

Farewell Local Game Of Pelicans Season Played Here

HIGH POWERED AND REJUVENATED McCLOUD TEAM TO BATTLE LOCALS

California Teams Anxious To Keep Pennant In Siskiyou County And Strengthen Team Accordingly; Mohler Opposes Sliger

The fair grounds ball lot is red hot with action this week. It will continue to be until Friday night, when the Pelicans take their last workout before what promises to be one of the greatest ball games in the history of the city—from a viewpoint of importance.

It will be the farewell game of the season on the local field. Furthermore, that crippled crew of McCLOUD ball players who put up such a miserable excuse of a ball game here a month ago, has been strengthened. And that to no little degree.

Evidently the northern California teams are determined that Klamath Falls, the only Oregon team in the league, and a newcomer at that, shall not have the pennant.

As evidence of this, word came from McCLOUD that Jimmy Coon, the star first baseman of the league, with the possible exception of Bert Arnold, has been released from Dunsmuir, and will don a McCLOUD uniform on the initial sack. That boosts the McCLOUD stock about 25 per cent right there.

Hammond, H. N. Moe, County Agent C. A. Henderson, Ross Aubrey and T. W. Newcomb were present at the meeting.

COAST LEAGUE

Score—	R. H. E.
Vernon	12 13 0
Seattle	2 8 5

Batteries—Barfoot and Whitney; Dumovich, Miljus, Ramsay and Baldwin. Vernon made 10 runs in 11th.

Score—	R. H. E.
Salt Lake	7 12 3
San Francisco	17 19 1

Batteries—Kallio, Stroud, O'Neill, Corambe and Peters; Mitchell and Akin.

Score—	R. H. E.
Sacramento	4 10 5
Los Angeles	7 8 1

Batteries—Keating, Confield and Elica; Root and Sandberg.

First game—	R. H. E.
Oakland	2 7 4
Portland	3 4 1

Batteries—Pruett and Byler; Meeker, Stokes and Tobin.

Second game—	R. H. E.
Oakland	2 9 0
Portland	2 8 0

Batteries—Kunz and Read; Racheac, Burns and Hannah.

TODAY'S STANDING

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE			
Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	55	43	.664
Salt Lake	76	53	.589
Seattle	72	56	.562
Los Angeles	70	61	.534
Portland	61	63	.492
Oakland	55	73	.430
Vernon	49	81	.377
Sacramento	44	84	.344

A paper where all the people have opportunity to express themselves if they desire—that's The Klamath News.

SPORTS DONE BROWN

By NORMAN E. BROWN

As matters stand now John McGraw must limp through the remainder of the current season with a one-armed pitching staff, so to speak. For at this writing Art Nehf, the only really dependable, consistent southpaw the team has boasted in the years of its reign, seems to be incapacitated for some time.

True, McGraw has Bentley, but the big fellow seems to do his best only against one or two teams. He has yet to win his tenth victory. It is to be hoped that the trouble with Nehf's arm isn't one that will end his pitching days. He is, however, old enough to become susceptible to sore arms and it may be that his inactivity now will mark the end of his big league career.

He has been in the big show 11 years and with the Giants seven. He joined the Beavers from Terre Haute in 1915, the year after George Stallings had performed his miracle feat with the Hub team. Art had rosy visions of collecting a slice of series melon; his very first year up. History, however, relates how Pat Moran and his Phillies threw things out of joint in the league the next campaign.

It took Art two years to get his bearings and then, in 1917, he stepped out and won himself 17 games while losing only eight. The next year he broke even with 15 victories and defeats and after he had won a few the following year, 1919, the Giants grabbed him at a reported price of \$55,000.

He wound up that campaign with a total of 17 victories and 11 defeats. In 1920 he won 21 games—the best mark of his career, and lost only 12.

His victories in 1921 played a big part in the winning of the first of the four pennants in a row for McGraw. He hung up a .667 average that year, losing only half as many games as he won.

In 1922 he fell one short of his winning record of the previous year. He lost 13. The last two campaigns he won 14 and 13 victories and lost 10 and four.

In the four-year reign of the team he, therefore, contributed 66 victories and but 37 defeats. In the four world's series that followed the victories of the Giants Nehf won a total of four games—one a series. He pitched some of the most heart-breaking ball that has ever marked a world's series, however, working in a total of 10 games and fanning 25 men in 76 innings. He lost two games in the opening series in 1921 and one each in the following three.

And as Coorsen continues to do his bit the passing of Steve O'Neill, his battery mate for many a year, is chronicled. The Yankees, in their rebuilding and revamping process, have given the aged receiver his unconditional release.

