

ATHLETICS HOLD HALF-GAME LEAD OVER WASHINGTON

NEW YORK, June 15.—(AP)—The Athletics, who have been leading the American league since early in May, now have their backs to the wall. Only half a game separates them from the champion Senators this morning.

A crippled pitching staff and a batting slump cut into the margin to dwindle in the last two weeks. Washington and Philadelphia moved along for a stretch at almost the same pace, then the Senators spurred. With but a game and a half dividing them Saturday, the champions yesterday beating the Browns, 9 to 8 while Cleveland was shutting out the pacemakers.

Barry of the Indians gave the Mackmen their first out of whitewash this season, 3 to 0. He allowed only five hits, where three were by Lamar. Washington won the ninth, after rallies by St. Louis tied the score at eight all. Both David and Coveleskie were shelled from the slab.

A brush for sixth place in the American league between Detroit and New York found Cobb's margin in good pitching by Sam Jones. Five hits, bunched in the sixth, gave the Tigers all their runs as the Yankees were sailing into Ruff for 12 hits and eight tallies. Babe Ruth made his second home run of the season.

The Robins, with Vance pitching, broke the week old winning streak of the Reds in the National, 12 to 3. The St. Louis Cardinals kept up their fast pace by taking their third straight from the Phillies, 11 to 7, gathering 17 hits off three pitchers.

The Cubs took their third straight game from the Braves, 7 to 3, while the Giants and the second place Pirates had a holiday.

BASE BALL SIMPLIFIED BY BILLY EVANS

What are the rights of the fielder and the baserunner relative to a batted ball?

The fielder always has the right of way when making a play on a batted ball. He must be given clearance by the baserunner at all times.

If a baserunner in any way comes into contact with a fielder making a play on a batted ball, he creates an interference. For this act he is ruled out. No bases can be run on such a play, except to make room for the batsman who is entitled to first base.

The baserunner can run as wide of the fielder as he sees fit in order to avoid interfering with him, unless he should have the ball in his hand waiting to make a touch play on the baserunner.

The moment the fielder makes a play on the ball, the baserunner must remain within the three-foot lines in advancing. If he avoids the fielder with the ball in his possession ready to make a touch play he can be called out for running out of line.

However, as long as the fielder is in the act of going after the ball, the baserunner can continue his course as he sees fit, just so that he does not come into contact with the fielder or by his actions, if he runs in front of the fielder, obscure his vision.

Billy Evans Says

By BILLY EVANS In baseball there is a difference between the greatest player and the greatest natural player.

No doubt if a vote were taken as to who is the greatest player in the majors at the present writing, Rogers Hornsby would be out in front.

Ten years ago, perhaps five, that honor would have gone to Ty Cobb unanimously. Cobb, however, after 20 years of campaigning, is beginning to show the ravages of time.

While the old batting eye still appears to be as keen as ever, the legs have lost much of their power and the arm no longer can get the great distance that once characterized Cobb's throws.

If Rogers Hornsby was elected the greatest player by popular vote of fandom, I would still give the nod to the New York Yankees as the greatest natural player.

Bob Meusel has the physical assets to be as great a player as was Ty Cobb in his prime. Yet it is doubtful if Bob ever comes close to the crown once held by Cobb.

Hollis Huntington To Hold Position

Hollis Huntington is to be retained as athletic coach of Salem high school.

Merritt Davis, instructor in the commercial department of the school, recommended the about-face position taken by the students previously, when they insisted that school board pay the largest share of the coach's salary.

One reason for the change of attitude is said to be the assurance by members of the board that if, at the close of the school year, there is not sufficient money on hand in the student treasury, the board will tide the students over by advancing them the money until such time as they can replenish their fund.

Big Baseball Stars

Brynan Harris Born—Brownwood, Tex., Dec. 11, 1897. Pitcher, Philadelphia Athletics. Major League career—Purchased by Athletics from Houston club, Texas League, in 1919; reported price \$7500. (Tallest hurler in the majors, standing 6 feet, 6 in., and one of the thinnest.)

Outstanding feats—Won 11 games and lost 16 in 1921 with one of game's weakest teams. Pitched in 47 hits in 1922 and in 49 the following season. Fielded .976 in 1923.

Jump Record set



Justin Russell

Presenting Mr. Justin Russell, Chicago's great athlete, who established a new Big Ten record for the high jump at the annual classic last week. Russell got over the bar at 6 feet 6 inches, thus breaking the former mark of 6 feet 5 1/2 inches long up by Osborne, Illinois and Murphy, Notre Dame, in 1922. The effort also bettered the present eastern intercollegiate figure. Russell's a senior.

