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BUTTE'S GREASED THE SLIDE AGAIN - PORTLAND'S MAKE A STRENUOUS ATTEMPT TO WIN OUT.

Pacific Northwest League. Played. Won. Lost. P. Ct. Portland 28 18 10 .643 Seattle 32 20 12 .625 Butte 32 17 15 .531 Spokane 31 14 17 .451 Tacoma 33 13 20 .394 Helena 30 11 19 .367

There's nothing like a bunching of your hits, hits. If you want to play a clever game Of ball, ball, ball! With a little bit of nursing Of your wits, wits, wits— Why, the best of 'em can't Beat you out at all, all, all.

Then it's bat 'em up and bat 'em down, And smash the ball away; Say, the Buttes are getting to be terrors— If you don't care what you say.

The Buttes have struck their stride and are playing the game. Again yesterday they put the Portland contingent on the s. ling scale and won the most interesting and hardest played game so far witnessed on the home grounds.

There was no relaxation on either side and both teams played ball every minute throughout the nine innings. They of the web feet and slate colored uniforms fought stubbornly in an effort to pull out the winner in an uphill game, which assumed that aspect in the first inning when the Buttes made two runs.

Threatened With Shut-Out. For seven innings the visitors failed to score, and it looked as though they were going to draw one of those choice packages known as a "shut-out."

Several scattering hits in the seventh and eighth innings netted two runs, and more were threatened. Nothing but snappy fielding upon the part of the Butte team prevented Portland from tying the score in the eighth.

It was not until Butte scored two runs in the ninth inning that the spectators returned to an atmosphere of reasonable confidence that the home team was out of the woods.

It was not of these heart desecrating games from start to finish where every heat was a race and the spectators sat in the anxious seat every time a player went to bat.

Eliminating the first inning when Hawley was a bit wild, he made a star performance, holding the Portlands down to five scattering hits.

Frequently during the game the visitors got uncomfortably close to the home plate, but good playing smattered with luck on the part of the Buttes interposed.

Despite the fact that a hit landed upon Witbeck with a total of 11 hits, they found his delivery pretty deceptive. He made a strenuous effort to win his game, and to prevent the present leaders in the pennant race from the chagrin of losing two straight.

The attendance yesterday was light, the grandstand and bleachers being sprinkled by less than 400 persons.

Score by innings: Butte 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 2-5 Portland 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0-1

SUMMARY: Sacrifice hits—Hawley, Marshall, Stolen bases—Houtz, Ward. Two-base hits—Marshall, Kane, Witbeck, Treadway. Bases on balls—Off Witbeck, 4; off Hawley, 4. Passed ball—Van Buren. Double play—Zearfoss to Ward. Wild pitch—Witbeck. First base on errors—Portland, 4. Three-base hits—Houtz, Deisel. Struck out—By Witbeck, 3; by Hawley, 4. Left on bases—Butte, 7; Portland, 8. Time of game—One hour and 45 minutes. Attendance—406. Umpire—Colgan. Weather—Cloudy.

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY. Pacific Northwest League. Tacoma, 5; Portland, 2. Tacoma, 4; Spokane, 3. Helena, 3; Seattle, 1.

National League. Pittsburgh, 5; Brooklyn, 0. New York, 6; St. Louis, 1. Boston, 3; Chicago, 1. Cincinnati, 12; Philadelphia, 0.

American League. Cleveland, 5; Philadelphia, 4. Baltimore, 9; Detroit, 3. Chicago, 5; Boston, 2. Washington, 9; St. Louis, 8.

Western League. At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 1; Peoria, 1. Called at end of fifth; darkness. At Des Moines—Des Moines, 3; Omaha, 6.

College Games. Walla Walla, Wash., June 13.—Everett, 5; Walla Walla, 3.

Portland, Ore., June 13.—Monograms, 11; Stanford, 7.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. National League. Played. Won. Lost. P. Ct. Chicago 40 25 15 .625 Philadelphia 41 23 18 .561 Boston 43 23 20 .535 Detroit 40 20 20 .500 St. Louis 40 20 20 .500 Baltimore 43 20 23 .465 Washington 43 19 24 .442 Cleveland 44 17 27 .386

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Tacoma Lands Yesterday. Tacoma, June 13.—The Tigers won again today by superior playing although the fielding of both teams was ragged at intervals.

