

BIG SPECIAL FEATURES

IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

BASEBALL BOXING

BROWN WON'T COME; GAME TODAY IS OFF

BY "PETER." Russ Hall and Joe McGinnity hopped off a train at the Union depot this morning with their reorganized tribe of Bengals, ready to give Tacoma a one-day once-over and then skip up to Vancouver for a week. The game at Athletic park this afternoon with Vancouver was called off because Bob Brown refused to bring his Beavers here for one game. Brown left last night from Seattle for home, and the Tigers, because they could not make the Spokane-Vancouver jump in one night, are loafing at home.

Tacoma yesterday afternoon broke even on a double-header at Spokane, making it 4 and 3 in Spokane's favor for the seven-game series. Although Tiger fans hardly expected much more than an even break with the Indians, they are looking worriedly today upon the fast ascension of Dugdale's nine. Seattle stands 10 points below Tacoma in the N. W. dope column, and is only two games behind us. If Tacoma loses the next game and Seattle wins, the teams will be tied.

The Tacoma club has not played up to form since Johnny Butler was sold. The team is not the same and not quite as good. But one cannot blame McGinnity for selling Butler, because he was on the rocks financially and needed that 750 mighty bad.

Grover is a second baseman, and his work on third is not steady. Ward at short is up to the average, but he can't hold a candle to the all-star work of our old Johnny. At Spokane yesterday afternoon Wicker's Indians won the first game of the double-header by a 3 to 1 score. It was a fast game, and although Tacoma out-hit Spokane almost two to one, the Tiger players couldn't get around the bags fast enough.

Kaufman and Meikle were battered properly in the second game, the Indians getting 18 hits off them. It was a loose contest, despite its thrilling ninth inning finish. Score: First game: R H E Tacoma..... 1 7 1 Spokane..... 2 4 0 Batteries: McGinnity, Kaufman and Stevens; Noyes and Brennegan.

THE BOX SCORE. Second Game. Tacoma AB R H PO A B Johnson, lf. 5 3 2 0 0 1 Grover, 3b. 5 3 0 0 0 1 Wilson, rf. 5 3 3 2 0 0 Stokke, lb. 3 0 1 11 0 0 Hanson, cf. 5 0 1 2 2 0 Nye, 2b. 4 3 1 2 5 0 Ward, ss. 4 0 0 3 5 0 Stevens, c. 4 0 1 5 2 0 Kaufman, p. 4 0 0 0 4 0 Meikle, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals. 40 5 18 27 18 1. Miss Ruth McCabe, 5834 Junett street, an 18-year-old student of the Lincoln park high school, broke the world's record for a girl throwing a league baseball. At Athletic park yesterday afternoon. The girl hurled a baseball from deep center to the infield, a distance of exactly 209 feet, 5 inches. The previous world's record was held by Dorothy Smith, of Vassar college, who threw a ball 204 feet, 5 inches on May 4, 1911.

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SQUIRREL FOOD BY AHERN "DREAM DOPE". A FELLOW CAN ENJOY THE GAME AT THIS PARK! THE PEANUT VENDERS AND USHERS ARE SO POLITE AND COURTEOUS! THEY NEVER TRAMP ON YOUR FEET OR TRIP OVER THEIR OWN HOOPS AND DUMP THEIR WARES DOWN ON A GUYS DOME! PLEASE PARDON ME!

HARD NUT FOR SCIENTISTS--WHY DO BROTHERS FAIL IN SPORTS

Scientists who like to worry about such things as whether fatigue is caused by a germ or if this, that and the other thing are hereditary, might find a good chance for research work in the experience of brothers in sports. Only a few cases can be cited where brothers attained the top. The season of 1915 stands out because there are two sets of brothers in the major leagues, Bill Killefer, of the Philadelphia Nationals, and Wade Killefer, of the Cincinnati Reds, are brothers, and so are Wally Schang of the Athletics and Eddie Schang of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

