

### GIANTS CLASH WITH PIRATES IN VITAL TEST

New York, Aug. 10—(AP)—Baseball's interests today were focused upon the opening of a four game series between the Pirates and Giants at Pittsburgh, which promises to go a long way towards settling the National League flag race.

Burdened by six straight defeats during the past week, the Giants yesterday turned the tables on the ambitious Reds, five to four, after an eighth inning rally which netted three runs. However, the victory was partly offset by an injury to Frankie Frisch, who hurt his hand again in trying to field a low throw to second base by Jerry Frisch which may be out of the game for some time.

As the Corsairs are leading the champions by four and one half games in the pennant chase, the McGraw club will be unable to pass them in the present series. The wildest hope of a comeback would be a clean sweep of the series, which even then allows the Pirates a margin of a half game lead.

However, Cincinnati has jumped into the thick of the fight, trailing the Giants by two and one half games.

The Reds are expected to hoop up in a series with Pittsburgh after the New York club.

Hank Gowdy, veteran Giant catcher, interviewed owners of the Columbus club of the American association yesterday. He is anxious for the managership of the Columbus team.

Rogers Hornsby increased his home run crop to 29 for the season by helping himself to two in the victories over the Phillies.

Two 12 inning games marked the events in the American league battle yesterday the Indians subduing the Senators, 7 to 4, and the Yankees dropping their fourth straight to the White Sox, 4 to 2. Babe Ruth was replaced by Bob Veatch in the eighth inning of the New York contest. The home run king is not feeling well.

### RED CROSS LIFE SAVER TO INSTRUCT SALEMITES

For the purpose of furthering the live saving program of the American Red Cross in Salem and its environs L. E. (Zip) Palmer, former University of Oregon man, will arrive Thursday, August 13th, remaining several days.

This word has been received locally by C. E. Albin, chairman of the Salem chapter of the American Red Cross. Mr. Palmer will confer with Albin and Georgia G. Pettit, executive secretary of the local chapter, to determine which local persons are to be named "examiners" in the American Red Cross Life Saving Corps.

### Religion Held to Be Spiritual Goal For Man's Satisfaction

By nature man is a searcher, declared J. J. Evans, pastor of the First Christian church of Salem in his sermon Sunday morning. Man is searching perhaps for gold, he said, perhaps for new lines of commerce, for the best things in the material world.

"He is also searching for principles to guide and motivate his actions. This spirit of inquiry is suggestive of his spiritual nature, his inward longing. The inner nature is natural and must be cultivated. It finds its satisfaction in religion.

"Religion is the intermingling of the human and the divine, man and God co-operating toward the highest results. It is the great balancer if properly used in life's experience. It serves to keep man steady and within the realm of justice, love, contentment, the modern man, Rev. Mr. Evans continued, needs just this force today. The complexity of modern life, he indicated, is one reason. "It is much more difficult to adjust ourselves to the varied environment today than to the former environment. Our neighbors are many families on the same floor; our business is not a single line, but a great department store. Political issues are not local; they are international. In the term 'social' we find another reason for religion. The term is a determinative one; it designates a man's place, his action, his service. It involves matters of brotherhood, wages, citizenship, community welfare—all relationships. Religion is the factor that gives equality to social service.

"The religious point of view is necessary because of the deeper study of life and the broader intellectual development of the day. Science, statesmanship, even religion itself, need the trust, religious spirit lest they become cold, selfish, formal.

"International problems are at heart religious problems. At least their solution will be found in the cultivation of religious principles as shown in the Christianity of Christ.

"Religion is the determinative quality of personality. Great characters have lost their place for lack of it. The small have become great because of it.

Preaching his sermon on the subject of "The Inner Debt," Rev. R. L. Putnam, of the Court street Christian church yesterday urged the members of his congregation to tithing for the church.

"There is a continuous debt of

honor man has failed to discharge," he said. "That is the obligation of honor we owe to almighty God and that which should have first consideration rather than last, as it so often does.

"Would a man rob God?" he asked. "What a horrible thought! Yet there are Christian people today who would shudder at the thought of robbing their fellow-men, who continue to rob God. How? In tithes and offerings. God could very well bring the same charge against his people today that he did in the days of Israel, for they continue to rob Him of His share.

"The tithe is the Lord's. He has a right to it as the sovereign owner of all. We own nothing. Our idea of ownership is pagan, not Biblical. 'The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof and they that dwell therein.' God is therefore rightful owner of all and has never passed title to another. At best man is only to have dominion and be a steward of God's possessions for life. What a different idea from that current today!

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The count was made on the Pacific highway, Columbia river highway, West Side highway, The Dalles-California highway, John Day highway Old Oregon Trail, Central Oregon highway, Oregon-Washington highway, Roosevelt Coast highway, La Grande-Wallowa Lake highway, McKenzie highway, McKenzie-Bend highway,

Willamette highway, Baker-Cannonville highway, Prineville-Lakeview highway, Turillatin Valley highway, Albany-Corvallis highway, Salem-Dallas highway, McManville-Tillamook highway, Corvallis-Newport highway, Coos Bay-Roseburg highway, Oregon Caves highway, Ochoco highway, Klamath Falls-Lakeview highway, Ashland-Klamath Falls highway, Crater Lake highway, Redwood highway, Mt. Hood oloop, Asean highway, Pendleton-John Day highway, Sherman highway, LaPine-Fort Rock highway and Cairo-Nyssa highway.

The total showed 863 horse-drawn vehicles, 672 motorcycles, 75,479 Oregon automobiles, 34,617 automobiles from other states, 6181 trucks of 1 1/2 tons or under, 3883 trucks of more than 1 1/2 ton capacity, and a grand total of 121,696 vehicles.

W. H. Balfie has been selected as principal of the Woodburn grade schools for the coming year. He formerly was rural school supervisor for the county.

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