TROUT STREAMS IN LANE COUNTY OPEN

Under new rules of the state fish and game commission a number of streams in Lane county that have been closed to angling are now opened, according to copies of the board decisions received by Rodney Roach, deputy state game warden for Lane.

The following is the complete list of streams now closed:

Ritchie, Johnson, Trout, Driftwood, Granite, Indian, Gate, Martin, Deer, Emma and Quartz creeks, and Smith river, closed. Winberry creek and Gold lake closed. Tributaries of Horse creek, closed. Frank Brice creek, Layne creek, Rat creek, Wilson creek and Cedar creek, closed.

The deputy game warden is also calling attention to the new state law that requires women to have a fishing license. A few of these licenses to feminine anglers have been issued here since May 28 when the new law took effect. A new rule also provides that anglers must at all times have their licenses on their person when fishing. The former law provided only that the angler possessed a license whether he had it with him or not.

Coast League

Standings. W L Pct. San Francisco . . . . . 40 18 731. At Seattle 4-8, Portland 3-4. At Vernon 4-1, Oakland 5-7. At San Francisco 10-12, Los Angeles 8-6. At Salt Lake 12-9, Sacramento 5-5.

Yesterday's Results. At Seattle 4-8, Portland 3-4. At Vernon 4-1, Oakland 5-7. At San Francisco 10-12, Los Angeles 8-6. At Salt Lake 12-9, Sacramento 5-5.

The Referee

How long has Paul Berlenbach been fighting as a professional?—F. S. S. For the past 18 months.

What school has won the Big Ten track and field meet title in the most occasions of recent years?—G. T. H. Illinois, with four victories in the last five seasons.

What's George Sider's best record as a base-stealer?—W. A. C. In 1922 Sider swiped 51 base hits, his premier performance to date.

WOMEN BATTLE

PANAMA, June 15.—(AP)—Fight fans here were treated last night to the first pugilistic encounter between women ever staged in a Panamanian arena. The opponents were "Battling Rosa" of Colombia and "K. O. Maria" of Chile. Maria failed to live up to the implication of the "K. O." but was given the decision, 18 to 19, by punning the "battler" for eight rounds.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Medora Ann Callaway, deceased, by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon. All persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby notified to present the same, properly verified to him at the office of Wells & Wells, Bank of Commerce Bldg., Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, within six weeks from the date of this notice, the date of the first publication of this notice.

C. H. CALLAWAY, Administrator. WELLS & WELLS, Attorneys. No. 1832 Men-dy-leis

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County. Neva Gasper, Plaintiff, versus Harry Gasper, Defendant. To the Defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons in the Eugene Guard, which is published the first time on May 25, 1925. If you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will make application to the court to have the marriage contract now existing between you and her forever dissolved. The above named court dated and entered an order May 25, 1925, directing that this summons be published once each week for six successive weeks in the Eugene Guard and that you appear and answer the said complaint within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons.

H. F. SLATTERY, Attorney for Plaintiff, Post Office Address, Eugene, Oregon. No. 1830 Mon-dy-leis

News of Nearby Towns

Special Correspondence To The Guard From Various Live Districts In Its Field.

COTTAGE GROVE, June 15.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cummings motored from Ft. Collins, Colorado and are visiting Judge H. J. Sledge and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thoun, married sisters, and Mrs. Thoun is a niece of the Suttons.

Miss Ethel Duffy and Miss Elsie Smith motored down from Seattle and stopped off with the J. Q. Willis family Saturday night on their way to Grants Pass.

Miss Mary B. Rorer who taught the third and fourth grades last year on the west side and George W. Ayres were married last Saturday, June 6. They will reside in Seio.

Mrs. R. E. McNeal came up from Portland Saturday and is with her husband.

Donna May Blackford Bartell and Vera Scott went to Portland Saturday. Donna May will visit her mother, Mrs. Blackford and Vera will visit the Roy Smith family during the Rose festival this week.

Ralph Sherry returned Saturday from Portland.

Mrs. W. B. Johnston of Medford is visiting the H. A. Hagen family.

S. L. Godard returned home from Salem.

Many flings were displayed in Cottage Grove Sunday, June 14. Flag day.

