

FOR THE PLAGE SERAPHS AND SEALS ENTER ON STRUGGLE

Portland is Conceded the Pennant The Angels are Grieved by the Loss of Players After Disaster

With the coast league championship practically conceded to Portland, which has played fast ball from the commencement of the season, Los Angeles and San Francisco are prepared to make a gallant struggle for second place in the race should be a pretty one, as the Angels have been coming up with a mighty rush and are now within striking distance of the Seals.

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When headwork becomes a prominent feature of Pacific coast playing, enthusiasm will increase a hundred fold. The present champions of the National League, Frank Chance's Cubs, have displayed glib edged brain work throughout the season.

A few weeks back when there was just a possible chance that the New York Giants might nose out Chance's Cubs, the latter team's brain work was tested at Chicago, in which the Cubs barely won out, after a session accredited as the greatest exhibition of hard work ever witnessed on a ball field.

When Steinfield was given his immediate release and the Cubs he immediately became the center of diamond attraction, covoring in sensational and steady style at the difficult corner.

Big Orv: Overall was in the same boat. As a member of the Cincinnati crowd he lost a majority of his games and many called him a false alarm.

Lyle's machine was excluded because it was towed part of the way to the starting line. This renders unnecessary the withdrawal of the car, which was given the place on the American team when Lyle was excluded.

Either an unusual wager was made yesterday afternoon by Tommy Burns and Jim Flynn relating to their going Tuesday evening to a Nauid Junction pavilion. The bet hinges on a knockout, and neither man will be called upon to pay unless he awakes and finds the show stopped.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

NEW YORK DEFEATS SAINTS By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Beesbe was batted hard in the seventh inning today and New York beat St. Louis. Score: St. Louis 2, hits 5, errors 2.

CHICAGO IS WINNER By Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.—Chicago today defeated Philadelphia by good work at the bat. Score: Chicago 7, hits 14, errors 2.

REDS DEFEAT BOSTON By Associated Press. BOSTON, Sept. 28.—With a hit over the left field fence, Schiel won today's game for Cincinnati in the twelfth inning. Score: Cincinnati 2, hits 6, errors 1.

BREAK EVEN IN DOUBLE HEADER By Associated Press. BROOKLYN, Sept. 28.—The Brooklyn and Pittsburgh teams broke even in today's double header. The second game was called at the end of the seventh inning. Scores: First game: Pittsburgh, 4; hits 8; errors 0.

Angels Lose Players Brashear, Nagle, Ross and Atz skipped to various leagues, apparently imbued with the idea that they might be able to make a better deal elsewhere.

Neither Side Able to Score in Contest Marked by Ragged but Spectacular Work—Karmachel Returns

Sophomores 0, Freshmen 0 The first game of American football under the new rules at the University of Southern California yesterday afternoon was a success from a spectator's point of view.

The sophomores secured the kick and were rushed up the field by the eager freshmen. During the first half the pluckiness was back and forth across the center of the field.

Shaw and Stoddard both played good ball at quarterback, but R. A. Speicher at end for the sophomores was the only new man who did star work.

The students of U. S. C. are enthusiastic over the fact that Ed Karmachel, last year's 200-pound giant, registered yesterday and immediately donned his suit for practice on the gridiron.

PLAYS FIVE GOOD INNINGS AND THEN DROPS BACK By Associated Press. FRESNO, Sept. 28.—Hog, Fresno's young pitcher, was in the box today and pitched five innings of faultless ball, striking out some of Russ Hall's veteran stick artists.

SEATTLE AB. R. B. SE. PO. A. E. Kane, 2b ..... 6 1 3 1 5 1 1 Van Buren, cf ..... 5 1 2 0 2 0 0 Blankenship, c ..... 6 2 0 0 0 0 0 Householder, if ..... 4 2 2 0 0 0 0 Croll, lf ..... 4 2 2 0 0 3 0 Brett, lb ..... 5 1 0 0 0 0 0 Mott, 3b ..... 5 0 0 0 1 2 0 McKune, ss ..... 4 2 3 0 0 5 1 Garvin, p ..... 4 1 1 0 0 4 0 Totals ..... 43 15 19 3 27 12 2

SEATTLE AB. R. B. SE. PO. A. E. Casey, 2b ..... 4 2 1 0 3 2 1 Caylor, cf ..... 4 1 0 0 0 2 0 McLaughlin, if ..... 4 1 0 0 4 1 0 Egan, ss ..... 4 0 0 0 0 4 0 Three-hits hit—Cray, base on balls—Hog, 5; of Garvin, 1; struck out—By Hog 6; by Garvin 4. Left on bases—Casey, Brett, Croll, Hog. Time of game—2:35. Umpire—Derrick.

