

WEED AND KLAMATH BOTH AFRAID TO RISK PENNANT HOPES ON GAME

1925 Flag Lies Dormant When Two Directors Fail To Reach Agreement On Deciding Game; Many Fans Dissatisfied With Action Taken

Officials of two baseball clubs—Klamath Falls and Weed—fought it out for the pennant yesterday afternoon by telephone. After 14 calls had been exchanged it resulted in a 14-inning tie. In other words, Klamath Falls and Weed are and will be forever tied for the 1925 pennant, because the Pelican management will not accept a 50-50 division of the purse strings at the game scheduled for Weed next Sunday.

There was loud woff woofing of the leaders of both clubs. There were concessions, acceptances and rejections. There were many ifs and ands exchanged.

After all the smoke had cleared, the conversation simmered down. "No hard feelings," said the Weed manager.

"Oh, no, everything is perfectly all right. No strained relations, or anything like that," the Klamath Falls official stated to the Weed mogul.

And Pelican fans, who have boasted the club all year, and have been anxious to see the pennant decided one way or the other, yesterday saw the pennant split in half. Instead they will, some of them, see a neutral team, Bend, winners of the Central Oregon league, come down here to play a two-game series, Sunday and Monday.

Both sides had favorable arguments. Weed refused to come to Klamath Falls under a \$300 guarantee. Klamath Falls demanded a \$200 guarantee from Weed, but Weed would only concede a 50-50 division of the gate receipts.

Yreka made a bid for the game, offering each club a \$250 guarantee. Weed, it is reported, rejected this offer.

And so, the Siskiyou-Klamath league is closed with Weed and Klamath Falls sitting on the top of the fence looking daggers at each other, but both afraid to mix it in a battle that would result in one of the two being knocked off the top perch.

WASHINGTON SENATORS VIRTUALLY HAVE CINCHED A. L. 1925 PENNANT

Even Little Sammy Gray Is Batted Out Of Box By Mighty Washingtonians And Athletics Lose Eighth Straight Game

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—The Senators virtually cinched the American league pennant here Wednesday, when they defeated the Athletics, 8 to 5, thereby sweeping the abbreviated series and boosting their margin over the Mackmen to five and one-half games.

Sam Gray, the undaunted little pitcher, whose work this year has kept the Athletics on top of the percentage column most of the season, was knocked out of the box in the second inning. Rommell and Walberg were battered about by the fast-moving Senators. Baumgartner alone, escaped.

The collapse of the Mackmen seems to have been complete. Their defeat today was the eighth straight. In the last 15 games they have won but two.

The Philadelphia Athletics snapped out of their three weeks' lethargy, in the seventh inning of their game with Washington Wednesday. But it was too late in the game, and probably too late in the season.

The Athletics had lost seven straight games, the last one to the first-place Senators, whom they are trying to dislodge. And then they cloaked out five runs in two innings Wednesday, but the Senators already had run up six, and the game was lost.

Philadelphia now trails Washington by five and one-half games, and virtually has erased herself from pennant consideration.

The Ruth-less Yanks defeated Boston again 4 to 2. It was the ninth defeat of the year for the Red Sox.

While Pittsburgh was pushing over the weakening Cincinnati Reds 8 to 2, and thereby increasing the Pirates' lead over the Giants in the National league, to eight and one-half games, the self-same Giants were making league history, and wholesale comedy at Philadelphia.

Smarting under a 6 to 3 defeat by the Phils in the first game of their double header, New York went wild in the after-piece and hammered out 24 runs off 30 hits. The Giants made nine runs in the sixth inning alone. The game ended 24 to 9.

Boston beat Brooklyn in the only other game in the league, 4 to 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

First game— R. H. E.
New York 4 10 2
Philadelphia 6 9 3
Batteries—Greenfield, Dean, Wisner and Snyder; Ring and Wilson.

Second game— R. H. E.
New York 24 30 6
Philadelphia 9 14 2
Batteries—Fitzsimmons and Devine; Decatur, Betts, Pearce, Knight, Carlson and Wendell.

Score— R. H. E.
Brooklyn 2 9 2
Boston 4 7 2
Batteries—Petty, Osborne and Deberry; Cooney and O'Neil.

Score— R. H. E.
Cincinnati 2 12 0
Pittsburgh 8 13 1
Batteries—Donohue, Brady and Hargrave; Morrison and Gooch.



This is the fate of Sammy (Swede) Olson, who will meet Earl Ritchie in the headliner at the Scandinavian hall Saturday night. There will be 30 rounds of boxing. The fighters are working out daily afternoon and evening at the Scandinavian. Visitors are welcome.

Babe Ruth May Be Returned To Game By Next Saturday

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—(United News)—Babe Ruth may be back in the Yankee line-up next Saturday, penitent and eager for a chance to work hard in the afternoon, and then go to bed early at night.

The Babe appeared in the Yankee club house before Wednesday's game with the Red Sox and asked to be permitted to get into a uniform and practice. Manager Huggins refused the request, but told his biggest drawing card that if he would telephone Friday night, he, Huggins, probably would be ready to reinstate him.

It is believed that Ruth will be back at work on the ball lot Saturday. But it is understood the \$5,000 fine which was assessed against him for "leaving the club" when he was indefinitely suspended, will not be remitted.

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COAST LEAGUE

Score— R. H. E.
Los Angeles 10 12 0
Seattle 5 8 1
Batteries—Jacobs, Hughes and Ennis; Hasty, Ramsey and Daly.

Score— R. H. E.
Salt Lake 4 9 3
Oakland 7 8 2
Batteries—Piercy and Cook; Pruitt and MacDonald.

Score— R. H. E.
Sacramento 4 7 2
Vernon 5 8 1
Batteries—Pillette and Ganning; Scheilenbach and Shea.

First game— R. H. E.
San Francisco 4 8 2
Portland 3 5 2
Batteries—Williams and Yello; Burns, Stokes, Hollingsworth and Tobin. 10 innings.

Second game— R. H. E.
San Francisco 7 12 0
Portland 8 11 1
Batteries—Geary, Crockett, Moudy and Agnew; Yarrison and Hannah.

Nationalization Of Coal Industries Is Suggested

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 2.—Suggestion for nationalizing the coal industry and a statement attributed to operators that mine workers averaged \$1,936 a year in wages, were bitterly attacked and refuted by John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, in two statements issued Wednesday.

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