

# DECISION IS GIVEN TO HELENA

### INTERMOUNTAIN CHAMPIONS DEFEAT CRIPPLED GIANTS BY 7 TO 2 SCORE.

On the showing made in the first and third rounds the Helena team of the Intermountain league was given the decision in the opening bout with the Giants on the south side last evening. Barring these two epochs of grief, the game was interesting. The fact that the Giants were badly crippled by the absence of Anderson and Hudson and the consequent shifting of the battle line also had something to do with the lopsided score. In the first session the visitors scored three and repeated in the third. They were blanked in all other innings except the ninth. The Capital city troupe showed class and speed and the games of the series—once the Giants catch their stride again—should be thrilling melodramas.

#### The Gory Details.

Little Cahill started trouble right off the reel when he stung a first one just inside the third base bag. Stis laid down a bunt along the first base line and there was no keeper at the initial station when Ferguson fielded the ball, assisted by the pitcher. Morse bunted toward third and Main, good mudark as he afterwards showed himself, lost his feet in the slime and all hands were safe. Eisey cleaned up when Kelley let his single go to the fence. The burley first baseman was nabbed stealing third a minute later and Harmuth breezed. Murray singled to center and, with two strikes on Thomas, was caught stealing.

In the locals' first, with two dead, Whiteman wasted a single, for Marx was an easy out from Johnson to Eisey. This was the only safely the instant prodigy landed, and Smith repeated his performance in the second after the Helena hitters had been retired without a score. There was one in the morgue when the notary swatted the ball between first and second, but the next man, Main, hit into the only double play of the game. Cahill scooped his long drive and doubled Smith at first.

In the third Helena got over for three and, after the agony of this period was passed, didn't register until the ninth. Stis cracked a pretty single to right and Kelley let the

ball through. Morse bunted and Stis was out at the plate by a close decision. Eisey smothered a hard one to short, but Smith made a pretty stop and throw. Ferguson dropped the bat and Eisey was safe, to score afterwards on a loose peg. Errors permitted Morse to count and Harmuth got a base on balls. Murry poled a safety to right, and there were two more scores, although Murry's career was telescoped at second. Thomas got a fast one in the ribs and stole second, getting spiked in the wind-up. Cahill was delegated to run for him, but got no farther, as Ames skied to center.

The home talent saved itself from getting kalamazooed by grabbing two in the seventh. Whiteman rolled to Johnson, but Marx banged the leather against the umpire's pegs and Roach, a new man, rapped a hit to right field. Smith rounded to second and, with two down, Main came to the pan. After playing it out two and two and three, the pitcher-policeman linged a two-base hit inside of third and there was a double score. That was all for the evening for the locals, and the hostiles scored but one more.

This came in the ninth. Cahill drew a pass and various displays of paranoa helped him to third, from which place of vantage he registered when Stis hit a slow one to the box. This was all, for, although Morse binged to the middle garden, Eisey loafed on a grounder to Smith and Harmuth also fell for the whip of the notary.

#### The Score.

To the official scorer the scrimmage had this aspect:	
Missoula—	AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Ferguson, Inb.	4 0 0 0 1 3
Butler, cf.	4 0 0 3 0 0
Whiteman, lf.	4 0 1 0 0 0
Marx, c.	4 1 1 0 0 1
Roach, 3b.	4 1 1 4 0 1
Smith, ss.	3 0 1 5 1 0
Main, p.	3 0 1 2 3 0
Eld, 2b.	3 0 0 1 1 0
Kelley, rf.	3 0 0 0 0 2
Totals	32 2 5 27 6 7

Helena—		AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Cahill, lf.	4	2 1 1 0 0
Stis, 2b.	5	1 3 2 4 0
Morse, ss.	5	2 1 1 4 1
Eisey, 1b.	5	1 2 10 0 0
Harmuth, 3b.	4	1 0 1 1 0
Murry, rf.	4	0 0 2 1 0 0
Thomas, c.	2	0 0 4 0 0
Ames, cf.	4	0 1 1 0 0
Johnson, p.	4	0 1 0 5 0
Totals	37	7 11 27 14 1

Score by Innings.  
Missoula.....0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2  
Helena.....3 0 0 0 0 0 1—7

#### Summary.

Stolen base—Eisey. Sacrifice hit—

Stis—Two-base hit—Main. Double play—Cahill to Eisey. Bases on balls—Off Main, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Thomas. Struck out—By Main, 6; by Johnson, 4. Time of game—1:20. Umpire—Gray. Attendance—500. Scorer—Freese.

