

STATESMAN PAGE OF LIVE SPORT NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE

Bassler, Detroit's Heavy-Hitting Backstop, and Woodall, His Very Promising Young Understudy



John C. Bassler, who has been catching for Ty Cobb's pennant contenders for three years, went to Detroit from the Los Angeles club of the Pacific Coast League but he was born in Pennsylvania 29 years ago. Bassler last year almost joined the ranks of the 300 sluggers, falling only two points

short. He is shown at the right. At the left is Woodall, who's only a young fellow—a second-string catcher—but he's everlastingly on the job. He knows how to hold and handle pitchers, has a good throwing arm and bats like an old-timer.

Miss May Evans Visits Relatives at Silvertown

SILVERTOWN, Ore., Aug. 5.—(Special to The Statesman.)—Miss May Evans of Mayville, N. D., is spending a week at the home of her uncle, L. E. Goplerud, and her aunt, Mrs. G. G. Evans. Miss Evans is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Evans who at one time made Silvertown their home. Before coming to Silvertown Miss Evans visited at the home of her sister at Longview, Wash.

Baptist Brotherhoods Picnic at Santiam Park

The Baptist Brotherhood of Salem held a picnic yesterday afternoon and evening at Santiam park, near Jefferson, with the brotherhoods of the Albany, Corvallis, Independence and Lebanon Baptist churches as guests for the affair. Nearly 100 men were present.

Capt. G. L. Hall of McMinnville gave the principal address, and other speakers were Justice O. P. Coshaw of the supreme court, Rev. B. F. Fellman of Albany and Rev. E. H. Shanks of Salem.

A baseball game was played between the Salem brotherhood and a team made up of all the others present, Salem winning by a score of 7 to 1.

In some respects the world improves little, but you very seldom see a horsehair sofa.

Kinsey, Johnson Nemesis Continues Winning Streak

SOUTHAMPTON, N. Y., Aug. 5.—Howard Kinsey of California, conqueror of William M. Johnson at Seabright, N. J., last week, defeated Lewis N. White of the

University of Texas, 6-4, 7-5, in a bitterly contested match, the feature of today's play in the invitation tennis tournament here.

White gave his coast rival stubborn resistance from the start, playing beautiful, daring tennis. The Texan was never close to victory, but his powerful stroking and aggressiveness against Kinsey was roundly applauded by the gallery.

Better Mail Service Is Afforded Silvertownians

SILVERTOWN, Ore., Aug. 4.—(Special to The Statesman.)—A new arrangement has been made whereby Silvertown receives mail by the 11 o'clock train. This eliminates to a certain extent the unsatisfactory mail service which Silvertown has had to suffer from since the change in the train schedule which occurred some months ago. An auxiliary carrier has also been added to the city carrier section greatly facilitating the speed of the delivery. This carrier works but four hours of each day.

Don't Pad Estimates, Pierce Tells Officials

At the meeting of the state board of control yesterday Governor Pierce admonished all institution superintendents to hasten in their budget estimates for the biennium of 1925-1926, and urged that the estimates be not padded with the expectation that the state budget commission will cut them down. He asked the superintendents to be prepared to defend all items included in their estimates.

The world hasn't yet seen a man as important as a rich man in a small town feels.

COAST AND MAJOR LEAGUE GAMES

San Francisco 4; Angels 3.
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5.—San Francisco defeated Los Angeles in the opening game of this week's series here today by a 4 to 3 score. The Angels tied the score in the eighth and forged ahead in the ninth but the league leaders in their half of the last frame pushed over two counters for a win.
Score—R. H. E.
Los Angeles 3 9 2
San Francisco 4 9 1
Crandall and Spencer; Williams and Yelle.

Vernon 8; Oakland 7.
OAKLAND, Aug. 5.—Vernon defeated Oakland 8 to 7 here today in the series opener which was featured by four home runs and which resulted in Ken Penner's 19th victory of the season although he did not pitch the entire game. Arlett and Madera, Oakland players, each poled a home run with two men on bases, and Hannah of the Tigers duplicated with one man on. Warner, Vernon player, also lined himself up with the game's Babe Ruth's and poled a circuit clout which tallied three runs for the Tigers.

