W.

P. Firson, G. C. Given, F. M. Lano, A. L. Galpin, J. D. Griffin, A. M. Purvine, C. Huddleston, F. Winters, L. Trammel, William Kim, D. S. Gosser, J. J. Higgins, C. A. Moody, D. H. Ferrell, Floyd Buckley, E. P. Cochran, George H. Roberts, P. S. Heensdy, Robert Johnson, Ambrose O'Donnell, Charles R. Brutaker, L. W. Huddle, G. P. Griggaby, W. Clements.

(The Statesman publishes the above with the thought that the hospital is a public institution, and all sides ought to be heard in its columns. But the Statesman will say that its editors believe these men have done a great injustice in taking the stand they have taken—in refusing to work with a man whose only fault is a prison sentence. It is at variance with all modern thought along the lines of penology; at variance with the idea of the fundamental law in Oregon, which proclaims for reformation, not vindictive punishment.—Ed.)

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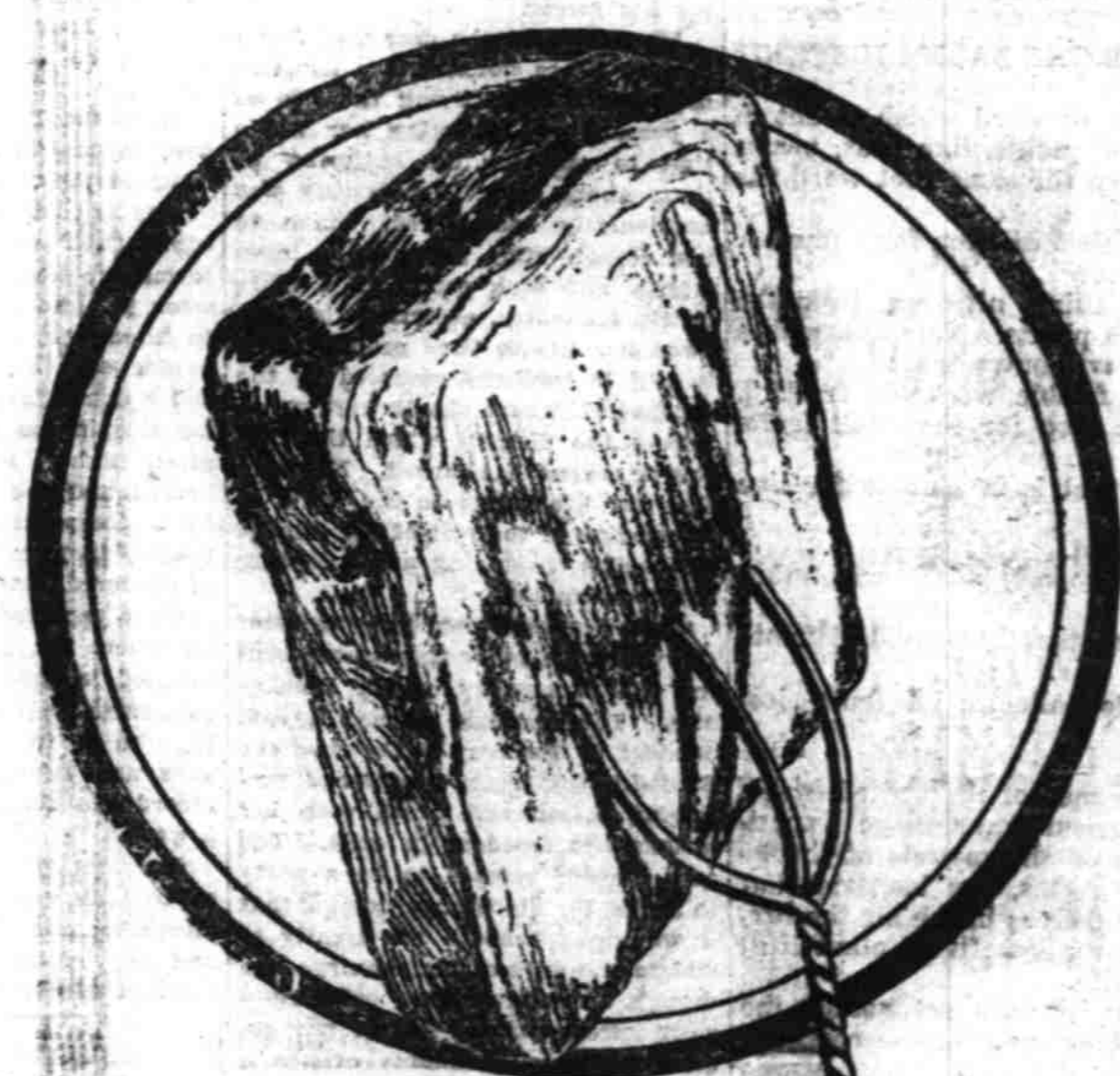
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