

Pelicans Expect To Topple McCloud Out Of First Sunday

PELICANS MEET LEAGUE LEADERS HERE SUNDAY, WITH ELMER STREET ON DECK AND MOHLER IN RESERVE

Pelican Board of Directors Endorse Fred Glover To Pilot Team For Remainder of Season; Team Is Still A Real Contender For S-K League Pennant

What's all this crepe hanger gossip that the Pelicans are doomed to land at the bottom of the league? The scrappy little outfit has a wonderful opportunity to capture the pennant with only one obstacle—the turbulent Weeds.

Things never looked more encouraging for the Klamath team than the present time—and that, with the league leading McClouds due to arrive here Saturday night for a fracas at the fair grounds with the Pelicans Sunday afternoon. The dope is that the Pelicans will go into a tie for first place Sunday, and that dope is about right.

Why? Well, for the first time there will be two pitchers of merit that will pepper in fast and cloudy ones into the McClouds. Street promised Manager Glover early this week that he would be on the job with the Pelicans Sunday. Street will start in the box with Mohler in the outfield ready to take up where Street left off—if that is necessary—but the chances are it won't be necessary. Lack of good pitching because of the skeleton staff of them has been the club's one real drawback.

Johnson, a new outfielder will be seen in the game. An O. K. came from the league president yesterday afternoon, permitting the new Pelican to join the flock. Doc Noel will be unable to play Sunday.

At a special meeting of the board of directors held last night, Fred Glover, manager of the Pelicans was given the backing of the directors. Glover, who has created three and four hours a day in the team and the hundreds of dollars that fall to a club manager, was heartily endorsed. Glover has neglected his business to devote his baseball success in Klamath Falls. He has done this without a cent of pay and a lot of abuse by some of the fans. When the Pelicans turn in a victory he is patted on the back, and when they lose they all want to lynch him. Managing a bush league baseball team has its pitfalls, and Glover is deserving of no little amount of credit for keeping the team in the race, despite many obstacles. The following resolution was passed by the board of directors:

Resolution
WHEREAS, Fred Glover, manager of the Klamath Falls baseball team, has devoted practically all his spare time to the baseball team without salary, managed a team during the 1925 season that was organized in a few days, kept the team in the pennant race, and used the best judgment backed by the captain of the team, during the season's games;

WHEREAS, the directors of the Klamath Falls team of the Siskiyou-Klamath league are willing to accept any constructive but not destructive criticism;

BE IT RESOLVED, That Fred Glover has the backing of the board of directors for the remainder of the season, so long as he continues to show the unselfish interest and devotion as well as the best of his ability in managing the club. The team is well on its way to a pennant, despite the fact that other teams in the league have been organized for years past and the Pelicans had no material to start with.

Glover has made mistakes, as the manager of any ball club, winning or otherwise have done. They have been mistakes of the head and not of the heart, and were in a time when the judgment worked toward defeat rather than victory. But, which only the breaks in baseball decide. Despite the fact the club has made a remarkable showing and is still a strong contender.

The job of manager is a thankless one and Glover deserves the support of the fans for doing as well as he has, despite criticism.

Klamath Falls Baseball Club Directors.
O. R. LORENZ
L. F. CRAWFORD
J. W. McDONALD
B. L. COOK

There was one dissenting vote cast.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

First game— R. H. E.
New York 3 11 0
Boston 6 12 0
Batteries—Bentley and Gowdy; Cooney and Rehn.

Second game— R. H. E.
New York 5 12 1
Boston 3 11 1
Batteries—Greenfield and Snyder; Graham, Genewich and Gibson.

Score— R. H. E.
St. Louis 2 8 1
Pittsburgh 3 8 1
Haines and O'Farrell; Yde and Gooch, Smith.
Only games played.

GREB WINS FAST TEN ROUND BOUT

COLUMBUS, Kas., July 23. (United News)—Harry Greb, middleweight champion, won a newspaper decision over Billy Brittin in their ten-round bout here tonight.

The match was fast and interesting. Greb won the last eight rounds, the first going to Brittin, and the second was classed a draw.

This was the first contest in celebration of the new boxing law in the state by the legislature at its last session.

Big League Leaders Toppled By Cellars

NEW YORK, July 23. (United News)—Two of the very worst teams in the major leagues, knocked the two league leaders out of their top positions Thursday. The Braves broke even with the Giants in a double bill, thus putting the Pirates again ahead in the National league. The Yanks, home after their most illustrious western trip in years, defeated the Senators, placing the Athletics back at the top in the American circuit.

The Giants at Boston faced Johnny Cooney on the mound for the Braves. Bentley pitched for the New Yorkers. During the sixth inning Bentley broke, giving 5 hits and five runs, the game ending 6 to 7.