Score—R. H. E.
Oakland 7 11 2
Vernon 8 10 1
Krouse, Murchio, Kunz and Read, Baker; Penner, Rudolph and Hannah.

Seattle 8; Sacramento 3.
SEATTLE, Aug. 5.—Ted Baldwin's home run which bounced into the left field bleachers in the seventh inning with three men on the bases cinched Seattle's 8 to 3 victory over Sacramento in the first game of their series here today. Mike Shea, Sacramento catcher also hit a homer into the left field bleachers in the fourth inning.

Score—R. H. E.
Sacramento 3 12 2
Seattle 8 15 2
Prough and Shea; Bagby and E. Baldwin.

Salt Lake 9; Portland 5.
PORTLAND, Aug. 5.—Salt Lake broke Portland's winning streak which had reached eight straight games, by taking today's game, 9 to 5. The Salts had a big inning in the sixth in which Schroeder went wild and walked three men and forced in a score before being lifted for Keefe, who went in cold. Hits by Cumber and Fredericks scored three more and then Vint singled off Rachac in the ninth, but Mulcahy, the third Salt Lake pitcher, was invincible in his four innings.

Score—R. H. E.
Salt Lake 9 13 0
Portland 5 10 1
O'Doul, McCabe, Mulcahy and Peters; Schroeder, Keefe, Rachac and Daly.

Tennis Court and Rink Proposed by Legioners

SILVERTOWN, Ore., Aug. 5.—(Special to The Statesman.)—Delbert Reeves post of the American legion held a very interesting meeting Monday night at which time several matters of importance were discussed. Commander Harry Carson was unable to be present and vice commander Clifford Rue presided.

The legion voted to build an asphalt tennis court and skating rink in the city park providing the city will give its consent. The matter of holding a fair at Silvertown during September was discussed and the legion decided to put on a country fair during the middle of the month. The membership committee announced that a stag party will be given next Saturday night and that all ex-service men are invited to attend.

HOW FIRPO AND WILLS, WHO BATTLE FOR RIGHT TO MEET JACK DEMPSEY, COMPARE PHYSICALLY



New York 2; Chicago 1.
NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—(National.)—Chicago lost a 10-inning game to New York today 2 to 1. Guy Bush, recently recalled by the Cubs, had the better of Wayland Dean, who pitched for the Giants, but errors behind him lost the game.
Score—R. H. E.
Chicago 1 7 3
New York 2 4 1
Bush and Hartnett; Dean and Gowdy.

Pittsburg 8; Brooklyn 1.
BROOKLYN, Aug. 5.—(National.)—Pittsburg made it three straight by beating Brooklyn today 8 to 1.
Score—R. H. E.
Pittsburg 8 10 0
Brooklyn 1 5 2
Kremer and Schmidt; Ruether, Roberts and Deberry.

Cincinnati 4; Philadelphia 3.
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5.—(National.)—Cincinnati took an 11-inning game from Philadelphia 4 to 3. It was a pitching duel between Rixey and Mitchell.
Score—R. H. E.
Cincinnati 4 9 1
Philadelphia 3 15 3
Rixey, G. Mays and Hargrave; Mitchell, Betts, Hubbell and Wilson.

St. Louis 8; Boston 4.
OSTON, Aug. 5.—(National.)—St. Louis fell on McNamara of the Braves in the first two innings today, making seven runs and eventually won, 8 to 4. Stuart allowed only one scratch hit in the first six innings.
Score—R. H. E.
St. Louis 8 14 0
Boston 4 6 3
Stuart and Gonzales; McNamara, Benton and Gibson.

FRENCH TEAM IS WINNER

PARIS, Aug. 5.—The French Davis cup tennis team which yesterday on the deciding match in the European zone final from the Czechoslovakian team, today made a clean sweep of the encounter with the Czechoslovakians.

FAVORITES ARE VICTORS

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Both the defending champions, Miriam Burns of Kansas City and the national champion, Edith Cummings of Chicago, survived the first match round today in the women's western golf championship at Owentons club, but there was no particularly brilliant golf displayed in the 16 matches. The course was still heavy from recent rains.

