

WHITE SOX CLUB EARNS PLAUDITS

LONG BEACH AGGREGATION MAKES GOOD SHOWING WILL PLAY WITH SANTA FES AT SAN BERNARDINO

Coast City Team Adds Several New and Fast Players to its Ranks and Much is Expected

The Long Beach White Sox club of the Association league is nearly the whole thing, from a baseball standpoint, at the beach town, and there is not a fan at Long Beach who will not swear by the players.

This allegiance certainly has been merited by the team. Hastily organized and entered in the Association league, it has made a splendid showing. Its record to date is seven games won, two lost and one tied.

The team boasts the finest grounds of any club in the league. The diamond is situated at Belmont Heights, just beyond the city limits. It is enclosed and the grounds are equipped with grand stand, bleachers and quarters for the players.

The Santa Fe club of San Bernardino will try conclusions with the Long Beach aggregation this afternoon at the Gate city diamond. Several fast players have joined the White Sox team since they were admitted to the Association league.

A list of the games won and lost is as follows: San Pedro, won, 12 to 3; Pacific Coast Syrup, lost, 2 to 3; Santa Anita, tie, 1 to 1; Wieland, won, 13 to 9; Racycles, won, 2 to 1; Woodhill-Hulse, won, 15 to 9; Welland, lost, 9 to 0; San Pedro, won, 10 to 4; Pacific Coast Syrup, won, 5 to 3.

INDIO CLUB TO PLAY HUBERTS

GIANTS TO TRY TO DOWN IMPERIAL VALLEY CHAMPS

All-Stars and Santa Barbara Also Will Strive for Supremacy at South Side Athletic Park

This afternoon the Indio baseball team of the Imperial league will play the Hubert Giants at Boyle Heights Athletic park, Fourth and Indiana streets. The Indio club is said to be comprised of a fast bunch of ball tossers, having won sixteen games out of the nineteen played.

They were for several years the champion club of the Imperial Valley league, and have some of the best players that ever composed a club in that valley.

The game the All-Star team put up against the Santa Barbara aggregation New Year's day at the South Side Athletic park diamond, proved the promoters who have been fostering the four-day tournaments which have been going on at both of these parks.

At the South Side Athletic diamond the All-Stars and the Santa Barbara clubs will clash for a second time and an interesting game is anticipated. The double umpire system will be used on the South Side Athletic diamond, and in all probability the indicator men will be Lane and Fitzpatrick, the latter formerly of St. Vincent's college, who was one of the best pitchers that institution ever developed.

TAXICAB RUNS BY ALCOHOL

Motor is Adapted to Use of Special Fuel with Good Results and No Deleterious Effects

The first alcohol motor cab has made its appearance in New York. It is the product of the factory of the H. Franklin Manufacturing Company in Syracuse, N. Y., where the engineers have been experimenting to provide an alcohol motor that would give results equal to those of the gasoline motor.

The result sought has been attained, for the engine has been tested over hundreds of miles of road before being sent out from the factory and has demonstrated a capability of covering as great a distance for each gallon of alcohol as other motors of like size do for each gallon of gasoline. It is predicted that time will show it is the forerunner of a type and that eventually it will have many duplicates in the busy streets of the greater cities.

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The problem of making a working alcohol motor has been the subject of attention on the part of the governments of France, Germany and the United States. The Franklin model has been turned over to a Franklin customer in New York, and in service it is now to demonstrate its everyday practicability.

Automobilists' headquarters, ship case, Venice.

Baseball Aggregation Whose Excellent Record Has Earned for It the Plaudits of Long Beach



Top row, left to right—Ziegler, right field; Cole, shortstop; Stoval, first base; Park, catcher and second base; Adams, third base. Middle row—Hazzlett, utility; Darby, umpire; Cree, manager and Captain; Myers, pitcher; Milles, left field. Lower row—Brewer, center field; Davidson, utility; Fullager, utility.

NEWS AND NOTES OF THE DIAMOND

BY RED PERKINS

INDOOR baseball, which had a firm hold in Los Angeles last year during the winter months, will not meet with its accustomed popularity during the coming season.

A year ago the Indoor Baseball league was formed, with four clubs playing the schedule, but so far this season no activity has been shown in the game. There has been some talk of organizing a team or two among the military men and playing at Southern California suburban towns. Other cities have taken up indoor baseball and there is no reason why it should not prosper in Los Angeles.

Player Henline of the Santa Ana club in the California Winter league this week received from the directors of the Southern league the sum of \$102.20 as his share of the players' receipts for his batting average during the season of 1908. Henline batted .302 for the season.

Ray Weisel, formerly of the Azusa club, desires to hear from any Los Angeles team relative to taking a position of backstop with one. Answer through The Herald.

Captain Bill Goodman of the Hoegoe team in the California Winter league has signed two left-handed twirlers. They are Annis, formerly of the Hynes club, and Phillips, a new find from the Cotton State league.

Manager William Murray of the Philadelphia Nationals is passing his vacation at his home at Peabody, Mass. Murray has many friends in Los Angeles.