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
McCloud	6	3	.667
Weed	6	3	.667
Klamath Falls	5	4	.556
Yreka	5	4	.556
Dunsmuir	3	6	.333
St. Shasta	2	7	.286

SPORTS DONE BROWN

By NORMAN E. BROWN

If "Rabbit" Maraville, recently named pilot of the Chicago Cubs, succeeds in lifting that outfit from second division to a threatening position in the National league race, the stove league boys next winter can wage many a tobacco strenuous battle over the question as to whether the Rabbit or the new strength acquired by the club in the closing days of the Killifer regime was mainly responsible for the reversal of form.

After the team began to go to pieces, thanks to injuries to Maraville, Grigsby and half a dozen others, Killifer began scouting for material to bolster the weak spots. He recalled Clark Pittenger from the coast, where that energetic one had been sent when Maraville recovered. Louis Freigan, young third sacker, was obtained from the Cards in a trade. Johnny Brooks, who has proved to be a home-run hitting outfielder, was purchased from the Columbus A. A. team at a fancy price and another likely looking youngster, Art Jahn, was grabbed from the Flint, Mich., team in the Michigan-Ohio league.

Mike Gonzales, veteran and wide traveled catcher, was obtained from the Cards, and Tom Griffith, veteran outfielder of the Brooklyn Dodgers, was acquired.

Freigan is playing the game expected of him in the infield. It is still a mystery to me why the Cardinals ever let him go.

Mike Gonzales is a good catcher, and is helping out. "Mandy" Brooks started with a rush. He hit five home runs in one week. So far the indications are that he will not be a flash in the pan.

Pittenger, tried out in the big show a couple of times before the Cubs got him, seems ready to play in a big league infield.

Jahn is a youngster—just a brilliant prospect.

Now, one or two brilliant youths can make a pennant winning team out of a fair ball club. The life they add as well as their playing ability

COAST LEAGUE

First game— R. H. E.
Los Angeles 1 6 0
Salt Lake 2 10 2
Batteries—Payne, Crandall and Spencer; Sandberg; Kallio and Peters.

Second game— R. H. E.
Los Angeles 5 14 2
Salt Lake 3 16 2
Batteries—Glazner, Phillips, Crandall and Sandberg; Halvey, Single.

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PHIL ROSENBERG RETAINS TITLE BY KNOCKOUT OVER

Terrific Battle Put Up By Eddie Shea But Lops of Rosenberg Prove Too Much For Rosenberg Lands K. O. In 4th

By Westbrook Pegler

RING SIDE VELODROME, New York, July 23.—Charley Phil Rosenberg, seventh bantamweight champion in a five year period, the frantic charge of Eddie Shea, an Italian like the late George Hackenschmit on a reduced they came head to head in the Velodrome ring day night.

Rosenberg caught Shea on the chin with the fourth round and knocked him into a dusty carpet. Shea lay there throughout the full seconds, who were somewhat tardy in retrieving the floor needed half a minute more to retrieve.

Shea had been down 3 times before that. He went flat twice in the third from right slams that caught him just behind the ear, but did not take a count either time and was giving Rosenberg plenty of employment as the bell caught them at the end of the round. In fact, Shea was so busy trying to chop holes in the champion's middle with half swings of both fists that he failed to hear the bell and almost caused a riot by slugging away at Charley Phil after the chimes had sounded.

Terrific Blow

In the fourth round Rosenberg surveyed Shea for a right slam at the teeth and let him have it with all the enthusiasm in his thick young frame. Shea flopped on his shoulder blades, but came floundering to his feet after a count of seven, his eyes glazed and with gore oozing down his chest. He was out on his feet, but he had shown such wild ferocity in returning the fight after two knock downs in the previous round that Patsy Haley, the referee decided not to stop it. Shea was helpless now and he wobbled half way across the ring trying to summon himself for one more charge to take the offensive away from Rosenberg. He was still trying to collect himself when a left

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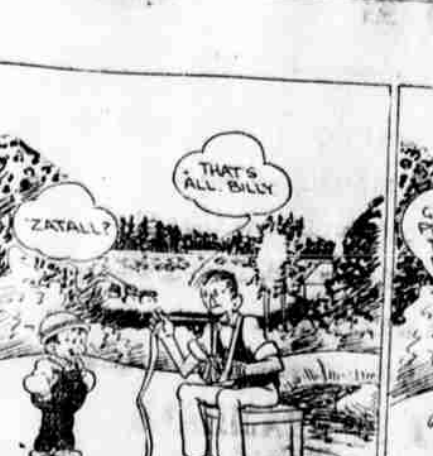


BRINGING UP BILL



by JACK FARR

BILLY'S UNCLE



THAT'S ALL, BILLY

WELL - I GUESS IT'S PRETTY HARD TO FOOL A FISH-POOD!