Motorists From Chicago Visiting at Silvertown

SILVERTOWN, Ore., Aug. 5.—(Special to The Statesman.)—Miss Ethel Larson was hostess at a delightful little slumber party given at the home of her parents at 704 North Second street Saturday night in honor of Miss Marcella Ennevaldson who is leaving this week for St. Paul, Minnesota. The first part of the evening was devoted to a line party at the Gem. This was followed by dancing and refreshments at the Larson home. Miss Ennevaldson was presented with a gift from the girls. Those attending were Jerdis Kloster, Valborg Ormbeck, Ingeborg Goplerud, Esther Towe, Ethel Larson, Esther Larson, Myrna Sather and the guest of honor.

Shropshire Picnic to Be Held at Doerfler Farm

There will be a Shropshire picnic at the Doerfler farm Sunday, August 10. The livestock club, boys and girls, are urged to attend as there will be several judging contests on sheep and hogs.

A. M. Doerfler will have some of his high class Durocs on exhibition and there will be a demonstration of fitting sheep for the fair. Besides the livestock the Doerflers will attempt to prove that alfalfa will grow in the Waldo hills. All Shropshire breeders and those interested generally are advised to come and bring well filled baskets. The Doerfler Shropshire flock is the largest in the northwest.

Mr. Doerfler raises no grain on his 230-acre farm. He says that

New York 9; Detroit 2.
DETROIT, Aug. 5.—(American.)—New York increased its lead in the American league pennant race to two games here today when the Yankees pounded three Detroit pitchers for 17 hits and won, 9 to 2. Ruth hit his 35th home run in the fifth inning, scoring Witt and Dugan.
Score—R. H. E.
New York 9 17 0
Detroit 2 12 0
Bush, Hoyt and Schang; Wells, Stoner, Cole and Bassler, Woodall.

Cleveland 1; Boston 0.
CLEVELAND, Aug. 5.—(American.)—Coveleskie outpitched Ferguson today and Cleveland defeated Boston, 1 to 0.
Score—R. H. E.
Boston 0 6 0
Cleveland 1 7 1
Ferguson and O'Neill; Coveleskie and Myatt.

St. Louis 2-4; Washington 0-2.
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 5.—(American.)—St. Louis won two games from Washington today, making it five straight. Shocker pitching in good form, held the Senators to three hits in the first game, which he won, 2 to 0. Danforth allowed eight hits in the second game, winning 4 to 2.
Score—R. H. E.
Washington 0 3 0
St. Louis 2 4 0
Zahniser and Tate; Shocker and Severeid.

Second game—R. H. E.
Washington 2 8 1
St. Louis 4 10 0
Zachary, Marberry and Ruel; Danforth and Severeid.

CHICAGO 5-6; PHILADELPHIA 2-3

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—(American.)—Good pitching by Urban Faber and Hollis Thurston enabled Chicago to win both games of a double header from Philadelphia today by scores of 5 to 2 and 6 to 3 respectively.
Score—R. H. E.
Philadelphia 2 6 0
Chicago 5 12 3
Harris, Burns, Heimach and Perkins; Faber, Conally and Crouse.

GENARO DEFEATS CURTIN

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Frankie Genaro of New York, American flyweight champion, went out of his class to win a judges' decision over Irish Johnny Curtin of Jersey City, a bantamweight, in a 12-round bout in Brooklyn tonight. Genaro weighed 112½ and Curtin 118 pounds. It was Genaro's first bantamweight match.

Many Mines Near

Diers' report lists 28 districts and 417 classified mines in Lane, Coos, Douglas, Curry, Jackson and Josephine counties and 33 unclassified mines as examined by the state bureau of mines in 1914, and he adds that he believes there are now 800 producing mines in the six counties, with 200 more in Del Norte and Modoc counties of northern California, making at least 1,000 mines and developed prospects within 120 miles of Gold Hill.

The project, it is said, takes the place of the project formerly proposed for Grants Pass.

