

SPORTS DONE BROWN

By Norman E. Brown

The Pittsburgh Pirates have John McGraw with his back to the wall.

The little Napoleon now faces the battle of his career to hold the National league championship—his by right of conquest for four long seasons.

Until a few weeks ago the New York team seemed to be the class of the league. McGraw's leadership was given credit for pulling what seemed to be an egg shell team through many tight places without disaster. But apparently McGraw's master mind cannot overcome all the shortcomings of his once great team.

For one thing McGraw has been unable to mold a regular, smooth-working pitching staff out of his motley crew. Art Neff, dependable and a winner for years, has failed to hit his stride. McGraw hasn't been able to replace him. The veteran Hugh McQuillan was counted on for "one more good year." He has flitted.

McGraw has had but one pitcher who has hurried consistent ball. He is John Scott—the man who was tossed out by the Reds several years ago because he had a bum arm and was "done."

McGraw has done wonders in shifting his infield about to fill gaps left by wholesale injuries, but there is lacking in this makeshift infield the unity of action and precision that a championship inner defense should have. George Kelly, first baseman by birth and inclination, has been playing second for all he is worth, but he is not a star. The loss of Frankie Frisch at times has been a body blow. Frisch is the mainpring and field general of the infield.

Meanwhile the Pittsburgh team has found itself.

Bill McKechnie has the pitching. He has the best batting team in the league. And he has an all-around fielding aggregation. What more

does a team need to win the pennant?

That the Pirates are masters of the league is indicated by the fact that they turned back the Giants five out of the first seven games. Four of those five defeats were administered in a row.

It looks tough for John J. McGraw right now.

Speaking of the Giants. Last year, when they needed one more game to win the pennant for the fourth consecutive year, they hammered Jimmy Ring, ace of the Philly pitching staff, all over the lot. This year they apparently still have Jimmy's number. He managed to win one game out of the first five he pitched against them. Jack Bentley beat him the first time. The second time the Giants went into the game with the score 3 to 2 against them and batted Ring out of the box and won the game. The third time out Ring won his game. The next two times he proved wild and ineffective.

Zack Wheat, new manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, has made a big hit with the Brooklyn fans right off the bat by the successful way he has handled the team. He has stolen Uncle Robbie's stuff by proving a brainy man at handling pitchers. Under his direction Petty, Grimes, Vance, Osborne and Hubbell delivered a total of five straight wins. A clean sweep of a series with the Giants also was pleasing to Brooklyn fans.

Wheat is living up to the expectations of the wily old Uncle Wilbert.

Meanwhile, Robinson, freed of the weighty task of directing the team's play, is like the motorman with a day off. He is on the bench every day, same as always, just because he can't stay away.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—The Quins nipped the Phillies in a ten inning game today. A home run with the bases full by Cy Williams in the tenth fell short of tying the count. The score was 7 to 6. Blake pitched fine ball, fanning 19 Quakers. Decatur also worked well until the final frame when a Cub attack which yielded five runs drove home to the showers.

Score— R. H. E.
Philadelphia 7 11 2
Pittsburgh 6 10 2
Batteries—Blake and Gonzales; Pearce and Wilson. 10 innings.

BOSTON, July 18.—Boston and Pittsburgh split a double header here today and the odd game in five game series went to the Braves. Pittsburgh won the first game 9 to 8, but Boston came back in the second and won 2 to 1, although it took 11 innings to do it.

First game— R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 9 14 2
Boston 8 17 5
Batteries—Yde, Kremer, Gooch; Cooney, Ryan and Seimar.

Second game— R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 1 6 1
Boston 2 9 0
Batteries—Morrison and E. Smith; R. Smith and Gibson. 11 innings.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The Giants lost more ground in the National league pennant race today when Luque of the Reds blanked them, allowing only five hits, the visitors winning, 3 to 0. Greenfield, McGraw's sensational rookie lost his second game of the season.

Score— R. H. E.
Cincinnati 3 10 2
New York 0 5 1
Batteries—Luque and Wingo; Greenfield, Bentley and Snyder.