#### Notes of the Game.

It was an off day for Kelley and Ferguson.

Whiteman's lone hit nearly tore the third bag to pieces.

Butte comes to Missoula next week, so the magnets say.

Tonight at 8:30 the second of the Helena series comes off.

Roach, a new man to local bays, put up a creditable game at third.

Butler, the pitching child, was struck in center. He fielded well but stuck out with great regularity.

Main worked hard and kept his smile throughout the contest, but his troubles were many. Butte is due for tonight's encounter.

"Shorty" Gray stopped a hard hit ball from Marx's bat with his trousers. As luck would have it, they were of heavy corduroy.

Smith was played at short last evening and got away with a good game. He is one of the most consistent players the Giants have, and can work anywhere.

Hudson and Anderson didn't know that a game was to be played last night, and remained at Bonner. It must have rained yesterday afternoon in the lumber camp.

Eisey, first baseman for the opposition, is a veteran. Thousands of years ago he was in minor league ball and has played east and west. He is also somewhat of a scrapper—with the gloves—and a football man.

Helena has it on Livingston by a large majority. During the time the team was here the aggregation played 'way up above its head, as is evidenced by the fact that in yesterday's game with Bozeman Doyle's bunch was defeated, 8 to 2, and made seven—count 'em—seven errors.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

##### Hit for Extra Bases.

Pittsburg, July 28.—Pittsburg won today's game from Cincinnati by hard hitting. Of its 10 hits, three were doubles and three were triples.	
Score—	
Pittsburg.....	6 10 1
Cincinnati.....	3 4 0
Batteries—Maddox and Gibson; Fromme, Campbell and McLean. Umpire—Rigler.	

#### Divide Honors.

St. Louis, July 28.—By scores of 1

to 6 and 5 to 4. St. Louis and Chicago divided honors in a double-header today. Reubach's pitching was a feature.

First game—		R. H. E.
St. Louis.....	1	5 2
Chicago.....	6	9 2
Batteries—Laudermilk, Meltzer and Phelps; Reubach and Archer.		
Second game—		R. H. E.
St. Louis.....	5	4 1
Chicago.....	4	10 3
Batteries—Bachman and Biles; Higginbotham and Archer. Umpires—Klem and Kane.		

#### Best Pitching of Season.

Philadelphia, July 28.—Pastorius today pitched the greatest game of the National league season here. Not a hit was made off him until one man was out in the ninth inning.

Score—		R. H. E.
Philadelphia.....	9	1 2
Brooklyn.....	4	5 1
Batteries—Fosken, McQuillen and Doolin; Pastorius and Bergen. Umpire—O'Day.		

#### Three Out of Four.

Boston, July 28.—New York made it three out of four by winning two games from Boston today, the first 7 to 4 and the second 4 to 3. Scores:

First game—		R. H. E.
New York.....	7	14 1
Boston.....	4	12 1
Batteries—Raymond and Schell; Mattern, Ferguson and Graham. Umpires—Emmie and Johnstone.		
Second game—		R. H. E.
New York.....	4	10 1
Boston.....	3	9 2
Batteries—Crandall, Wittse and Meyers; White, Tuckey, Ferguson, Smith and Graham. Umpires—Emmie and Johnstone.		

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

##### Young Is Bombarded.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 28.—Detroit knocked Cy Young out of the box in the seventh inning today and won, 5 to 4.

Score—		R. H. E.
Cleveland.....	4	8 1
Detroit.....	5	11 1
Batteries—Young, Falkenberg and Clark; Bemis; Mullin and Schmidt.		

##### Not Much Trouble.

New York, July 28.—Boston had little trouble in defeating New York.

