

SPORTS

POST SERIES DECLARED OFF

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 8.—Failure on the part of the directors of Walla Walla and Boise clubs, in the Western Tri-State league to agree on the terms for playing off the post-season series has resulted in the negotiations being dropped and the post-season series to decide the pennant winner abandoned.

This announcement, made here, was a keen disappointment to league fans. Walla Walla won the honors of the first half of the season, and the schedule was split, starting all clubs off the second half with a clean slate, with the understanding that the second half of the club winning the high percentage of the last half of the season would qualify to meet Walla Walla in a post-season series to decide the pennant winner.

Walla Walla demanded a guarantee of \$500 to play the series in Boise this week, but the local management refused to give this, but offered a guarantee of expenses and even division of the gate receipts between the two clubs. Walla Walla refused the offer.

Boise will probably make application to the Union Association for a franchise next season.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

Coast League,
Portland 5, Oakland 2.
Los Angeles 3, Sacramento 2.
Venice 1, San Francisco 0.
N. W. League,
Victoria 4, Spokane 0.

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Tacoma 2, Vancouver 1.
Portland 6, Seattle 1.

America League.
Cleveland 3, Detroit 1.
Philadelphia 3, Boston 2.
St. Louis 4, Chicago 0.
Washington 3, New York 1.

National League.
Boston 4-7, Philadelphia 1-2.
Brooklyn 2, New York 0.
Pittsburg 4, St. Louis 2.
Chicago 5, Cincinnati 3.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

National League.

W.	L.	Pct.
New York	56	.42
Philadelphia	75	.48
Chicago	74	.57
Pittsburg	70	.59
Boston	65	.69
Brooklyn	55	.79
St. Louis	46	.80

America League.

W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	86	.44
Cleveland	80	.52
Washington	72	.57
Boston	65	.63
Chicago	65	.60
Detroit	57	.74
St. Louis	51	.84
New York	44	.83

Western Tri-State League.
(Second half, final.)

W.	L.	Pct.
Boise	22	.593
North Yakima	27	.589
Walla Walla	24	.58
Pendleton	23	.51

(First Half, final.)

W.	L.	Pct.
Walla Walla	45	.692
Boise	40	.636
Pendleton	31	.517
North Yakima	30	.469

SUNDAY'S SCORES.

National League.
Chicago 4-7, St. Louis 1-1.
American League.
St. Louis 1, Chicago 0.
Detroit 4, Detroit 4.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

Standing.

W.	L.	Pct.
Vancouver	87	.609
Portland	75	.62
Victoria	76	.521
Tacoma	71	.477
Spokane	65	.439
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Yesterday's Results.
At Portland—Seattle 3-3, Portland 1-2.
At Tacoma—Vancouver 6-2, Tacoma 2-0.
At Spokane—Victoria 6-2, Spokane 14-1. (Second game called in sixth.)

PORTLAND, Sept. 8.—Seattle put a crimp in Portland's pennant prospects in the Northwestern League yesterday by winning both games of a double header. The scores were 3 to 1 and 3 to 2. The Tillamooks returned home with an even break in the series of four games.

*King Kelly gets credit for the first win and Al Carson is charged with the defeat. Kelly was invincible in the pinches but it was befuddled brain work on the part of Nick's Colts that really cost Portland the game. In addition to the mental lapses the Colts mixed in five mechanical miscues.

Perhaps the most amusing situation of the year was created by Gulini in the fourth inning, when he ran like a scared gazelle from first to third on an ordinary fly ball to the left field, with nobody out. Nick Williams coaching, raved like a maniac and

tried telepathy, therapeutics and every other form of block signal known to science. But Gulini was not to be headed.

SPokane, Sept. 8.—Victoria took the series from Spokane by landing the second game of the double-header by a score of 2 to 1. Harham pitched almost perfect ball against the locals and deserved a shutout.

In the first game Spokane hit Narveson, and Fitzgerald hard and took advantage of the visiting pitchers' wildness to pile up a total of 14 to 6. Charley Swain established a new homerun record for the Pacific coast and Northwestern leagues by putting two hits over the fence and raising his total for the season to 32.

