

# SPORTS --- Here, There and Everywhere

## CINCINNATI WINS IN 12TH INNING

Pittsburgh and Philadelphia Win—New York—Chicago Game Postponed

CINCINNATI, July 27.—(National.) Caveney's single, a sacrifice by Harris and a sharp single to right by Bohne after two were out in the last half of the 12th inning today gave the Reds a 4 to 3 victory over Brooklyn.

Pittsburgh 8; Boston 5  
PITTSBURGH, July 27.—(National.)—The Braves staged a batting rally in the last inning of today's Boston-Pittsburgh contest but fell short and the Pirates won 8 to 5.

Philadelphia 3; St. Louis 2  
ST. LOUIS, July 27.—(National.)—Ring held St. Louis to four hits and Philadelphia won its second straight game from St. Louis today 3 to 2.

New York at Chicago, postponed, rain.

## NEW YORK GETS PERFECT SWEEP

Ruth Hits 24th Home Run—Washington Wins Easily Over Boston

PHILADELPHIA, July 27.—(American.)—New York made a clean sweep of the series with Philadelphia, taking the final game today 7 to 3. Ruth hit his 24th home run of the season in the first inning.

Washington 10, Boston 7  
BOSTON, July 27.—(American.)—Washington defeated Boston, 10 to 7, today. Six runs off Ehmke in the first and one in the second inning gave the visitors a lead that proved enough to carry them through.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
Minneapolis 6; Columbus 3.  
Milwaukee 4; Louisville 1.  
Kansas City 13; Indianapolis 2.  
St. Paul-Toledo, rain.

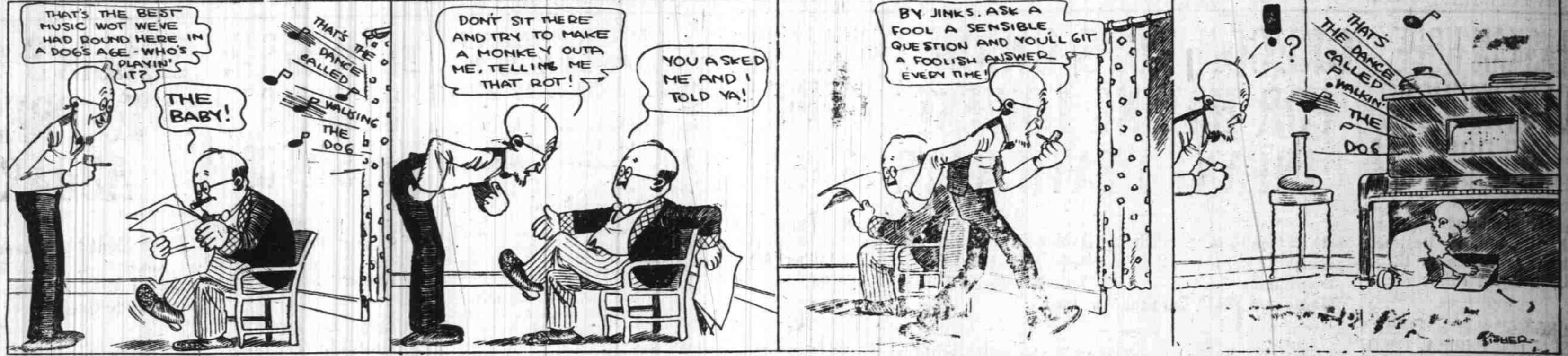
Of course it may sound ungalant, but the Turk men seem to have abandoned polygamy after the Turk women abandoned the veil.—Exchange.

## WORKS WHILE DEMPSEY SLEEPS.



Jack Kearns, whose life just now is just one conference after another. He cures the bacon for the champion to bring home.

## Raising the Family You couldn't blame like for being Skeptical!



## PORTLAND MAKES FOUR STRAIGHT

Beavers Win in Tenth Inning on Gressett's Scratch Single With Bags Full

PORTLAND, Or., July 27.—Portland made it four straight from Seattle by winning in the 10th inning today, 5 to 4, on Gressett's scratch single with the bases loaded and two out. It was a high slow bouncer to second base on which Crane made a desperate effort to throw him out, but failed by a step.

Angels 4-2; Oakland 3-4

LOS ANGELES, July 27.—Los Angeles and Oakland divided a double header here today, the Angels taking the first game, 4 to 3, and the Oaks the second, a 12-inning affair, 4 to 2. Los Angeles clinched the first contest in the seventh inning, scoring two runs on two doubles and a single.