This probably means the end of Steve as far as the big leagues are concerned. But if he fails to return he can call this measure of fame enough for a lifetime. He must be ranked as one of the greatest catchers the game has

ever produced. One of the most durable as well as one of the brainiest.

And he stands by himself in the matter of blocking runners at home plate.

Steve's legs are a mass of scars, in spite of the armor he wore, as a result of his intrepid work in checking would-be scorers at home. Steve met 'em coming in—usually on his knees. Crouched in front of the plate, right in the base runner's path. Steve would wait for the ball. Having tucked it in his mitt he would drop to the ground and let the runner esume into him standing, spikes first, or any other way the base runner chose. No sidestepping.

Pans got as big a kick out of it as they do these days out of seeing sluggers drop the ball out of the lot.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Score—	R. H. E.
Chicago	9 2 0
New York	2 7 1

Batteries—Lyons, Crenshaw, Connelly and Schaik; Pennock and Bengough.

Score—	R. H. E.
Detroit	2 9 3
Boston	7 11 1

Batteries—Doyle, Carroll and Woodall; Ross, Elmke and Heving.

Score—	R. H. E.
St. Louis	2 10 1
Philadelphia	5 9 1

Batteries—Giard, Danforth and Hargrave; Quinn and Cochrane. Cleveland at Washington, rain.

PIRATES AGAIN TURN BACK GIANTS IN BATTLE FOR PENNANT

Old Jack Quinn Wins Again For Athletics; Herb Pennock Blanks Whites While Sliger Opposes Sliger

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 12.—(United News)—The New York Giants, once famous as a very able ball team, were again defeated by the Pirates Wednesday, and had to play in Pittsburgh before dragging their way to New York badly defeated in their tour of duty. The defeat Wednesday, 5 to 3, set the Giants just 5½ games to the rear of the Pirates, who a few years ago, the Giants were seven games ahead in August, but beat out the Pirates for the pennant. This time, however, they are badly crippled, and they are getting no better fast.

Harry Greb Scores K. O. in Second Rd. Over K. C. Irishman

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 12.—(United News)—Harry Greb of Pittsburgh, world's middleweight champion, scored a technical knockout over Pat Walsh of Kansas City, in the second round of a scheduled 10 round battle Wednesday night before 12,000 spectators at the national stadium grounds.

After knocking Walsh to his knees three times in the second session Greb uncorked a crashing right swing to the jaw that sent Walsh staggering to the canvass. He swayed to his knees and then fell over on his back as seconds tossed a towel through the ropes, ending the fight after one minute and five seconds of round two.

Greb outfought and hammered Walsh about the ring in the first round, jolting him with rights and lefts at will.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Score—	R. H. E.
New York	3 12 1
Pittsburgh	5 10 1

Batteries—Barnes, Fitzsimmons and Snyder; Yde and Gooch.

Score—	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	6 12 3
Cincinnati	1 3 2

Batteries—Ehrhardt and Taylor; Ritzy, May and Wingo.

First game—	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	2 8 2
St. Louis	9 16 2

Batteries—Decatur, Knight and Henline; Rechart and O'Farrell.

Second game—	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	4 11 3
St. Louis	8 14 0

Batteries—Cook, Pennington, Dyer and Schmitt called account on.

A boomer by McGraw and Klamath Falls climate industry. Klamath News.

FAMOUS FANS



Migratory Stable Men Dealt Blow By County Fair Board

"Migratory horsemen" whose strings are not sufficiently fast to earn enough money for their upkeep, suffered a blow at the hands of the fair board yesterday.

In the future, according to the new plan adopted at the meeting, owners of stock must pay a weak in advance for box stall or housing space in the livestock pavilion. An order was handed the superintendent of grounds empowering him to enforce this rule.

The new edict, officials said, is in line with practices on standard tracts and other fairgrounds whose upkeep is self-supporting.

At the meeting space was allocated the various exhibits in the main pavilion and the northern end of the grandstand.

Vendors of kewpie dolls, blankets and like articles are to meet with little favor in the future. It was voted to bar those concessions which, in the words of the board, "that in the past have added nothing to the attractiveness of the fair nor met with public approval."

The sandwich, candy, popcorn and other small concessions will be rented for a flat rate of \$15 with the exception of eating stands furnishing meals which will be priced at \$25, each payable in advance.

Arrangements will be made for a canning demonstration of club girls and, during certain hours of the days, Mrs. N. E. Woodhouse, of Merrill, will advertise the grade of honey produced in the section of which she is a resident.

Premium ribbons were ordered at the meeting, and several changes for the more expeditious handling of show animals were arranged.

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BRINGING UP BILL



A MATTER OF LOCATION



by JACK FAIRK



BILLY'S UNCLE