Owens, Harry Pulliam's new umpire, is well spoken of by the National league players who were in the games with him last season.

Only two big baseball trades have been pulled off so far this winter, and St. Louis landed head up in both.

Hugh McBreen of the Boston Americans has gone to Hot Springs to arrange for a new park, in which the Red Sox will do their training next spring.

Ira Thomas, the Detroit catcher, says he will not go to Philadelphia if Manager Jennings sells him to Connie Mack. That's too bad. What on earth will Connie do now?

Eastern league players are kicking because their salary limit for next season has been fixed at \$350 a month. And that is about eight times as much as most of them got in Troy.

There will be a meeting of the California winter league directors at the office of President Harry Leland next Tuesday night at the city hall. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock.

Jack Doyle has a great baseball park out at the Southside Athletic grounds, though several improvements could be made. The Herald suggests that Jack place wire netting along the third base line so that foul balls will not go under the bleachers behind third base. There is a four-foot railing along the third base line, and with a little netting it would save the outfielders the trouble of either climbing or going under this fence for balls that come that way.

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FRED ANNIS, Pitcher Gardena Club

FRED ANNIS, pitcher for the Gardena team in the Southern State league, is one of the fastest twirlers in the organization and has an extensive record for shutout games, having seven to his credit while pitching in the earlier season.

For several years Annis attended the Hynes grammar school in Los Angeles county, and during one of the games played against another country institution he fanned seventeen of his opponents. In the earlier winter season of the state league he struck out sixteen of the Thistle batters and a dozen of the Huntington Park school club boys.

Manager Van McCarrall of the Gardena team is well pleased with Annis' pitching and predicts that with a little more practice he will develop into a star pitcher.

Annis is well liked by the amateur baseball fans in Southern California, and no doubt will be graduated into fast company within the next six months.

McCORMICKS VS. AZUSA. At Azusa. Table with columns: Player, Runs, Hits, Errors, etc.

HOEGES VS. SANTA ANA. At Santa Ana. Table with columns: Player, Runs, Hits, Errors, etc.

MAIERS VS. SAN PEDRO. At San Pedro. Table with columns: Player, Runs, Hits, Errors, etc.

EDISON VS. SALT LAKES. At Chutes. Table with columns: Player, Runs, Hits, Errors, etc.

Standing of Clubs. Following is the standing of the Association league and where the games are played this afternoon:

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, Tie, Pct. Rows include Santa Fe, Long Beach, Pac. Coast Syrup, Woodhill-Hulse, Wieland, Druids, Racycles, San Pedro.

The schedule for this afternoon will be as follows: Racycles vs. Santa Fe at San Bernardino; Wieland vs. San Pedro at Point Fermin; Druids vs. Long Beach at Long Beach; Pacific Coast Syrup vs. Woodhill-Hulse at Thirty-eighth and Alameda.

roll, catcher; Bronson, first base; Anderson, second base; Hawkins, shortstop; Lane, third base; Boggs, left field; Battles, center field; Tucker, right field.

At Los Nietos the Riveras and Dyas-Clines will hook up. Batteries will be: Rivera, Haskell and Phillips; Dyas-Clines, Haight and Leahy.

At Gardena the Gardena and Thistle clubs will fight it out for third place in the league.

Batteries will be: Gardena, Annis and Simms; Thistles, Seigel and Nordquist.

Reports come from Santa Barbara to the effect that McCredie, manager of the Portland team, will do his spring training at the Channel City this year. Training will start about the first of March.

MANUFACTURER FALLS WITHIN SCOPE OF WINE ORDINANCE

The wine ordinance of the city, the validity of which was attacked by S. S. Sanders, attorney for B. Nesa, who appealed from a decision by Police Justice Chambers under which he was fined \$150, was held valid by Judge James of the superior court yesterday.

Nesa contended that, as a manufacturer of wines and brandies, he was exempt from the provisions of the ordinance making it necessary for wholesalers to secure a license.

Fireman Brings Suit

Charles S. Land, a city fireman, filed suit against the Los Angeles Gas and Electric company in the superior court yesterday, in which he asks damages of \$25,100 on account of injuries sustained by a gas explosion in the Fred Espes building, 275 South Main street, September 8. The explosion occurred while Land was engaged in fighting a fire in the building.

A Fast Amateur Baseball Player



CLAUDE FINLEY

ONE of the best amateur ball players in Southern California is said to be Claude Finley, who for several years was a student of the Custar street grammar school, where he played backstop for that aggregation when it won the grammar school eighth grade championship for the season of 1908.

For eighteen months Claude Finley has had the management of the Wieland club in the Association league, and has earned a warm friendship among the directors of that organization, which is shown in his having been elected secretary, which office he has held for six weeks. Finley is an all round athlete and has several trophies won in the past three years.

During the six weeks in which he has played in the Association league Finley has been catcher for the Wieland

TARIFFS ON LUMBER SHARPLY CRITICISED

CONSERVATION LEAGUE GIVES OUT CORRESPONDENCE

Canadian Senator Shows Markets of His Country Have Been Flooded with Output of American Mills

(Special Correspondence.)