Score—		R. H. E.
Boston.....	8	12 2
New York.....	2	9 2
Batteries—Arelance and Donohue; Warhop, Lake and Sweeney.		

##### In Hollow Style.

Washington, July 28.—Philadelphia won both games of today's double-header with Washington in hollow style. Scores:

First game—		R. H. E.
Washington.....	1	8 3
Philadelphia.....	7	10 2
Batteries—Oberlin, Groom and Street; Plank and Thomas, Livingston.		
Second game—		R. H. E.
Washington.....	0	4 2
Philadelphia.....	6	6 1
Batteries—Hughes and Street; Krause and Thomas.		

#### COAST LEAGUE.

San Francisco 4, Sacramento 3.		R. H. E.
San Francisco.....	4	4 4
Sacramento.....	3	6 0
Batteries—Browning and Berry; Brown, Fitzgerald and Byrnes.		
Portland 4, Oakland 2.		R. H. E.
Portland.....	2	7 2
Oakland.....	4	5 4
Batteries—Tonneson and C. Lewis; Harkness and Fisher.		

#### Los Angeles 5, Vernon 1.

At Los Angeles—		R. H. E.
Vernon.....	1	9 1
Los Angeles.....	6	12 2
Batteries—Schaefer and Hogan; Briswalter and Orendorff.		

#### NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

Seattle 11, Tacoma 2.		R. H. E.
Tacoma.....	2	5 3
Seattle.....	11	14 0
Batteries—Newlin and Dushwood; Anderson and Custer.		
Aberdeen 4, Spokane 7.		R. H. E.
At Spokane—	4	10 6
Aberdeen.....	7	9 3
Batteries—Most and O'Brien; Holm and Ostleik.		

#### Portland 11, Vancouver 1.

At Vancouver—		R. H. E.
Portland.....	11	13 4
Vancouver.....	1	4 4
Batteries—Gough and Fournier; Hall and Brooks.		

#### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Columbus—M'watukee 1, Columbus 4.		R. H. E.
At Louisville—Kansas City 7, Louisville 4; 11 innings.	R. H. E.	
At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 4, Minneapolis 6.	R. H. E.	
At Toledo—St. Paul 1, Toledo 5.	R. H. E.	

#### WESTERN LEAGUE.

At Wichita—Denver 2, Wichita 7.		R. H. E.
At Sioux City—First game: Des Moines 3, Sioux City 2; 10 innings. Second game: Des Moines 8, Sioux City 1.	R. H. E.	
At Topeka—Pueblo 5, Topeka 2; 10 innings.	R. H. E.	
At Omaha—Omaha 6, Lincoln 4.	R. H. E.	

#### MURRAY STANDS PAT.

New York, July 28.—William Murray, manager of the Philadelphia National league club, whom the new interests of the club seek to depose, telegraphed here today that Outfielder Magee will not be traded for Mike Donlin of the New York club. Murray sends word that while Felix is man, a stockholder, wanted him to get out, he had no intention of resigning as manager. Until the matter of Murray's retirement has been settled by the board of directors of the club, it is not likely that any further move will be made to secure Donlin.

# JIM JEFFRIES POSTS HIS FORFEIT

### SATISFIED WITH HIS CONDITION, BIG CHAMP OUTLINES HIS INTENTIONS.

New York, July 28.—Actual steps looking to a fight between James Jeffries and Jack Johnson for the heavyweight championship of the world were taken today, when Jeffries on his arrival here posted \$5,000 as a forfeit to bind a match with the negro pugilist for a fight anywhere from 20 to 100 rounds. Jeffries insists that the fight shall be held before the club offering the largest purse and that when articles are signed an additional forfeit of \$5,000 shall be posted. The whole \$10,000 is to go to the winner. Jeffries will leave for a short European trip in a few days. He will visit the springs at Carlsbad and will do a little preliminary training there. He plans to be ready to fight within five months.