FOOTBALLISTS ARE WORKING

COACHES PLANNING NEW PLAYS FOR SEASON Rules Call for Different Maneuvers Than Those Which Have Characterized Past Years

All the football men have now read the rules. Those who will play under them have studied out each sentence in order to grasp fully its meaning and to determine just what changes have been made from the old rules.

But these have been received with some skepticism. Every coach is desirous of knowing the plan of the game. Some of them ventured the opinion that the forward pass will be the most troublesome thing to handle.

What sorts of plays will Camp, Stagg, Yost, Reid or any other of the great generals devise? Careful reading of all the opinions volunteered or wrung from any of these authorities fails to disclose the least hint of the plan of the game.

Others have pointed out that the rule which declares that a punted ball puts every player on side the instant it touches the ground will prove more aggravating to the defense than all other rules put together.

Princeton no such great changes will be necessary, for the "tiger" style of play has run more to what is called the "open" game. End runs, brilliant dashes through the line, goals from the field and spectacular plays of all sorts has been encouraged.

Will Use Princeton Style In the middle west the play has been far more on the Princeton style of "open play," a system that should readily adopt itself to the new rules.

One may be certain that some startling innovations will be shown before the close of the season. Few of these are likely to be exhibited in the earlier games, as each coach will be then, as he is now, trying to ascertain what the other fellows has in stock.

LIPTON IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE TODAY By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—In a few hours—by noon tomorrow it is expected—Sir Thomas Lipton will arrive in this city by the steamer Celtic.

DOUGLAS PARK RESULTS By Associated Press. LOUISVILLE, Sept. 28.—Douglas Park results: About six furlongs—Red Wood won, Fargo second, Pinta third. Time 1:14 4-5.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

EACH WINS ONE GAME By Associated Press. CLEVELAND, Sept. 28.—Cleveland and New York broke even today in a double header. Score: First game: Cleveland 0, hits 3, errors 1.

PHILLIES DEFEAT DETROIT By Associated Press. DETROIT, Sept. 28.—Detroit knocked Coombs out of the box in the seventh, tying the game. Score: Detroit 4, hits 8, errors 2.

GAME POSTPONED At St. Louis—St. Louis-Boston game postponed; wet grounds.

OAKLAND WINS FOURTH GAME NORTHERNERS AT LAST BREAK LOSING STREAK After Being Shut Out Twice and Defeated a Third Time by Los Angeles, Oaks Turn and Win Yesterday's Game

Oakland 3, Los Angeles 1, Oakland's team broke its losing streak yesterday when the northerners won the fourth game of the series from the Angels. The Oaks have had a run of hard luck which could not do anything until yesterday.

Los Angeles improved wonderfully on its last trip north and returned to the city with one of the strongest teams of the league. Of the first four games Los Angeles won three straight and twice shut out the visitors.

Hackett singled to center, which scored Van Halten and Kruger. Bill Devereaux forced Hackett at second, retiring the runner to third, Kruger reaching first. Smith scored on a wild throw by Randolph.

Not until the seventh did the Angels advance a man far enough around the diamond to score. Cravath was hit by a pitched ball and advanced to third by Brashear's single. Dillon hit into a double play, which scored Cravath.

LOS ANGELES AB. R. B. SE. PO. A. E. Bernard, cf ..... 4 0 1 0 2 0 0 Gochanauer, ss ..... 4 0 0 0 3 5 0 Cravath, if ..... 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 Bushard, lf ..... 4 0 0 0 2 0 0 Dillon, lb ..... 3 0 0 0 14 1 0 Carlisle, cf ..... 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 Egan, 2b ..... 3 0 1 0 3 0 0 Eager, c ..... 2 0 1 0 3 0 0 Randolph, p ..... 3 0 0 1 4 0 0 Buckley, c ..... 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 Totals ..... 29 1 6 0 27 16 1

GRAVESEND RESULTS By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Gravesend results: About six furlongs—Frank Lord won, Halo second, Halifax third. Time 1:11.

GRAND CIRCUIT RESULTS CINCINNATI, Sept. 28.—Grand circuit results: 2:15 trot, purse \$1000, unfinished last yesterday—Gale won the first and second heats and the race in 2:13 4/5 and 2:10 4/5. Betty Brook won the third heat in 2:10 4/5.