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 30.—Interesting correspondence in regard to the international aspect of the question of repealing the duty on lumber and other forest products has been given out by the National Forest Conservation league, which is taking the position that the first step in forest conservation is to repeal the tariff that prevents American consumers from drawing freely on the forest products of other countries. This correspondence is being sent to the Canadian parliament, of Rockland, Ont., and a large manufacturer of lumber and pulp in Canada, the secretary of the league. Senator Edwards was the official representative of the Dominion at the recent conservation commission conference in Washington, D. C.

From this correspondence it appears that although most manufacturers of lumber in the United States object to the repeal of the tariff on lumber, alleging inability to compete with Canadian lumber, the Canadian market has this year been flooded with American lumber—there being no Canadian duty on rough lumber—to such an extent that the Canadian manufacturers have been undersold at home and have had their market ruined. In consequence the lumber men of Canada made an effort to have a retaliatory tariff placed on American lumber, but this agitation failed, largely, it is said, on account of the remarkable telegram sent by Senator Edwards to Sir Wilfrid Laurier. It is stated that the Canadian importation of American lumber have been chiefly low grades, competition in which, the lumber men appearing before the ways and means committee said, they most feared.

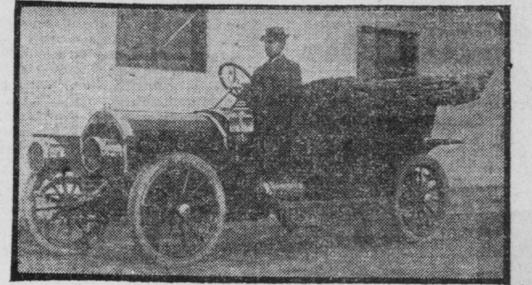
Under date of December 17, Senator Edwards writes to the secretary of the league: "Recalling the promise I made to you in Washington a few days ago, I herewith inclose copy of the telegram I sent Sir Wilfrid Laurier in 'last year after a large deputation of lumber men had called on him and our minister of finance, begging for the imposition of a duty on southern pine coming from the United States, which was then, and has been most of the time since, deluging our Canadian markets, and it is produced and sold so cheaply that it has been impossible for us to compete. Hard, of course, for the moment, on lumber producers, but a great benefit to the buyers and users of lumber."

"The ground I take is that we will win in the end. If you Americans are foolish enough to exhaust your forests, not only to supply your own wants but ours also, our timber will grow and become more valuable in the meantime, which will result in great ultimate profit to us."

"I am taking the liberty of sending you also a paper which has a letter in it I hurriedly wrote something over a year ago on the pulp question."

The following is a copy of the telegram Senator Edwards sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier: "Most sincerely and earnestly hope you will pay no regard to unjustified demand made upon you for a duty on southern pine coming from the United States. The demand arises in consequence of a temporary stagnation in our business, which will soon pass away. The imposition of the duty would be most trifling in so far as mitigation of the present dullness in Canadian trade is concerned, and would be most unpopular excepting with a few avaricious lumber manufacturers. I sincerely beg you to allow one Canadian industry to exist without placing

Newly Arrived Auburn 'Thirty'



NEW AUBURN '30' IS MUCH ADMIRER

LARGE NUMBER OF ORDERS TAKEN FIRST DAY

Flying Trips to Beach Show That Car Has Ample Power and Speed—Finish is Excellent

The past week has been one of enthusiasm at the Central Motor Car company. R. L. Forsyth and his corps of salesmen have been busy taking orders and demonstrating the new four-cylinder thirty-horsepower Auburn.

The new car is finished in red, and while it was rushed through the paint shop in order to get it shipped on time, the car is classy in appearance. It seats five comfortably, and has a 107-inch wheel base. It is low and rakish looking, having a long hood and the latest straight style fenders, which give it the appearance of a much higher priced machine.

The car in its trysts over the hills and on a couple of fast trips to Venice showed that it has plenty of speed and power.

The power plant has been greatly admired. It is well put up, and the man who knows a good engine when he sees and feels it will instantly recognize the marks of quality in the new Auburn.

Twelve orders were taken the day the car arrived, and several agency contracts were closed during the week.

Mr. Forsyth says he will be able to make deliveries in three weeks and is taking orders for February 1 delivery.

Man Drops Six Hundred Feet

NANAIMO, B. C., Jan. 2.—Nelson Penn, a carpenter, aged 25 years, met with a terrible death here this morning while working in a mine. He was walking along a drift without a light and fell down the air shaft of a mine, dropping 600 feet. Death was instantaneous.

Not a Word Came Out

Bill—I see the noiseless rifle invented by Hiram Maxim was recently tested in London. It sent a .32 calibre bullet through two directories, at a distance of 600 yards. The only perceptible sound heard was that of the trigger.

Bill—And I suppose neither of the dictionaries emitted a word?—Yonkers Statesman.

Proper Rations

Novice Fisherman (of Florida coast)—By George! I'd like to land a sword-fish or two. What'll I bait with, old man?

Boatman (without a smile)—Army worms, o' course!—Puck.

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