Spokane's three runs all came off errors coupled with timely hits. Features of the game included two double plays, one by Fisher unassisted and the other by Esley unassisted.

TACOMA. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Letcher, cf. 3 1 2 1 1 0 Hutchinson, lb. 4 0 1 6 0 1 Andrews, 2b 3 0 1 1 1 2 J. McCarthy, ss. 4 0 1 2 3 0 Murdock, c. 3 2 2 5 0 0 Swindells, e. 4 0 0 6 0 0 Fisher, 2b 4 0 0 5 1 0 Starkells, rf. 4 1 1 1 0 0 D. McCarthy, p. 4 0 1 0 3 1 Totals 33 4 9 27 9 4

SPOKANE. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Howells, lf. 5 1 1 1 0 1 McLaughlin, cf. 4 0 1 3 0 1 Reitz, 2b 5 2 2 0 4 1 Eley, 1b 5 0 1 4 0 0 McKeever, rf. 3 0 1 1 0 0 Donahue, 3b 4 0 0 1 2 0 Frary, c. 3 0 1 4 2 0 Kelly, ss. 3 0 0 3 1 1 Kostal, p. 4 0 0 0 2 0 Totals 36 3 7 24 13 3

Score by innings: Tacoma 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 0-1 Spokane 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 0-3 Batteries—D. McCarthy and Swindells; Kostal and Frary.

SUMMARY. Struck out—By McCarthy, 4; Kostal, 1; bases on balls off Kostal, 4; McCarthy, 1; Balk McCarthy; wild pitch, McCarthy; stolen bases, Eley; two-base hits, Letcher, 1; Hutchinson, Frary; double plays, Fisher, unassisted; Eley, unassisted; Donahue, to Eley; left on bases, Tacoma, 5; Spokane, 7; time, 1:45. Umpire, Cunningham. Attendance, 2,200.

Helena's Have a Stride. Helena, June 13.—In the best game of the season yesterday Helena won the second game of the Seattle series. It was a pitcher's battle and Thompson, steady at critical times received excellent support. McGilgan's lone error not being costly. Hurley's error at first was responsible for one of Helena's runs.

The base running of the visitors was the feature. Dalrymple made a heroic effort to steal home when two men were out in the seventh. It was on Hickey's third strike and Hickey was fanned out just as Dalrymple touched the plate. Mullane refused to allow Dalrymple to score and the player attempted to assault the umpire. Dalrymple was fined \$5 and put on the bench. Pitcher Hogg received word today of the death of his father in Pueblo, Colorado, and will leave for that place tonight. This materially weakens Dugdale's team.

SEATTLE. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Hurley, 1b 4 0 1 11 1 1 Babbitt, ss 2 0 0 2 1 0 Schwartz, 2b 4 0 0 2 1 6 Hurliart, cf 4 0 0 2 1 0 Stoval, rf 4 1 1 1 0 0 Stanley, c 4 0 0 5 0 1 Dalrymple, lf 3 0 1 0 0 1 Campbell, 3b 4 0 2 0 4 0 Hickey, p 3 0 0 2 3 1 Harmon, lf 1 0 0 0 0 0 Totals 33 1 7 24 16 3

HELENA. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Shafer, 1b 4 1 2 11 0 0 Peoples, 2b 3 0 0 1 3 0 Flannery, cf 3 0 0 2 4 0 Sullivan, rf 4 0 1 1 0 0 Partridge, lf 4 0 0 1 0 0 Keefe, c 3 0 0 5 2 0 Schmeer, ss 2 0 0 2 2 0 McGilgan, 3b 3 0 0 0 4 1 Thompson, p 3 2 2 2 2 0 Totals 32 3 7 27 13 1

Score by innings: Seattle 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-1 Helena 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 8-3 Batteries—Hickey and Stanley; Thompson and Keefe.

SUMMARY: Stolen bases—Schwartz, 2; Campbell. Two-base hits—Dalrymple, Sullivan. Wild pitch—Hickey. Bases on balls—Off Thompson, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Peoples. Struck out—By Thompson, 4; by Hickey, 4. Left on bases—Helena, 4; Seattle, 6. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Mullane. Attendance, 1,500.