Dr. H. W. T. and family and C. A. Bartell and family motored to the McKenzie and spent Sunday, Mrs. Wallace Martin of Chicago, Mrs. Titus' cousin, accompanied them.

Mrs. Charles Lucin came Sunday from Sacramento, Cal., and is visiting her cousin, James Perini.

C. E. Umphrey bought the Mrs. Louisa Ralston property on South Third street and Mrs. Ralston left Sunday for Dunsmuir, Cal., to make her home with her son, L. A. Ralston, and family.

D. C. Bosley will leave this Friday for Palo Alto, Cal., where his daughter, Hazel Virginia, will graduate from the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Meeks, Hugh Milligan and family, Nelson De Young and family, Harley Gates and family, and A. W. Swanson and family motored to the McKenzie pass Sunday when they ran into six feet of snow.

Cottage Grove won the baseball game played Sunday at Drain. The score was 6 to 3 in favor of Cottage Grove.

Albert Hellwell and brother Barton from Roseburg, have gone on a trip to eastern Oregon, for Mr. Barton Hellwell's health.

Jack Heager was brought home last Wednesday from O. A. C. suffering from a septic sore throat. He has recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelley, who have been visiting the Ray Baker family, left Saturday for their home in Vancouver, Wash.

Miss Ruth Bede left Sunday morning for Portland where she will spend the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Keating, Jr., attending the rose festival.

Mrs. Albert Hellwell and family are visiting Mrs. Hellwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith of Medford.

George Sweet and several other Orientals went to Portland Saturday to attend a meeting of the I. O. O. F.

L. S. Whittaker and niece Fay Whittaker from Westport, visited last week with the George Eastham family. Mr. Whittaker will return and look up a location in Cottage Grove. Mr. Whittaker is an uncle of George Eastham.

The John Veatch family went to Eugene Sunday for the baccalaureate sermon and the commencement exercises of the University of Oregon. Miss Sylvia their daughter, is graduating this year.

K. B. James returned Saturday from Baker where he has been looking after his ranch property.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Drake from Albany are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Rhodes and family.

Robert Nugley motored to Albany Saturday night returning Sunday morning with his father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McEneaney, for the Veatch picnic.

Mrs. D. C. Bosley went to Salem Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chambers and attend the jubilee meeting of the St. Paul Episcopal church which celebrated the lifting of the mortgage of the property.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Sherman motored to Yoncalla Saturday night and

DEERHORN

DEERHORN, June 15.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Larsen from South Dakota have come to spend the summer in Oregon. For the past two weeks they have been visiting at the Kaldore home. Mrs. Larsen is Mrs. Kaldore's oldest sister.

A very delightful afternoon party took place at the home of Mrs. W. C. Thielen on Tuesday, June 9 in honor of Mrs. Thielen's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Earl E. Thielen. Many little gifts were given her. Miss Dennis entertained the ladies with several readings and also music. Pretty flowers made the living room very attractive in vases about the room. Those who assisted Mrs. Thielen in serving refreshments were Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Cunningham. There were five baby boys present with their mothers. About twenty-six ladies were present. Those present were: Mrs. William Andrews and Mrs. Allen Andrews and little son of Eugene, Mrs. Yetta Swanson of Vida, Mrs. F. T. Elston, W. M. Elston, Mrs. Ira Elston, Mrs. Ira Jaham, Mrs. Frazee, Miss Helen Frasse, Mrs. John Hambl, Mrs. Charles Carter, Mrs. G. W. Ball of Leaburg, Mrs. Harry Thielen, Mrs. E. P. Ream, Mrs. Barney Oldfield, Mrs. Vincent Gillespie and Miss Ida Richardson.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Jane Meyers took place at the home at 11 o'clock on Wednesday, June 10. Rev. William Platt conducted the service and burial was in Mt. Vernon cemetery. Mrs. Meyers was the mother of thirteen children, 31 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Miss Naomi Lansberry played in the recital at the armory in Eugene yesterday.

COBURG

COBURG, June 15.—(Special)—The neighbors of the Woodcraft met at the I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday afternoon. The delegates who attended the Circle convention at Grants Pass gave their reports at the meeting and served ice cream and cake to the rest of the members.

Mr. Durkey who lives on a ranch east of Coburg, purchased the Pierce property here for \$1000.

Mrs. Clark returned home from Estacada Monday where she has been taking care of her brother.

Mrs. Winnie Allingham came home Wednesday afternoon from Plainview where she has been teaching school.