TACOMA, Sept. 8.—Superior pitching won two games for Vancouver from the Tacoma Tigers. The locals were turned back time and again with men on bases, while their pitchers weakened in the tight places.

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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Standing.

W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	86	.62
Venice	83	.78
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Sacramento	75	.74
Los Angeles	75	.82
San Francisco	76	.84
Oakland	72	.87

Yesterday's Results.
At Oakland—Portland 9-2, Oakland 2-0.
At Venice—Venice 2-2, San Francisco 0-9.
At Sacramento—Sacramento 5-4.
At Los Angeles—3-3.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—Portland won both games from Oakland, the morning game by a score of 9 to 2, and the afternoon game by a score of 2 to 0. This gives Portland an unbroken run of five victories.

The morning game was another slugfest like the games of the past two days, and as happened before, Portland did all the slugging, taking a total of 16 hits. Jost, Oakland's twirler, allowed five runs and eight hits and succumbed at the end of the fourth inning, when Lehman took his place. Krause, who pitched for Portland, allowed seven hits.

The afternoon game was a pitching contest between Ables for Oakland and West. Ables weakened in the ninth and allowed three hits that yielded Portland two runs. West allowed seven hits and Ables was touched for eight.

First game:

Portland	9	16	1
Oakland	2	7	2

Second game:

Portland	2	8	0
Oakland	0	7	1

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 8.—Los Angeles took a double beating in its farewell appearance on the local field and Sacramento took the series, four games to two. The morning score was 5 to 3.

In the morning game the Wolves batted Gregory out of the box in the fifth inning. Crabbe, who did the real work, was touched for three hits and one run. The Angels scored two of their runs in the first inning on a walk, two errors and a fluke hit. The third came when Ellis put the ball out of the lot in the third frame.

In the afternoon, with the score two-all in the ninth, two hits and a stolen base gave the Angels a one-run lead. But in the last half of the ninth Goodwin, who had driven in two of his team's runs, booted Stark's grounder; Moran drove a triple to center, tying the score and Shinn's single to left scored Moran with the winning run.

First game:

Los Angeles	3	6	1
Sacramento	5	14	4

Second game:

Los Angeles	3	9	4
Sacramento	4	8	2

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 8.—Venice wound up its series with the Seals by taking both games, making it six out of eight games. San Francisco could hit neither Ferguson nor Koestner and received a double coat of white-wash. Ferguson yielded two hits in the morning game which resulted in a 2 to 0 victory for the Gondollers and Koestner was touched for three in the afternoon engagement, Venice taking the last game by the same score. By the inability to score in either contest, the Seals made it 30 successive innings without a tally, including Saturday's game and a portion of the second game in Friday's double header.

Overall, who twirled the morning game, and Fanning, who was in the box in the afternoon game, each suffered his second defeat of the series.

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STAR FOOTBALL END STOPS HERE AWHILE

Stanley Borleske, all western football end from the University of Michigan and brother of "Big" Borleske of Whitman all northwest halfback and captain for two years, passed through the city yesterday en route to his home in Spokane after a three year's absence. He has been engaged in civil engineering work in Canada and Arizona since his graduation in February but will probably work in Spokane this winter. He has refused several flattering offers from various high schools of Oregon and Washington for coaching. Last year he coached Ann Arbor high school.

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FIGHT FOR BIRDS WON BY OREGON SENATORS

Chamberlain and Lane Force Reconsideration of House Bill on Importation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Protests by Oregon senators and declaration that they would not be bound by caucus action on the importation of bird feathers and skins resulted in prolonging the discussion well into the morning and eventually in forcing a reconsideration of the vote by which the house bill was amended in that particular.

100 AVIATORS TAKE PART.

MONTAUBEN, France, Sept. 8.—Small flocks of military aeroplanes steered by army aviators now are on the wing from every point of France to this center, where they will gather in a great swarm to take part in the autumn army maneuvers, beginning September 9.

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