LEAGUE GOSSIP. Now watch the Buttes climb. Manager Flannery of the Helena team is making strenuous efforts to have Rebsamen reinstated and is negotiating with President Lucas to that end. It was represented to Lucas that Rebsamen had jumped a contract with the Rock Island, Ill. club, and on a statement to this effect issued by Secretary Farrell of the National association of professional baseball league, the player was put out of the game.

Rebsamen, however, claims that he has jumped no contract, and that the Rock Island management is working out its spite on him for not signing again this year. Rebsamen has been temporarily farmed out to Salt Lake.

Umpire Mullane is having his troubles in Helena. Dalrymple of the Seattle team became exasperated in yesterday's game and made an attempt to assault Mullane. He was fined and put on the bench.

Both the Seattle and Tacoma teams are crippled by the loss of pitchers. Vignaux, the clever catcher and captain of the Portlands, will be in tomorrow's game. Engle, one of the best pitchers in the league, will probably pitch for the visitors, while Roach, Butte's new man will officiate on the slab for the locals.

SPORTS

JACK WADE BOOKED TO MEET CLIFFORD

The announcement was made today that Jack Wade of Butte and Jack Clifford of Salt Lake have been matched for a twenty round contest to take place in Helena, July 2.

Wade confirms the report but says that the final details of the match have not as yet been made.

"While it is true that I have not been in the best of health for a month," says Wade, "I am all right again. This time I will train in Boulder, and mean to train faithfully for the match. I expect to get Flynn from Salt Lake to work with me."

"It is true that I was in bad condition

when I met Clifford in Salt Lake. I am confident that I can beat Clifford easily. Since I lost to him I have had several opportunities to take on other men but I made up my mind to reclaim myself with him first."

It is understood that there will be no opposition made to the fight taking place in Helena.

Clifford will likely train in Butte for the contest. Late this afternoon it was given out that there was a possibility of the fight being pulled off in Butte. It is understood that Wade can get backing to the amount of \$500 that he can beat Clifford.



TAKING HIM DOWN THE ELEVATOR.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

As previously announced in these columns, Willie Hoppe, the 13-year-old boy billiardist, known in the Northwest as the "Boy Wonder" will visit Butte. He is due to arrive here about June 20. He has just completed an engagement in Seattle, where he made a big hit. He will give a series of exhibitions at the Elk pool and billiard room here.

"Kid" Fredericks and Larry Gleason are to meet for the fifth time this year on June 26, at Rossland, B. C. These men are in the lightweight division.

Perry Queenan and Jimmy Britt box 20 rounds for the lightweight championship of the world at Seattle, August 20.

Jimmy Anthony the San Francisco bantam champion, writes the Inter Mountain as follows: "Ed Thompson, the 135-pound champion of Australia, who is now under my management, challenged the winner of the recent Brito-Lavigne contest, but his deli elicited no reply from Britt. I am ready to match Thompson against any lightweight in the Northwest providing a sufficient financial inducement is offered."

Anthony in his letter mentions the decease of Peter Moloney at Melbourne, Australia. The deceased was a great prestralian in his day and captured the Botany Bay handicap. Moloney trained Dan Creedon, Tom Tracey and other antipodean boxers for their engagements in the land of the Southern Cross.

A crowd of college students attended the recent Broad-Corbett fight at Denver, and when Corbett was declared the winner they yelled Rah, Rah, Rah! Then Broad walked

over to the gang and shook hands with them, thinking that they were referring to the referee's decision.

Speaking of the charges that his fight with Broad was a fake, Young Corbett says: "I have never been in a fake fight in my life and never will go into one. How they can figure that the Broad fight was a fake is more than I can see. That fellow got about \$1,500 as his end of the purse and if I had given him all I made out of the fight, about \$2,000, he would have had \$3,500. Now, if he could whip me by wading in, he would not have hesitated a minute about doing it, as his manager boasts that he could have made \$25,000 in six months in New York city if he got that decision. There never is a fake where the man on the long end of the betting lays down."

