

SENATORS LOSE TO KC TOSSERS

Breaks of Game and Fluke Home Run Contribute to Salem Downfall

Costly errors by Salem, the breaks of the game and a fluke home run by Kearns of the visiting club, caused the Salem Senators to lose to the Knights of Columbus club of Portland yesterday by a score of 5 to 2.

On Sunday the Senators defeated the Friedman All-stars of Portland by a score of 12 to 2. The game was uninteresting, though only one error was marked against each club. Keene pitched for Salem and had things all his own way.

While it was announced that yesterday's game with the KC's would be the last of the season owing to the impossibility of getting any more first class clubs here this fall, Manager Biddy Bishop of the Senators said last night that since the Knights won there is a chance to get them back next Sunday for a rub-off game. Each team has won a game, the Senators having beaten the Knights early in the season, so the Portlanders have no claim to superiority over the Senators. Had Salem won yesterday the game would have been decisive. Whether the Knights can come to Salem next Sunday depends on whether they can arrange to have a game scheduled in Portland for the afternoon transferred to the forenoon, in which event they will come to Salem in the afternoon.

Yesterday's game with the Knights of Columbus at times was an exhibition of good baseball on both sides. Heim, the KC pitcher, a southpaw, was very effective, allowing only four hits to the Senators, although he had little on the ball. The Senators have met few left-handed pitchers this season, and Heim's old side-wheel soup-bone was the jinx. Broughton, who pitched for Salem, allowed eight hits. Huesing, a Long-View man, pitched the last inning.

Miller, Proctor and Powers were good for another neat double in the eighth when they put out McEntee and Powers.

Baird and Edwards suffered in yesterday's game, Baird receiving Brennan's spikes in the fourth when he ran to the plate to take a throw with Brennan between home and third. A couple of stitches were necessary in the wound. Baird dropped the ball and Brennan scored.

The game by innings:

First Inning
 KC—Kearns out Proctor to Baird. G. Simon out on strikes. L. Simon out by Baird unassisted. Salem—Miller walked. Reinhart sacrificed him to second, going out Heim to Powers. Bishop out Kearns to Powers. Miller taking third on the play. Keene out Kearns to Powers.

Second Inning
 KC—Burke flied to Keene. Covert fanned. McEntee walked. Powers singled, advancing McEntee to second. Brennan whiffed. One hit.

Salem—Baird out L. Simon to Powers. Proctor out Brennan to Powers. Schackmann out Kearns to Powers.

Third Inning
 KC—Heim bunted safely. Kearns slammed a hit that bounded hard against the right field fence, then bounded over the fence and went for a home run, scoring Heim ahead of Kearns. G. Simon fanned. L. Simon safe on Miller's error in throwing wildly to Baird. L. Simon also going to second. Burke out Bishop to Baird. L. Simon taking third on the play. Covert out Miller to Baird. Two runs, two hits, one error.

Salem—Edwards singled. Broughton fouled out to Burke. Miller singled, advancing Edwards to second. Reinhart safe on L. Simon's error. Edwards taking third and Miller second. Bishop went to bat with the bases full and flied to L. Simon. Keene, after knocking a dozen fouls struck out. Two hits.

Fourth Inning
 KC—McEntee fanned. Powers singled. Brennan grounded down the first base line, and Baird attempted to throw out Powers at second, but Miller let the ball go by, allowing Powers to go third. Brennan safe on fielder's choice. Heim grounded to Baird who tried to throw out Powers at the plate. Everybody safe. Kearns grounded to Baird, who, to prevent a score, threw to Edwards and headed off Brennan. With Brennan between Edwards and Bishop, Baird ran to protect the plate and took Bishop's throw, but dropped it in a collision with Brennan, who scored. Cunningham, batting for G. Simon, safe on fielder's choice when Broughton threw out Heim at third. L. Simon hit for two bases and Cunningham was out at the plate. Reinhart to Broughton

VINCENTS WILL APPEAR AGAIN

Last Wednesday evening a great meeting was held at the West Salem Methodist church. Enthusiasm ran high, and there was a general determination to put the building across. In that audience were Ray and Nina Vincent, the well-known entertainers. They have offered to give one of their popular entertainments, the entire proceeds to go to the completing of the church building fund.

On Thursday evening of this week the Vincents will give one of their very popular evening entertainments. Those who want an evening of rare enjoyment, as well as those who want to help the church, are asked to go to West Salem to the Methodist church, Wednesday evening.



ORDERS ISSUED TO 96 DIVISION

382nd Infantry to Have Charge of Units on National Defense Day

Headquarters of the 382nd Infantry has issued orders to units of the 96th division and will take charge and supervise the activities of these units for the National Defense day mobilization on September 12, according to Col. Carl Abrams, commanding officer of the 382nd Infantry. All officers named in the orders, particularly unit commanders, will attend a meeting of the Reserve Officers association at the Gray Belle at 6:15 o'clock tonight.

Plans for the mobilization will be perfected. In general, these call for a parade starting from Marion square at 6:30 o'clock, with patriotic exercises at the armory immediately after the parade. All officers are requested to wear their uniforms.