Ah! Truly This Must Have Been Wonderful

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GOLD HILL TO GET SMELTER

Permit to Sell Stock Issued By Crews to Oregon Mining Men

Following what is said to have been a very careful investigation of the personnel of men concerned, W. E. Crews, state corporation commissioner, yesterday issued a stock selling permit to the Sunset Smelting company, which will at once begin the construction of a smelter at Gold Hill, equipped to take care of all kinds of ores mined in southwestern Oregon and northern California.

Officers Are Named

While the permit is for the sale of \$30,000 worth of stock, the articles of incorporation, which were filed July 1, show a capitalization of \$200,000 in common stock and \$100,000 preferred, at \$1 a share. The officers of the company are C. A. Olson, Medford, president; M. S. Johnson, Gold Hill, vice president; P. M. Johnson, Medford, secretary, and A. C. Hough, Grants Pass, acting attorney.

It is officially stated that 145,000 shares of common stock and 5,000 shares of preferred stock will be issued to the West Coast Finance company of Medford for a smelter site consisting of 22.6 acres near Gold Hill, two groups of mining claims, 2 25-year lease from the city of Gold Hill on about 40 acres adjoining the smelter site, maps, data, surveys, etc.

Detailed Report Received

H. C. Diers submitted detailed recommendations relative to the character of plant to be established, the report also covering the mining resources of the contributing mining region. Commissioner Crews investigated Diers' mining record carefully, he claims, and found that he has been interested in mining in the northwest for a long period of time. He has been connected with various enterprises in the northwest for 25 years; also has mined in Alaska and at one time was owner and editor of the Alaska-Yukon Mining Journal. George A. Codding, examiner for the corporation department, in a report to Mr. Crews, expressed doubt as to the experience of the men concerned and recommended a very careful investigation of their records. Crews says he has investigated them and found them to be men with the required experience. Codding's report stated that it would be calamity if the enterprise should fail, because if it should do so it would be years before sufficient interest could again be aroused to start a similar enterprise.

Liquor Seized During Raid Returned to Owner

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—For the first time since the passage of the 18th amendment seized liquor was returned without a federal court order here today when prohibition agents personally supervised the transfer of 60 cases of whiskey to Hugo Gilbert, de Britsch, from whose home they seized it last Friday night.

R. Q. Merrick, divisional prohibition chief, admitted the search warrant had been issued improperly but defended the agents on

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Sharp Change Noted in Oregon Fruit Situation

"Conditions in Oregon have changed materially during the last few weeks and there has been a tremendous drop and a great call for green fruit has developed," M. J. Newhouse, manager of the North Pacific Prune Exchange, said yesterday in explanation of the low opening prune prices quoted by the exchange. "The association in the northwest learned a big lesson last year, opening too high and working on a declining market. The ultimate market for the 1924 prune crop is going much higher."

Gen. Butler Puts His POLICE TROUBLES ASIDE TO DOX CATCHER'S MASK

The Doerfler farm is reached by going directly east from Salem and making a jog at the intersection of the Salem-Silvertown road or going south from Silvertown and north from Stayton to the same point, then turn east. The name is on the barn in big letters.

Gen. Smedley D. Butler, the officer of marines who went to Philadelphia as Director of Public Safety to clean up the Quaker City, is shown here catching in a baseball game played recently by teams representing the Philadelphia and Camden, N. J. police departments. Gen. Butler, who is said to have split with Mayor Kendrick, greeted the mayor at the baseball grounds but neither would discuss reports that the general would quit or had been requested to resign.

"We are competing with cheap 50-60s held in large quantities by the California association from the 1923 crop," Mr. Newhouse continued. "Not long ago they had 70,000,000 pounds of these cheap prunes. Packers admit our prices on 50-60s are all right and the objections are for the 30s and 40s."

Uldine Uttley Addresses Audience at Silvertown

SILVERTOWN, Ore., Aug. 5.—(Special to The Statesman.)—Silvertown enjoyed a treat last night when little Uldine Uttley, the 12 year old evangelist, spoke to a crowded house at the Eugene Field auditorium. On every side was heard expressions of wonder at the ability of the young speaker to quote scripture and to speak with so much force and understanding.

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