BROOKLYN, July 18.—Arthur Reinhart, a southpaw recalled by the Cardinals from Syracuse, let the Robins down with four scattered hits, and St. Louis won, 4 to 1. Bottomley and Shinn hit homers.

Score— R. H. E.
St. Louis 4 12 2
Brooklyn 1 4 2
Batteries—Reinhart and O'Farrell; Hubbell, Goechger and Taylor.

COAST LEAGUE

SACRAMENTO, July 18.—The Senators made the series certain here today by defeating the Oaks, 6 to 4.

Score— R. H. E.
Oakland 4 9 1
Sacramento 6 19 3
Batteries—Delaney and Read; Shellenbach and M. Shaw.

LOS ANGELES, July 18.—The Los Angeles baseball club scored its fifth straight win from the Portland Beavers here this afternoon, with George Payne on the mound. The score was 5 to 2. The Angels clinched the game in the sixth inning when Leverenz, Beaver pitcher, became wild and allowed four runs.

The Seattle pitching staff badly crippled last both games of a double header to Seattle here this afternoon.

Mitchell was touched hard in the first game but went the distance. The score was 12 to 7.

In the second game Demeyer and Brower let in 13 runs after which Geary held the invaders to three more runs, Seattle winning 14 to 9.

First game— R. H. E.
Seattle 12 18 3
San Francisco 7 12 4
Batteries—Naylor, Dumovich, Lucas and E. Baldwin; Mitchell and Agnew.

Second game— R. H. E.
Seattle 16 22 2
San Francisco 9 18 6
Batteries—Stryker and Daly; Demeyer, Brower, Geary and Yell.

SALT LAKE, July 18.—Salt Lake made it four games out of five today in the series with the Vernon Tigers, winning 19 to 7 after landing 10 runs in the 5th.

Score— R. H. E.
Vernon 7 7 1
Salt Lake 19 25 3
Batteries—Barfoot, Ludolph and Schang; Mulcahy and Cook.

DETROIT, July 18.—The Tigers took the first game of the series from New York today by staging a seven run rally off the veteran Urban Shocker and Herb Pennock. The score was 7 to 3.

Score— R. H. E.
New York 3 5 2
Detroit 7 7 1
Batteries—Shocker, Pennock and Bengough; Stoner, Holloway, Doyle and Bassler.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Everybody in the White Sox line up made one or more hits today in Chicago's victory over the Boston Red Sox 19 to 2. Mostil stole three bases, making his season's total 33.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—

Harding Memorial Progress Is Told



Progress in the Harding Memorial plans is reported by Hoke Donithen.

HOW THEY STAND

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
McCloud	6	2	.750
K. F.	5	3	.625
Yreka	5	3	.625
Weed	5	3	.625
Dunsmuir	2	6	.250
Mt. Shasta	1	7	.125

Blankenship drove out a home run in the eighth, sending in two men, ahead of him.

Score— R. H. E.
Boston 2 9 4
Chicago 10 12 1
Batteries—Ruffing, Nienhauer and Bischoff; Blankenship and Schalk.

CLEVELAND, July 18.—Goose Goslin, Washington outfielder almost caused a riot here today when he jumped on Pitcher Bert Cole, spikes first, when Cole covered first. Goslin was banished from the game and when walking out to the dugout several fans threw pep bottles at him. None found their mark. The Senators won 19 to 6.

Score— R. H. E.
Washington 19 24 6
Cleveland 6 11 0
Batteries—Gregg and Ruel, Severid; Buckeye, Cole, Speese and Sewell.

MIDLAND

MIDLAND, July 18.—Arthur Shalmire of Miller Hill district was calling on Miller Island Wednesday. Edgar Fruber, prominent rancher of the Island, was a Klamath Falls visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. E. A. Shalmire and family of Miller Hill spent Sunday evening in Klamath Falls.

Otto Anderson was a business visitor in the county seat on Wednesday.

William Tingley was a Klamath Falls visitor on Wednesday.

The ranchers of Midland district are busy haying and harvesting their crops the past week.

Mrs. J. D. Hooper and family spent Wednesday in the county seat. Ernesto Zamborine was a caller on the island Wednesday.