The following named officers of the Officers Reserve corps will take active charge of each unit as designated, raise it to war strength by enrollment of citizens in the organization for the one day and to handle the unit in the exercises:

Headquarters 382nd Infantry, nine officers, no enlisted men. Colonel Carl Abrams, Infantry-ORC, commanding; Captain T. A. Brown, Adjutant; Second Lieutenant L. C. Stonstrom, Engr-ORC; Second Lieutenant W. D. Simpson, Engr-ORC; Second Lieutenant D. R. Stewart, Cac-ORC; Second Lieutenant E. A. Robins, SS-ORC; Second Lieutenant I. C. Roberts, Engr-ORC; Captain A. R. Andrews, Vet-ORC.

Attached Medical Personnel, 11 Officers, 87 enlisted men. Major W. Carlton Smith, Med-ORC, commanding; Major F. N. Lewis, Med-ORC; Captain B. F. Pound, Dent-ORC; First Lieutenant A. J. Creeley, Vet-ORC; First Lieutenant F. L. Utter, Dent-ORC.

Headquarters Company 382 Infantry, Three Officers, 121 enlisted men. First Lieutenant Lyle Second Lieutenant Paul Pieve, FA-ORC.

Headquarters and Headquarters Co. Three Bn. 382nd Inf. Seven Officers, 76 enlisted men. First Lieutenant A. R. Baird, Inf-ORC, commanding; First Lieutenant B. W. McDaniel, JAG-ORC; First Lieutenant Karl Pease, AS-ORC; Second Lieutenant A. H. Madsen, Inf-ORC; Second Lieutenant C. C. Carson, Engr-ORC; Second Lieutenant I. J. Robertson, Inf-ORC.

Company "M" (M. G.) 382nd Infantry, Five Officers, 141 enlisted men. First Lieutenant Alvan G. Carson, Inf-ORC, commanding; First Lieutenant G. W. King, Inf-ORC; Second Lieutenant Tinkham Gilbert, Inf-ORC; Second Lieutenant C. E. Lachele, QM-ORC.

Motor Transport Company No. 382, Two Officers, 78 enlisted men. Captain Donald A. Young, QM-ORC, commanding; Second Lieutenant R. B. Reinhart, QM-ORC.

Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 2nd Bn. 412th Art. (155 How). Eight Officers, 66 enlisted men. First Lieutenant Lyle J. Page, FA-ORC, commanding; Second Lieutenant Paul Pieve, FA-ORC.

Combat Train, 412th Art. Three Officers, 118 enlisted men. Second Lieutenant Richard D. Slater, FA-ORC; Second Lieutenant Madison Nichols, FA-ORC.

Battery "A" 412 Art. Four Officers, 144 enlisted men. First Lieutenant E. P. Thom, FA-ORC, commanding; Second Lieutenant F. L. Stegmund, FA-ORC.

545th Motor Transport Co. Two Officers, 70 enlisted men. First Lieutenant John B. Eakin, QM-ORC, commanding; Second Lieutenant E. W. Lantz, QM-ORC.

450 Motor Repair Section, One Officer, 35 enlisted men. Second Lieutenant C. A. Evans, M-ORC.

109th Communication Section, One Officer, 30 enlisted men. First Lieutenant Parks Wightman, SIG-ORC, commanding.

PASTORS ARE GIVEN PLACES

German Methodists Announce Assignment in District for Year

Announcement of pastor assignments for the coming year featured the closing sessions of the 20th annual Pacific German conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here Sunday night. The assignments were read by Bishop E. S. Johnson of Portland, who has been in charge of the conference since it opened Thursday morning.

Under a rule of the conference that a district superintendent shall not serve in such capacity more than six out of 12 successive years, Rev. A. F. Hilmer was relieved of the duties of his charge and has been assigned to the pastorate of the Salem church. Rev. Mr. Hilmer will be succeeded as district superintendent by Rev. A. T. Cramer. Rev. Mr. Hilmer has made his headquarters at Spokane, but it has not yet been decided where the Rev. Mr. Cramer will be located.

Bishop Johnson announced that no changes would be made in the pastorate of the Portland churches. Rev. E. E. Hertzler has been reassigned to First church, Portland, while Rev. F. A. Schuman again will fill the pulpit at the Rodney avenue church. Rev. Mr. Hertzler has been in charge of the First church, Portland, for nine years, while Rev. Mr. Schumann has held his present charge for 14 years.

Following is a complete list of the pastor assignments as announced by Bishop Johnson at the closing session of the conference: District superintendent, Rev. A. T. Cramer; Bethany and Yamhill, Rev. P. J. Schurt; Conell and Paradise, Rev. G. J. Kleinbach;

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DRY WEATHER RECORD MADE

Period of One Year Driest in History of Local Federal Bureau

With only 22.88 inches of rainfall, nearly 16 inches below normal, the period from September 1, 1923, to August 31, 1924, is the driest in the history of the local weather bureau. During the first eight months of this year there has been but 9.85 inches of moisture, in comparison with 12.45 inches for the corresponding period in 1903, the driest year on record. For the period of

Month	23-24	Average
Sept.	.70	1.84
Oct.	2.21	2.81
Nov.	3.80	6.19
Dec.	6.22	5.51
Jan.	3.54	5.77
Feb.	2.59	4.34
March	1.29	3.94
April	1.07	2.68
May	.61	2.48
June	.22	1.42
July	.00	.53
Aug.	.53	.39
Total	22.88	38.19

Shortage 15.31

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