

IN THE REALM OF SPORT

GIANT HURLERS SLAPPED HARD BY BURLY CUBS

Three Pitchers Rapped For 14 Hits in 9 to 2 Win

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Just by way of proving that they were not down hearted at the temporary loss of Charley Grimm, the Cubs slapped three Giant pitchers for 14 hits at the Polo grounds yesterday to win 9 to 2 as the Pirates submitted to their daily cuffing by the furious Philhies. The net result of these proceedings was to increase the margin of Mr. McCarthy's Bruins to ten and one-half games, a tidy margin even with the regular first baseman nursing a fractured left wrist.

Physicians and surgeons announced that Grimm's fracture, even though on his throwing arm, might not keep the regular first sacker out for more than three or four weeks.

McCarthy placed young Clarence Blair, the Little Rock recruit, in temporary charge of first base, but dispatched a hurry call for Charlie Tolson, optioned to Los Angeles by the Cubs last spring. He is not considering Chicken Hawks of Reading, and denies he ever thought of seeking George Sisler of Boston in one of those "waiver" deals which some clubs know how to engineer late in August.

Charlie Root presided over the obsequies at the Polo grounds, giving the Cubs their third victory from the Giants in four games.

Harry Smythe of Asheville won the Philly victory with Phil Collins. The score was 10 to 9, giving Burt Shotton's boys four straight over Bush's men.

All the rabbit blood was extracted from the ball, they used in Brooklyn yesterday, and Young Chase Dudley pitched the home team to a 1 to 3 triumph over the Cardinals, who thus fell below the .500-mark. Dudley scattered six hits, while Clarence Mitchell permitted Del Biondette to single in a first-inning crisis which yielded the game's only run.

The Braves divided a double header with the Reds, winning the first game by 7 to 1, and permitting the visitors to edge out the second by 8 to 7. The Braves thus remained in the cellar, which they now hold by a margin of two full games under the rampaging Philhies.

The Athletics surprised American league circles by dropping a series to the Browns yesterday through the medium of losing the final game by 7 to 5, but the Yankees permitted the White Sox to win by 4 to 3, leaving the standing of the first two clubs unchanged. The A's lead by twelve games.

Young Wesley Ferrell stopped the Senators cold with his second successive four-hit game, the Indians winning by 3 to 1. It was Ferrell's fourteenth victory.

Detroit slammed Bays and Carroll hard to win the finale from the Red Sox by 13 to 2. This was the winner.

Old Stars Seldom Go to Ball Games



By AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher N. Y. Giants)

What becomes of old ball players after their playing days are over?

McGraw used to say: "They become three things, bartenders, policemen or those guys that open doors in front of clubs."

Many become farmers, after buying up land with their earnings during their playing days, and others go into almost every sort of business.

A most peculiar thing about retired players is that unless they are employed in baseball, they lose all interest in the game. Cy Young, Larry Lajoie, Hans Wagner and many other great old stars seldom go to a ball game. Jimmy Slagle wasn't seen at a Cub game for years and years. Cobb seemed to lose all interest in the game there at the last when he was about through at Philadelphia. Now he has gone off to Europe, and misses the pennant races.

It's hard to explain why the veterans lose interest in the game the minute they are through as players. Perhaps they don't like to be reminded that never again will they be out there raking out the basehits as of old.

AUGUST 22, 1913
Sixteen years ago today Howard Drew ran 120 yards in 11 4-5 seconds at Providence, R. I.

All cats acted like kittens before they got married.

PARASITE WORM ATTACKS FISH AT ELK LAKE

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 22. (AP)—Its shores strewn with dead fish as the result of an attack by parasite worms, Elk Lake, near Bend, one of the most popular fishing centers in the state, was closed yesterday by combined order of the state game commission, the United State bureau of hatcheries and the state board of health.

Several persons were reported to have been taken seriously ill after eating fish caught in the lake before the epidemic set in.

Officials of the game commission said they had never heard of parasite worms attacking fish in northern waters. They declared the worm is not uncommon in the tropics.

Matt Ryckman, state superintendent of hatcheries, investigated the lake August 13, and with P. E. Lyles, local man stationed at Bend, decided worms were the cause. Fishermen were kept off the lake by posted notices, but hereafter will be kept away by strict orders.

Ryckman said fish affected by the parasite may prove extremely harmful to humans if the fish are not properly cooked. All species of fish are affected in the lake.

No method of combating the worms has been discovered, Ryckman said, but all the dead fish are being collected and burned. The lake was scheduled to close to fishermen September 10. It opened April 15.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S BALL GAMES

(By the Associated Press)

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	2	10	2
Portland	7	10	1
Oakland	10	16	1
Hollywood	7	9	0
Sacramento	6	14	1
Mission	5	9	3
(11 Innings.)			
	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	3	10	2
Seattle	4	9	1

SIMMONS RESTS LIMBS

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 22. (AP)—Al Simmons, Athletic outfielder, has been granted permission by Connie Mack to visit his home in Milwaukee for a few days.

"Al's legs have been troubling him," the manager explained, "and a few days rest will be a good thing for him."

Walter French, in left field for Simmons, played football at West Point.

Portland Ducks Put Pep In Coast Pennant Race

(By the Associated Press)

The second defeat for San Francisco in this week's series with the Portland Ducks in the northern city enabled the Los Angeles Angels to retain a half game lead over the Pacific coast league clubs yesterday. The Los Angeles club was beaten by the Seattle Indians in the Redskins' camp. Portland by its victory forged into third place to tie with the Hollywood Stars.

The Ducks scored their tenth consecutive victory by winning from the Seals. The score was 7 to 2. The Seals nicked Roy Chesterfield for two runs in the first when Coleman clouted a homer with a runner on base. Each team bagged ten hits.

Sacramento's Senators staged another surprise party for the Mission Reds at Recreation park, defeating the home boys 6 to 5 in an 11 inning game.

Almada Day, Indian first base-

man, was credited with having won the game from the visiting Los Angeles club. He smacked out a homer in the second with one on, singled in the ninth to bring in the tying run, and scored from third for the winning marker when Peters threw four balls in a row.

Hefty hitting on the part of Ernie Lombardi, Oakland catcher, figured largely in the Oaks' 10 to 7 victory over the Hollywood Stars.

Lombardi accounted for two home runs, a double and a single in five trips to the plate, and his team scored five runs with the aid of his batting. Hollywood staged a seven run rally in the seventh inning, but the Oaks had piled up too much of a lead in the early innings.

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DAVE GETS NOD
OAKLAND, Cal., Aug. 22. (AP) — Dave Shade, California's middleweight title contender, won a 10-round decision here last night from George Dixon, Portland negro. It was a vicious battle, with a clever boxer and damaging puncher matched against an aggressive slugger. The slugger won the second round but the boxer took the rest. Shade weighed 158 1/2 pounds, Dixon 157 3/4. Nine thousand people paid approximately \$15,000 to see the fight.

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