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HYLAND WINS FROM HANLON

REFEREE STOPS CONTEST IN THIRTEENTH ROUND After Game Exhibition by Hanlon His Opponent Lands Terrific Right Uppercut Which is Beginning of End

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Clare Hyland of San Francisco won a clear cut decision over Ed. J. Hanlon tonight at the Seaside Athletic club. Referee Jack Welch stopped the contest at the end of the thirteenth round, with Hanlon hanging helplessly against the ropes and unable to defend himself against Hyland's punches.

The fight throughout was stubbornly contested and replete with hard hitting and clever work by both lads. Hyland, however, landed the cleaner and more forceful blows and was never in distress. He devoted most of his attacks to Hanlon's body and kidneys, while the latter contented himself with right swings to the head and jaw and left body punches at close range.

Early in the twelfth round, as Hanlon bent low, he received a fearful right uppercut to the jaw, which was the beginning of the end. Hyland followed his advantage and hammered his opponent all over the ring. The bell saved Hanlon from defeat in this round.

He came up very groggy in the thirteenth round and Hyland flogged him unmercifully. Hanlon gave a remarkable exhibition of grit and staying power in this round, and try as he could Hyland was unable to land a knockout blow.

Many of Last Season's Men Are Back for Practice—The Fastest Squad

The new football game will be played on new grounds at Pomona college this year, the same one on which last year's track meets were held.

ARRANGE FOR MEETING OF FOOTBALL OFFICIALS By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—The central board of officials acting under the intercollegiate football rules committee has arranged a meeting for tonight at the Murray Hill hotel.

BALL TEAM REORGANIZED The Brents baseball team has reorganized and now lists among its players some of the fastest diamond men of the southern amateurs.

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PORTLAND OUTBATS SEALS IN SLUGGING MATCH

By Associated Press. OAKLAND, Sept. 28.—Portland outbatted San Francisco today and won by a score of 4 to 1. San Francisco scored one run, and that was forced with three men on base. Score: SAN FRANCISCO AB. R. B. SE. PO. A. E. Spencer, cf ..... 4 1 0 0 3 0 0 Wheeler, 2b ..... 3 0 0 0 2 1 0 Mohler, 3b ..... 4 0 1 0 0 3 0 Irwin, 3b ..... 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 Williams, cf ..... 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 Walther, lf ..... 3 0 0 0 2 0 0 Rogers, 1b ..... 3 0 0 0 4 0 0 Anderson, p ..... 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 Brown, p ..... 3 0 0 0 1 0 1 Totals ..... 29 1 3 0 27 9 2

PORTLAND AB. R. B. SE. PO. A. E. Sweeney, ss ..... 3 1 0 0 4 5 0 McFale, cf ..... 3 0 0 0 2 0 0 Mitchell, lf ..... 3 2 1 0 1 0 1 McCreech, if ..... 2 0 2 0 1 0 1 Smith, 3b ..... 4 0 0 0 1 0 0 Donahue, c ..... 4 0 0 0 7 0 0 Lister, 1b ..... 3 0 0 0 2 0 0 Schimpf, 2b ..... 3 0 0 0 2 3 0 Calip, p ..... 3 1 1 0 0 1 0 Totals ..... 29 4 4 0 27 10 1

Three-base hits—McCreech, Mitchell. Sacrifice hits—McFale, Sweeney. Base on balls—McCreech, if 2; Calip 2. Struck out—By Brown 6; by Calip 5. Double play—Sweeney to Lister, Wild pitch—Brown. Time—1:40. Umpire—Mahaffey.

Much Dispute Would Be Done Away With Under New Order—Schools and Colleges Requested to Comply

One of the strongest moves yet made in Los Angeles amateur athletic circles occurred Thursday evening at Pasadena, when the Pacific coast branch of the A. A. U. held an important meeting, with the result that a circular letter has been issued to the various schools, colleges and athletic clubs of Southern California.

Since first amateur athletics featured Southern California scholastic life there has been no end to a series of squabbling and bickering for which there was small cause and some simple arrangement being insured whereby all disputed men could be acted upon.

Should a majority of athletic representatives decide to enter the A. A. U. organization and a local union, Southern California athletes will derive much benefit from the new order. Necessarily some time will be required for effecting a strong organization, but local schools and colleges are urged to send in their articles of agreement.

The Southern California commissioners of the Pacific branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of America beg leave to call your attention to several matters which have much to do with the future success of amateur sports and athletics in Southern California.

Men should be registered for football, basketball, baseball, track and all branches of athletics under A. A. U. jurisdiction. The committee greatly regrets the looseness which has existed in connection with many of the recent competitions and hopes that the various physical directors, coaches and committees will co-operate with the commissioners in their efforts to place Southern California sports and athletics upon a higher and cleaner basis.

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