First game: R. H. E.  
Oakland .. 3 9 0  
Los Angeles .. 4 9 3  
Colwell, Wells and Read; Crandall and Byler.

Second game: R. H. E.  
Oakland .. 4 12 1  
Los Angeles .. 2 9 3  
Murchio, Mills and Baker; Lyons, Thomas and Baldwin.

Salt Lake 10, Sacramento 3  
SALT LAKE CITY, July 27.—Salt Lake defeated Sacramento today by a score of 10 to 3. Myers pitched fine ball while both Shea and Canfield were hit hard. Moses Yellowhorse, Sacramento pitcher, who stalked off the diamond in Thursday's game was fined \$250 by Manager Charley Pick today. He was not suspended.

Frisco 6, Vernon 2  
SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—

Playing the first errorless game of the week, San Francisco and Vernon displayed some good baseball today, the former winning, 6 to 2. The Seals now lead in the eight-game series, 4 to 1. Rod Murphy scored the first tally for the T'gers in the second with a home run into the left field bleachers. The teams were tied in the seventh when San Francisco made five hits, scoring four runs. Only one strikeout was recorded and Shea turned the trick.

Bearcat Football Team To Play U. of W. Eleven  
"It never rains but it pours like the very dickens," with Willamette university. The latest pupil is the football game scheduled between the Bearcats and the University of Washington at Seattle for the only possible date left open during the whole season.

Early last spring arrangements were made for the Bearcats to meet a number of other historical and legendary opponents with only one Saturday left open for the whole season up to Thanksgiving day. This Washington game fills in this one last vacancy, and the Bearcats are now pledged for as strenuous a season as anybody could wish to get.

Coach Rathbun announced this new engagement this week, and he is counting on the team making good all down the line. The Washington game will be on a guarantee of \$1200, which ought to take good care of the expenses for the trip. Some of the other teams will be asked to consider the new Willamette team as a real contender and not a mere score-fattener as the locals have been for the past year or two.

There is good promise that they will have to think a lot better of the Bearcats than in the past. Coach Rathbun has not seen the boys in action but he is sure enough of some of his material to be confident that they will work into a powerful team.

The new symposium is certain to be ready for use by the opening of the university year, September 19.

## ALASKAN STATEHOOD SAID POSSIBLE

the greatest capital-nation. Mr. Harding delivered his address in the stadium at the conclusion of one of the busiest days of his whole trip. He began his visit with a review of the United States battle fleet in the harbor, and then in rapid succession participated in an automobile parade through the business section, attended a boys' picnic, and addressed Seattle Press club. Tonight he with Mrs. Harding and the members of the party left by train to spend a week in California, beginning a visit Sunday and Monday to Yosemite national park.

## President's Transport Rams Vessel During Fog

SEATTLE, July 27.—(By The Associated Press.)—President Harding and his official party returned today to the continental United States from their visit to Alaska and Vancouver and their ship narrowly escaped sinking the destroyer Zeilin, one of the escort ships, which, blinded by fog and battling with strong currents in the channel off Port Townsend, was thrown off its course and into the path of the naval transport. Henderson bearing the chief executive and Mrs. Harding on their way home. The destroyer was seriously damaged and when the Henderson continued its way to port was left listing heavily to port, a hole torn into its side and three of its sister ships holding fast with towlines.

Officers on the bridge when the ships collided give full credit to the quick orders of Captain Allen Buchanan, commanding the Henderson, which they declared averted an even more serious damage to the destroyer and probably

## LEAGUE STANDINGS

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE table with columns for Team, W., L., Pct.

NATIONAL LEAGUE table with columns for Team, W., L., Pct.

AMERICAN LEAGUE table with columns for Team, W., L., Pct.

SALEM DIDN'T SEE PRESIDENT HARDING (Continued from page 1.)

gate receipts. Mr. Brown, advance agent for President Harding, informed the committee in charge in no uncertain terms that the president was not speaking any place where admission was charged. The manager held out, thinking perhaps they would come to his terms, so the story goes.

McNary Joins at Eugene Finally it was decided, in lieu of anything else which could be done, to have the president speak at the stadium in the afternoon. Mr. Brown, who had come to Seattle with a day's program to fill in for his chief which would last until 11 o'clock at night, filled out the day, completing everything by 7 o'clock, and put down in his little black book, "President's special leaves Seattle 7:15," or something to that effect.