In the old days there were the Tebeaus and the Gleasons, then came the Delahantys, Ed, Jim and Frankie. Fred Clark, Pittsburgh manager, and his brother Josh were in the majors at the same time for a short period when Josh was with Cleveland. Jess Stovall was just going back when brother George came up. Family failures have been more numerous. Ty Cobb's brother, Paul, is only a fair minor leaguer. Christy Mathewson's brother

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE. Games Yesterday. Tacoma 1-9, Spokane 2-8. Seattle 4, Vancouver 3. TODAY'S STANDING. Won. Lost. Pct. Spokane..... 68 44 .607 Tacoma..... 60 52 .536 Seattle..... 60 54 .526 Vancouver..... 53 58 .477

Hank couldn't make a go of it and neither could Roger Bresnahan's brother Joe. Johnny Evers' brother Joe is a minor leaguer and so is Ed Grob, a brother of Heinie, of the Cincinnati Reds. There are a number of fighting families, but it seems only one of each set can get to the top. Tom Gibbons can't hold a candle to his brother Mike, and Charley White is a lot better than his brothers, Jack and Charley, the latter fighting under the name of Charley Wagner.

Frankie Conley won the bantamweight title, but his two younger brothers never got beyond the preliminaries. Leach Cross is away above his two brothers, and Monte Attell was never as good as Abe. In many other cases athletes who got to the top had brothers who tried to follow them, but couldn't even break into the newspapers.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct. Philadelphia..... 53 44 .546 Brooklyn..... 53 48 .525 Chicago..... 51 47 .520 Pittsburgh..... 48 47 .510 New York..... 48 47 .510 St. Louis..... 48 53 .475 Cincinnati..... 42 57 .424

Games Yesterday. Brooklyn 10-5, Chicago 7-4. Philadelphia 14, Cincinnati 6. St. Louis 7, Boston 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct. Boston..... 59 35 .623 Detroit..... 60 37 .619 Chicago..... 58 41 .586 Washington..... 52 47 .525 New York..... 47 47 .500 St. Louis..... 39 59 .398 Cleveland..... 37 57 .394 Philadelphia..... 32 65 .330

FEDERAL LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct. Kansas..... 56 42 .571 Chicago..... 56 44 .560 Pittsburgh..... 53 43 .552 Newark..... 53 42 .552 St. Louis..... 51 47 .520 Buffalo..... 49 58 .453 Baltimore..... 35 64 .354

EASY FOR ELKS. BELLINGHAM, Aug. 9.—The Bellingham Elks played easily today, so as to not hurt the feelings of the Port Angeles team. The score was 11 to 2, nevertheless, at the end of the nine innings.



OLYMPICS PROBABLY GO TO CALIFORNIA

The Olympic Club team practically clinched a trip to California yesterday afternoon when it defeated the South Tacoma Tigers, 3 to 2, in one of the best semi-pro games ever seen in Tacoma. More than 1,200 fans paid admission to Athletic park, and cheered their favorite teams frantically throughout the game.

It was much of a pitcher's battle between Eley and Smith. The Tigers lost their game by showing slightly less headwork in pinches than was evidenced by the Olympics. The Olympics have now practically won the city championship, which means that they will go to Sacramento to compete with other semi-pro teams for the Pacific coast championship.

TOMBSTONE TOURNEY AT LAKESIDE CLUB

Fred O. Wever and Mrs. Earl E. Wilbur carried off first honors yesterday in the 18-hole two-ball mixed foursome tombstone tournament of the Lakeside Country club. They finished the course with eight strokes to spare.

MAY BAR FRESHMEN FROM VARSITY TEAMS

SEATTLE, Aug. 9.—(Special.)—A rule barring freshmen from varsity athletic teams probably will be passed by the Northwest conference when it next convenes. Sentiment has trended that way for several years, and the powers that be seem to favor the step, which has been adopted by practically every other conference in existence.

ELMA, Aug. 9.—The McCleary team played its last game yesterday, losing to Shelton on the McCleary diamond by a 13 to 2 score. The team reports a very successful season.

\$1,000 a Minute to Be Paid Gibbons and McFarland for a Ten-Round Bout

\$3,000 a round. \$1,000 a minute. That's how much Packey McFarland of Chicago and Mike Gibbons of St. Paul will get for actual boxing in a ten-round bout Sept. 11 at the Brighton Beach, N. Y., Motor-drome.