Mrs. Edna Flower was in Klamath Falls Wednesday purchasing supplies for the Midland store.

Frank Gray of Lower lake district was a Klamath Falls visitor Thursday.

Matthew Delfatti and son Peter, a prominent dairyman and rancher of Midland, was in Klamath Falls on business Thursday.

Mrs. Lee Sutton was calling at the home of Mrs. Neil Nelson on Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Nelson and family of Klamath Falls was visiting her sister, Mrs. Neil Nelson on Midland road Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sutton and son James were county seat visitors on Friday.

Mrs. Harry Davis and daughter was shopping in Klamath Falls on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robustell, a rancher and dairyman of Midland, were county seat visitors Friday.

KENO

KENO, July 18.—Aaron Moore spent a few days this week at Four Mile lake fishing.

John Taylor had the misfortune to get his arm caught in the machinery while operating at the power plant Thursday. He was taken to the doctor and his arm dressed.

There are no bees here. Wounds are very bad. Mr. Broyles has the hands are very bad. When he had his child. Charles Broyles is this week for Thomas. The Havali brothers inched their first crop. George Kerns ranch ready to begin blading crop on their ranch. Vern Puckett and Kitty Puckett and drove to Central point to attend church service. There are two families in the books at the and one family caring lettuce. The lettuce are fine crops. The lettuce ready for market. Mrs. Thomas Moore the sick list this week. Mrs. Kitty Puckett and Ethel are visiting Puckett's camp for a

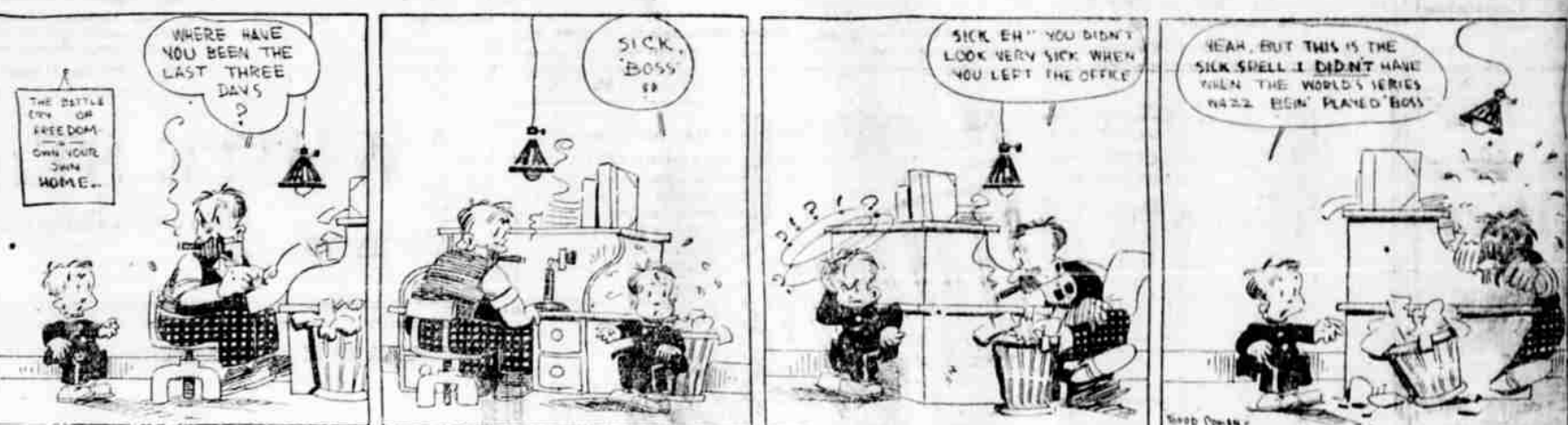
A circulation covering Klamath Falls and the Klamath—that's the Klamath.

FAMOUS FANS

GETTING A LOOK OUT OF THE ANTICS OF A NICKEL NURSER WHO HASN'T BOUGHT A PAPER SINCE THE SPANISH WAR



IN OUR OFFICE



BRINGING UP BILL



BILLY'S UNCLE