#### Sound as a Dollar.

"There is absolutely nothing the matter with me any way," said Jeffries, giving his chest a mighty thump. Jeffries said he hoped the fight would be held in this country. He thought that a few days at Carlsbad and a 30-day trip on the continent would be beneficial. On posting his forfeit, Jeffries issued the following statement:

"After decisively satisfying myself that it is easily possible for me to defend my title as champion of the world, in as good condition as I ever was in my life, today I am posting my forfeit to meet the claimant for the title, Jack Johnson. In reference to those skeptical to my intentions toward Johnson, I wish to say that when first called from retirement I said I would never agree to oppose anybody in the prize ring until I was convinced that I could regain my former physical condition. After being absolutely satisfied of this, I stated I would post my forfeit at the expiration of my theatrical contract.

#### Statement Lived Up to.

"My theatrical contract having expired, I am posting my money sincerely hoping that Johnson is as anxious for the match as he has made it appear, and that he will be ready to live up to his public statements as I am. I only stipulate that the fight must be anywhere from 20 to 100 rounds in length and that it is fought before the club offering the largest purse. Also, when the articles are signed, it shall be agreed that an additional forfeit of \$5,000 be posted with the stakeholder and the sum of \$10,000 shall go as a side bet."

#### Johnson Will Cover.

Jackson, Mich., July 28.—Jack Johnson, the heavyweight pugilist, arrived here late this afternoon en route to Detroit and said that he would immediately cover Jeffries' \$5,000 forfeit. Johnson said he could not state whether he would post another \$5,000 until he had conferred with his backers in New York and Chicago.

#### STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

National League.		Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburg.....	62	24	.721	
Chicago.....	55	29	.655	
New York.....	49	34	.590	
Cincinnati.....	44	44	.500	
Philadelphia.....	39	46	.459	
St. Louis.....	35	47	.427	
Brooklyn.....	32	55	.368	
Boston.....	25	62	.287	

#### American League.

Detroit.....		58	31	.652
Philadelphia.....	52	37	.584	
Boston.....	52	40	.565	
Cleveland.....	48	40	.545	
Chicago.....	42	45	.483	
New York.....	40	51	.440	
St. Louis.....	38	50	.432	
Washington.....	25	63	.284	

#### Northwestern League.

Seattle.....		62	37	.626
Spokane.....	56	43	.566	
Aberdeen.....	52	41	.562	
Vancouver.....	46	57	.447	
Portland.....	43	54	.443	
Tacoma.....	41	65	.387	

#### BRITT GOING EAST.

San Francisco, July 28.—Willis Britt, manager of Stanley Ketchel, the middleweight champion, announced today that he intends to go east within a few days for the purpose of arranging a match between Ketchel and Langford. It is probable that Britt will accept the offer made by the Fairmont club of New York or the National club of Philadelphia.

#### GORDON GETS WOBBLY SUPPORT.

Livingston, July 28.—Bozeman defeated Livingston easily today. Gordon being weak in the box and receiving miserable support.

#### Score—

Bozeman.....		R. H. E.
Livingston.....	2	3 3
Batteries—Golds and Whaling; Gordon and McIntosh.		

#### GIANT WRESTLER CHALLENGES.

Spokane, July 28.—"I will meet any man in the world at Graeco-Roman wrestling and put up \$1,000 as a side bet, winner to take purse and gate receipts," announced George Auger, a traveling giant, who is here this week. Auger says he is eight feet, two inches tall. He claims seven years' training as a wrestler.

#### ROAD MARE TAKES M. & M.

Detroit, July 28.—Alonso McDonald, the Boston reinsman, who captured the Readville handicap last August, today won the 20th renewal of the \$10,000 Merchants and Manufacturers' stake for 2:24 class trotters with his road mare Margin, which he bought for \$1,050 at a Kentucky sale in 1907.

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Salt Lake City, May 3, 1909.

Mr. S. R. Inch, Manager Light Department, Missoula Light & Water Company, Missoula, Montana.

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From the best data which we have, Missoula has more elevators, both in number and in horse-power capacity, than any city of similar size in the United States. This data is, of course, taken from our own records, and applies to our own installations, but the writer feels sure that it is correct, even when all other manufacturers are considered. We, in this office, are quite proud of the fact that 75 a town of fifteen thousand there are installed and under contract 12 modern electric elevators.

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