The articles give McFarland \$17,500 for his bit and Gibbons \$15,000. McFarland's manager, Emil Thiry, gets \$2,500, leaving \$15,000 even for Packey. Gibbons is his own manager, so the boxers will get \$30,000 for ten three-minute rounds, \$3,000 a round, \$1,000 a minute, \$500 a minute for each man. They will get money before they step into the ring.

The fight fans are expected to pay the freight. They will be charged from \$1 to \$5 a seat. The seating capacity of the motor-drome is 50,000, and it is estimated the receipts will be \$75,000. A special train will be run from Chicago to carry fans from that section to New York. The match is one promoters have been after for years. They have never been able to get the two clever boxers into the same ring.

CHANGE WINNER IN BIG RACE

DES MOINES, Aug. 9.—After an all-night session Saturday night, judges in the Des Moines 300-mile speedway race announced Sunday morning that they had made a mistake in giving first prize to Ralph De Palma. They changed their decision, and awarded the prize, and \$5,100 cash prize money, to Ralph McFarland. De Palma gets second and Eddie O'Donnell third. Protests will be made to the A. A. A. as a result.

Joe Cooper was killed, Mechanician Morris Keeling was killed, Driver Billy Chandler and Mechanician Louis Pico were seriously injured, in two accidents that occurred during the race.

HITS 97 BIRDS IN 100 SHOTS

Making 97 breaks in 100 shots, H. A. Sullivan yesterday afternoon won permanent possession of the Dave Bales silver trophy cup, in a cup tournament held at the Tacoma Gun club's range at Mantou. F. L. Baker, with a handicap of 13, made a net score of 97.

SPORT WRITER GETS RIGHT INTO GAME

Batteries: Smith and Taylor; Eley and Farrell. Oakland..... 10 12 2 Brewers..... 3 5 4 Batteries: Ashton, Mattison and Moody; A. Eley and H. Johnson.



Brown Holmes of the Times staff of sport writers gets his sport news and sport views from the inside. He is an athlete himself and combines the views and experiences of an athlete with the "nose for news" proclivities of a trained newspaper writer. For golf "hunches" he goes onto the golf course and plays with the stars of the game. For baseball "hunches" he gets into uniform and "works out" with the diamond athletes. In these and all other sports he gets at the root of things. His articles are authentic.



Mike Gibbons, left, and Packey McFarland talking over the articles for their \$32,500 bout. The photo shows how the two clever boxers look in street clothes, also how they stack up in size.

BONDS DIDN'T BOX DILLON 'CAUSE DILLON'S IN EAST

Someone is trying to circulate a story about Tacoma to the effect that Joe Bonds, the Tacoma boxer who recently skipped over to Australia, had recently knocked out Jack Dillon in the 16th round of a scheduled 20-round go at Sydney. A popular young boxer who came from the east last week but who says that he does not care to get mixed up in a controversy, declares that Jack Dillon is happily battering his way about the eastern rings, and hasn't been closer to Australia than Chicago this year. Joe Bonds has gone to Australia, and that's all the news concerning him that has come home since he left. The rest of the stuff is press-agentry.

WIN IN 10TH

SEATTLE, Aug. 9.—Shaw's single, aided by another single and a sacrifice scored the winning run for Seattle in the 10th inning of yesterday's game. Score: Vancouver..... 3 7 1 Seattle..... 4 11 2 Batteries: Hughes and Cheek; Eastley and Cadman.

BEAVERS WIN AT EATONVILLE

Taking a large crowd of fans with them in a huge auto bus, the Tacoma Beavers visited Eatonville yesterday and defeated the Eatonville team by a 12 to 10 score. The diamond was rough, and fielding was difficult. The Beavers report that they were given splendid treatment, and they will play another game at Eatonville Sept. 5. Score: Beavers..... 12 15 5 Eatonville..... 10 11 0 Batteries: Rennie and Ketter; Dalbraich and Wright.

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