"No club will intimidate me in the matter of selecting or discharging umpires," declared President W. H. Lucas of the Pacific Northwest Baseball league. "Whenever a change is necessary I will make it myself and not till then. If Portland was running the league it is probable Mullane would not stay, but Portland is not running the league. We must have discipline on the ballfield. That is our stock in trade. Mullane was perfectly right in sending Vignaux out of Sunday's game."

Helena, June 13.—Stigle, Helena's new pitcher is pronounced by Charles Schwartz, captain of the Seattles, to be one of the best players in California. He played with Los Angeles last year and distinguished himself both as a pitcher and batter. He arrived yesterday, as did Hannivan, the new fielder.

There will be a meeting of the amateur league in the near future.

The team of Anaconda is composed of young McHale and the team is comprised of baseball players too and don't you forget it."

Klopf is for Sale. Tacoma, Wash., June 13.—Manager Dugdale of the Seattle Baseball club is said to be willing to sell the clever third baseman, Gus Klopf. Bad feeling exists between them, and Klopf was left at home during the Seattle club's Montana trip. Dugdale is not willing, however, to let Klopf go to a strong team of the Pacific Northwest league.

Baseball Team Charters Train. Red Lodge, June 13.—Arrangements have been made to charter a special train Sunday to carry the Black Diamond baseball team and 200 rooters to Billings, where a game of ball will be played.

GREAT SUBURBAN IS ON TOMORROW

GOLDHEELS PREDOMINATES AS THE FAVORITE—BULLMAN WILL RIDE SHIELDS' ADVANCE GUARD.

New York, June 13.—Owner Aleck Shields has engaged Jockey Bullman to ride Advance Guard in the Suburban handicap tomorrow. The horse is in great shape and is regarded as an important factor in the race. It is expected that about eight or ten horses will face the barrier. The smaller the field the better it will be for Advance Guard. Wonderly is likely to ride Goldheels, the favorite, and Shaw or Burns will be on Blues. O'Connor will ride Reina, winner of the Brooklyn handicap. Green Morris may send Homestead and Old England to compete in the American derby at Washington park. He has engaged Bullman to ride Old England in the event. Mr. Featherstone has concluded to start Arsenal, winner of the Metropolitan, in the American. Trainer Bauer will ship the colt to Chicago next Tuesday, and O'Connor will ride him. Hermes, the Zeigler candidate, will be shipped to Hawthorne. The stewards of the jockey club, acting on the report of the stewards of the Brooklyn jockey club, have refused James Hogan, trainer of Jack McGinnis, a license, and ordered that the entry of the horse be refused. The officials felt that the horse was drugged when he ran away three miles with Jockey Redfern last week.

Lexington, Ky., June 13.—W. S. Payne of Mapleton stud has sold to A. Featherstone, owner of Arsenal, Reina and other cracks, the famous brood mare Carmencita, by Day Star, for \$4,000. Carmencita is the dam of Spencer, Rieff, Deyo, Andy Williams and Jake Webber, all winners.

Charles F. McMeekin, Oakwood stud, today sold to J. E. Cushing at private terms a bay yearling colt by St. Florian.

George Odom, who was riding Cervera when that horse fell and broke his leg on the opening day at Gravesend, was asked if he could describe his sensations when the horse was falling under him. Odom has had three or four falls and ought to be able to keep tab on the sensations experienced.

"I don't know just how to explain it," said the famous rider. "You go so quickly that you really don't have time to think. It is all like a bad dream. The first sensation you have is that something inside of you has gotten loose and has flopped up into your throat. You can't cry out. You know you are falling. You want to scream, but something inside clogs your throat and your scream is only a gurgle.

"Then comes the impulse to throw yourself clear of the horse. No matter how fast you fall, there is always time to thrust your feet from the stirrups. Once clear you feel a sort of gladness that you won't be tangled up. All this time you are falling, you begin to get dreamy and wish that the yellow earth in front of you would hurry and swallow you in its depths. You feel tired and want to lay down and rest. Then comes darkness. That is when you hit the track, I suppose. You know nothing more until suddenly the darkness becomes gray. You see misty figures. You hear strange, faraway sounds, as if some one was calling from a distance, and you are vexed that you cannot hear. You wonder what country you are in. Everything seems so weird and strange. Then a loud voice close at your ear says, 'He's coming around!'