The members of the Christian church gave a reception Wednesday evening for their new minister.

JUNCTION CITY

JUNCTION CITY, June 15.—(Special)—C. B. Washburn left Wednesday for Fort Barty, Cal., for the annual encampment.

Rev. Mosher and family have moved into the Ray Hurlbut house on Laurel street.

Misses Alice and Dorothy Jacobsen are visiting friends in Sheridan. They expect to return home Sunday.

Alfred and George Baker of Minot, N. D., are visiting at the home of their uncle, A. C. Baker.

H. L. Polk and family who have spent the winter here have returned to their home in Minnesota.

Mrs. Alta Kleck, chief operator at the telephone office is having her annual vacation. Mrs. Lucile Mays is taking her place.

Hally Perry is here from Evanston Illinois, to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Perry.

Mrs. Ludwig Anderson is staying at the Carl Billup home.

Mrs. Frank Ballard left Wednesday for Axelia to visit at the William Stroder home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Reetz and family who have been here to attend the funeral of Mr. Reetz's father left today for their home in Camas valley. They were accompanied home by Mrs.

SANTA CLARA

SANTA CLARA, June 15.—(Special)—Clara Miller and Gretchen Bond have finished their year's work at O. A. C. and are home for vacation.

Anna Hart is spending a part of her vacation visiting with her sister, Mrs. Carl Caley in Portland.

Sam Nathaniel has returned here. Mr. and Mrs. Homer J. Rowling, of Detroit, Mich., arrived Tuesday to visit a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rowling.

The Thimble club will meet Wednesday afternoon, June 17, at the home of Mrs. G. K. Fry. New officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Everyone enjoyed the supper and stereoscopic views at the church Friday evening. After the services the young folks charivariated Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chapman at their home on the Sims place.

Mrs. Elizabeth Abbey has sold her farm and expects to leave soon for Washington.

Mr. Loyd Emery, high school principal, has left Santa Clara to spend his vacation with his sisters.

Dorothy Wells of Redding, Cal., is visiting with E. R. Danner and family and other relatives in this section of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Campbell took the teachers' examination in Eugene this week.

Katherine Fry is among the university high graduates this year. Miss Fry finished the course in three years with excellent grades.

Mr. Myers, "The Old Trapper" who lived in the community several months, two years ago, returned last week and took up his abode near the river again.

Miss Grace Dragoon, sixth grade teacher at the Geary school, closed her years work Friday.

Those who were conditioned in the state examination in May took them again this week. Mrs. Richardson, the seventh and eighth grade teacher, gave the examination.

A family from California have moved into the O. E. Ardit home.

CAMP CREEK

CAMP CREEK, June 15.—(Special)—Gravel hauling has been resumed since the rain stopped.

Ray Smith, Hugo Brinn, William Ruth, Bob Stephens and Albert Simmons were business visitors to Eugene the first of last week.

Saturday evening, June 6, about 45 young people ranging from one year to 65 assembled at Ray Smith's and enjoyed an old fashioned play party. Refreshments were served and a fine time was the verdict of all.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Santa Clara were visitors here last Monday.

Grain and hay prospects are better here than for a good many years, a bumper crop is the verdict of all. Gardens are looking fine except corn which owing to cool weather is not making much growth.

SAGINAW

SAGINAW, June 15.—(Special)—Harry Henston and Welden Cornutt left Friday morning for Laurel, Wash.

Mrs. O. H. Koch, who was ill for several days, is improving. The condition of her little grandson, Dennis Koch, remains about the same.

Rudolph Campbell left Thursday

IRVING

IRVING, June 12.—(Special)—The road work is progressing nicely now. The finishing work of the grading is completed nearly to Irving and they are filling in with crushed rock. There is to be a 32-foot bridge built across the slough south of the school house, the lumber for the bridge is on the ground and work has been started.

The school at Irving closed last Friday. The school dinner was served by the mothers.

Mrs. Dorcas of Eugene visited Monday in the home of the daughter, Mrs. J. G. Grimes, and family.

R. G. Robinson's mother from Colorado is here visiting with her son and family.

Miss Susie Hochaday is spending a few days in Eugene as guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dorka.

Master Tingley Champie of Medford, Ore., came Monday and stayed over two days visiting with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hochaday. His parents motored on to Portland, returning on Wednesday.

WENDLING

WENDLING, June 13.—(Special)—A son was born Friday, June 12, 1925, to Rev. and Mrs. Bailey.

