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SCORES YESTERDAY

Coast League
Portland, 13; Vernon, 3.
San Francisco, 6; Oakland, 2.
Sacramento, 3; Los Angeles, 2.
Northwestern League
Portland, 8; Seattle, 1.
Aberdeen, 2; Vancouver, 0.
No game at Spokane—rain.

WHO HE IS—SID SMITH

Where He Has Played and How He Handles Himself

Sidney Ben Smith, playing manager of the Eugene Colts, was born in Marshfield, Coos county, some twenty-three years ago. More Coast leaguers and big baseball players have pawed the diamonds of the bush leagues of Coos county than in any other single part of the Northwest, so no friend of Sid's was surprised when he took to baseball on the Pacific Grove high school (California) team in 1902.

In 1903 he returned to his native town lots and showed his prowess in the little league of coast towns. Then he was persuaded by his parents to remove to Eugene, and readily came as they were paying the largest salary at that time. He immediately entered upon his career in the Eugene high school. When he was not playing baseball he planned and played basketball, and in that field he formed his first conception of being a manager.

In 1907 he played outfield on the University nine under Hugo Bezek. In that year he was the best baserunner on the team. In the spring and summer of that year he took the Springfield team into his care and put out the best team that the sawmill city has ever had, winning the Lane county pennant. The next season he longed for a little larger field, and played in the Tri-City league with the Vancouver team. He was picked on the all Tri-City team. Other players picked were White, Pender, Coleman and Fay. Smith played shortstop. He batted .416 and fielded .844.

This year Sid Smith and Jay McCormick are managing the Eugene Colts, and have not suffered a defeat in a regular game. Smith is now playing second base. His style is to make the easy ones good, and to show his dash in the pitches and in going after the hard ones. His dashing is best demonstrated on the bases, and he has no difficulty in getting on, for while a little man he always hits well.

As a manager Smith is popularly supposed to make money. But that is not due to short-sighted policy of playing poor teams or using poor

material. He has a large acquaintance among gball players, and if a position needs bracing up he does not hesitate to get the bracer. On that account, Eugene men have seen the best amateurs in the state play at different times, and the present team has the indication of being a winner.

Germans Will Fly

Frankfort-on-the-Main, July 8.—With elaborate ceremonies, the International Aeronautic Exposition was opened here today. Hundreds of dirigible airships of all varieties are on exhibition, and facilities will be offered to visitors to make trips in airships starting from the exhibition grounds.

On sixty days during the exhibition there will be races and other competitions of a sporting and military character. Experiments with aeroplanes will be carried out in a velodrome in the grounds.

Brother Joe Quits

San Francisco, July 7.—Jos Corbett, who attained fame in the baseball world as pitcher for the noted Oriole team, has been released at his own request by Manager Long, of the San Francisco team of the Coast League. Corbett complained that he is unable to regain the control that once distinguished his work in the box.

EUGENE VS. JUNCTION

Second Game Will Be Played Between Teams Sunday

Next Sunday the locals will again try conclusions with the crack Junction team, the only team that has made the local team really work to defeat so far this season. The score when the two teams met before was 4-3, and it is safe to say that the game Sunday will be just as close. Manager Moorehead says that his team will be greatly strengthened this time with Nichols, the crack pitcher, on the mound once more. It is safe to say that they will give a good account of themselves. Wager Brothers will constitute the local battery, while Paul Driver and Grover Kestley will again don white uniforms. The Willamette Valley Company has promised to have the roof on the grand stand by next Sunday, and with the help of the recent rain the grounds are in much better shape. The locals are practicing daily and expect a big crowd Sunday.

Japanese Team Coming

Manager Smith of the Eugene Colts announces that he is arranging a game with the Nippons, a Japanese

team recently organized in Portland, and which will make a tour of the coast. The Japs will be here about August 1.

ALMA ITEMS

(Special Correspondence.)
Alma, July 5.—Every one is busy cutting hay.
John Mohler arrived a few days ago.

Chester Bierce passed through this vicinity last Saturday.
We are very sorry to hear that Mrs. Pierce is again in a very bad condition.

Miss Belle Warner closed a very successful term of school on Friday, June 25, and left for Eugene the next morning.

Miss Ethel Pettit carried the mail Saturday. She is to be our future mail carrier.

Mrs. Alice Whitcomb went to Mound last Wednesday and brought home a load of supplies.

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