"Your eyes open and you look on strange faces. A twinge of pain suddenly brings everything back to you. The fall, the cause of it, and then you feel fear for the first time. You feel that perhaps you are mortally hurt and anxiously scan the faces of the crowd. That is about all, I guess. It isn't pleasant, by any means," said the rider with a smile, as he walked away to mount Tehula, on which he won a few minutes later.

Montana Jockey Club Races.

The Butte track is at its "fastest" stage, and no ill-luck intervening, a three-furlong world's record is likely to go glimmering on Friday next (Miners' union day), when the Montana Jockey club will give six interesting races. Among the likely starters in the various races of that afternoon might be mentioned Josie Gibson, Judge Thomas, Silver Dick, John Boggs, Glendinning, Kitty Kelly, Matt Hogan, The Singer, Porous, School for Scandal, Hurtle, Abba L., Patsy Dolan, Budd Wade, Valenciennes, Hagerdon, May W., Sir Dougal, Byron Rose, The Fog, Rio Shannon, Wolhurst, Mildred Schultz, Ben Leal and Farizade. Besides the three-furlong handicap spoken of there will be decided a four-furlong race for maiden 2-year-olds, a five and a half furlong selling race for 3-year-olds and upward, a five-furlong handicap for 3-year-olds and upwards, a six-furlong handicap for 3-year-olds and upward and a seven-furlong selling event. The fields are certain to be large and the races of the most thrilling description. Admission, \$1.00; ladies free.

FASTEST SPRINTER IN THE WORLD

RESUME OF THE CAREER OF ARTHUR DUFFY WHO LOWERED WORLD'S 100-YARD RECORD.

Arthur Duffy, who recently broke the world's record for the 100-yard dash in the Intercollegiate games, and who is the greatest short distance sprinter that ever lived, first made a reputation back in 1896 when he was attending Georgetown University in the District of Columbia.

At that time Duffy was only 18 years of age, but it seemed an easy matter for him to make the 100 yards in 10 seconds flat. He competed in the annual games of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association for several years, never failing to clip the 100-yard dash in even time.

In 1898 he went North and in the fall of that year equaled the world's record for the hundred yards in Philadelphia. The time was 9 4-5 seconds.

Since then Duffy has competed in track contests many times in England, France and America. He always won and he never failed to equal the world's record. It was his one absorbing dream to break this record, a feat that no man who ever lived before was able to do.

Last week, however, his dream became a reality. One remarkable thing about the race was that the other competitors beat him off the mark several yards and yet the Georgetown lad overtook them at the 75-yard line and finished two yards ahead. Had he made a good start he might have smashed the record by 2-5 instead of 1-5 of a second.

One commendable thing about Arthur Duffy is that he has kept his amateur standing. He has been offered large sums of money to compete with professionals for purses, but realizing that this would place him in the professional class he has refused and kept trying steadily until he has broken all records, both professional and amateur.

J. H. McIntosh, well known in local athletics, is personally acquainted with Duffy and has taken part in athletic meets in various parts of the country with the latter.

International Lawn Tennis. New York, June 13.—Richard Stevens, member of the committee having charge of the International Lawn Tennis championship match as representative of the United States Lawn Tennis association, has announced that the contests will be played either on the courts at Hoboken or at the Crescent Athletic club.

Race Stake Contest Inter Mountain Coupon SPRINT STAKES

To the Inter Mountain: The winner of Sprint Stakes will be: Name: Address:

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There is no limit to the number of guesses that one person can make. No guesses received after 6 o'clock p. m., June 20.

Guesses may be mailed or left at the Inter Mountain office.

The horses entered for the race are: Abba L., Narra G., Josie Gibson, Sly, Geraldine S., Bummer, Brookton, Carlonian, Judge Thomas, Matt Hogan, Silver Dick, Glendinning, Miss Croix, Pat Tucker, Hirtie, Eldred, Jarretiere O'Or, Emma W., Patsy Dolan, Parizade, Gypsy Boy, Goddess of Night, Charlie Lamar, Bud Wade, Richelieu Jr., Midlove, Joe D., Ben Ledl, E. M. Brattain, Aphrodite, Cushion, Populist, Imp, Mildred Schultz, Byron Rose, Arazine, Oriia, J. Patrick, Saul of Tarsus, Valenciennes.

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