Another honor to our superintendent. He is now Grandpa Nielsen, as a little girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Watts Tuesday, Mrs. Watts was Miss Genevieve Nielsen.

John Purcell is a delegate to the grand order of Masons meeting in Portland this week.

Leland Walker of U. of O. is visiting relatives, preparatory to leaving for Camp Lewis June 14.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Howard June 7.

Mrs. Edd Bowen and daughter are visiting relatives.

Charlie Bruce who was injured by the explosion of fire extinguisher last week is now back on his job.

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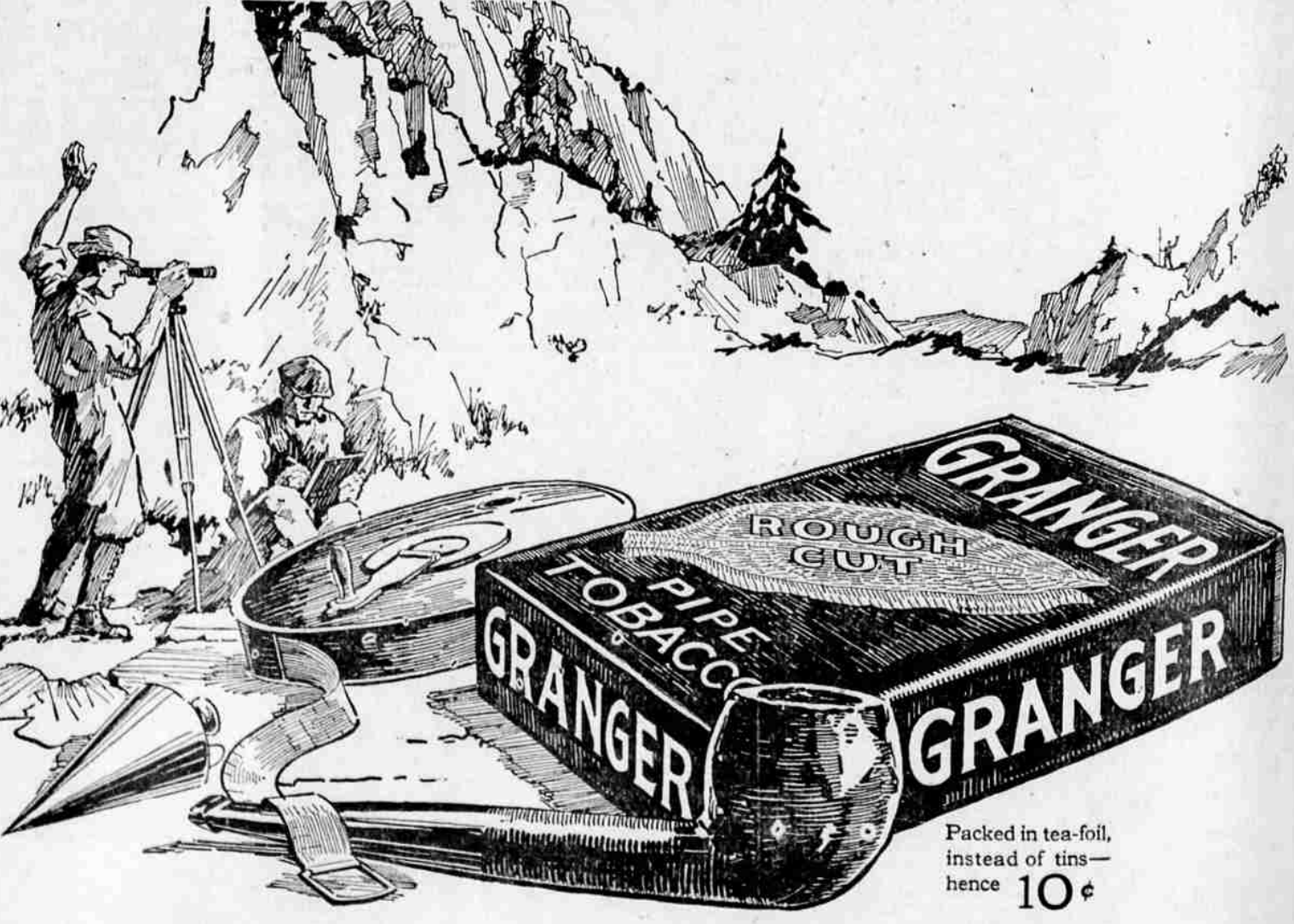
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