So the president and his party are to arrive in Salem before most folk are up, just because Seattle didn't keep him for as long as they could have had him. Seattle had the president and did not want him, apparently. Salem wants him and can't have him. There you are.

Senator McNary drove to Eugene yesterday afternoon and was to board the president's train at 5:40 this morning. The president's first appearance in the run through Oregon today is at Roseburg.

## AFGHANS INSTALL RADIO SCHOOLS

Citizens of Afghanistan Are Making Strong Efforts to Become Modern

KABUL, Afghanistan, July 27.—Citizens of Afghanistan, in their effort to become modern, have established a radio station at Kabul. This follows the opening of the first telegraphic communication between Afghanistan and India. There is now a telephone line from Kabul to Kandahar, and it is possible to travel by automobile between these cities.

Since the abolition of slavery in January of 1921, great strides have been made in education in Afghanistan. There is a new boys' school, caring for 150 youngsters under 12 years of age, and a school for women, both at Kabul, and several primary schools have been set up in the provinces. Compulsory school attendance has been decreed though at present scarcely one person in a thousand can read and write. For the first time in the history of the country a press has come

into existence, and five periodicals have been established.

The greatest difficulty before the new government is the finding of men competent to carry out its reforms. The old officials were strenuously opposed to these innovations, and it proved necessary, early in 1922, to depose at a single stroke all the provincial governors. The new officials no longer wear national costumes, but dress in amusingly correct European fashion. Their offices are equipped with modern desks and chairs, and government clerks have been forbidden to sit on the floor while performing their duties.

Immediately following the evening prayer and the swift sunset, electric street-lights are flashed on and military bands march through the city, in full uniform, playing for the popular amusement.

## Oil Prospecting Progress Is Discussed at Meeting

A number of Salem business men attended a public meeting at the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday night to hear something of the progress of the Willamette Valley Oil & Gas company.

J. A. Mills was chairman, and spoke briefly on the obligation of the community to test its own resources and to prepare to develop whatever prosperity nature had given it. J. E. Wendell, secretary, reported on the progress and the financial needs of the company. Frank Derby, an enthusiastic supporter of the oil prospecting movement, told of the value of the community support as an advertisement of local enterprise, outside of the value that the development of a real oil supply would be. Walter Fry of Silverton, told of having two farms that he would sell and devote the money to helping the oil prospect movement, believing that it was reasonable and sure to win.

Dr. H. E. Morris and George Vick both spoke scatteringly of the prospects, and of the community obligation to test the oil deposits that the work already done have shown to exist. Robert Kenzie, driller, told of the physical progress and prospects of the work, and expressed his faith in the Willamette oil fields.

## Canadians Saving Money Bank Accounts Indicate

OTTAWA, July 26.—Savings accounts in banks throughout Canada showed an increase of \$9,333,259 in the year ended May 1, according to figures compiled by the government bureau of statistics.

On the basis of population savings accounts amounted to \$146 for every man, woman and child in the Dominion. Total savings on May 1, the statistics show, amounted to \$1,317,855,790 compared to \$1,308,522,531 a year ago.

The increase in savings, it is pointed out, is due to the return of prosperity and stabilization of business conditions throughout the Dominion.



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## CIVIC OPERA IN CHICAGO SUCCESS

Financial Statement After Year of Operation Warrants Continuation

CHICAGO, July 27.—Chicago has gone into the Grand Opera business, and after a year's operation, the financial statement shows that the city is making a success of it.

Backed by a regiment of guarantors, who are to be found in all walks of business, commercial, industrial and social life, as well as by the general public, the Chicago Civic Opera company has become almost as truly civic as a public library or a public park. The admission charged for performances, which is moderate and considered popular, though insuf-

ficient as yet to pay the full cost of entertainment, is the sole mark distinguishing the Chicago Civic Opera from other civic institutions with a general appeal.

There are 2,200 guarantors who stepped to the front when Harold F. McCormick and Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick contributed their holdings to the then Civic Opera Association.

It is now announced by Samuel Insull, President of the Opera company, that when the deficit for the first civic opera season, that of 1922-1923, was finally determined and made known, the guarantors responded immediately and unhesitatingly and fulfilled their pledges without demur.

Mr. Insull says: "Grand Opera in Chicago thus has passed into a stage of Civic Grand Opera, supported by as representative people as would be met by the tax collector gathering sinews for city government. The method of obtaining support closely approximates the municipal state subsidies provided operas abroad.

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