

# NEWS AND GOSSIP IN SPORTING CIRCLES

## BEAUTES FROM BUTTE GET ALL THE HONORS

### PULL DOWN THE LATEST GAME WITH GRAY'S HARBOR.

#### SEVEN VICTORIES IN A ROW

Take all five of the series from the good bunch from the many towns—Will take on the Tigera from Tacoma on Wednesday.

The estimated attendance to the ball park yesterday was 3,000, the actual paid admissions 2,503. Butte won the fifth straight game from Gray's Harbor, the seventh successive victory and not a home contest lost as yet. That is something of a record. But, added to that, it is to be noted that the Miners are now tied for second place at the .500 mark and not far behind Tacoma's Tigera, who will arrive for a series of five games, starting Wednesday. Butte made this phenomenal jump from the cellar to a grip on the roof in just one week. Has Butte got a ball team?

The game yesterday was a catch-as-catch-can proposition. It was anybody's at any minute, and the uncertainty pleased all of the monstrous crowd. It was not a tight, snug little affair between two pitchers—not a swatfest, but it leaned to that. All sorts of plays were mixed in, the stirring kind that puts a fan on his feet with a jump, whooping like mad, pulled off close beside the unmentionable variety that warns one to grill his teeth together lest he say something. The Miners won only because the sweet lady of fortune found it easier to smile on them than change the expression that has graded her countenance for a week. The Grays stung the ball harder and more often, and hardly an inning passed without some of them on bases, but it was just there they lost. The runners were left high and dry when the inning was suddenly closed. On the other hand, the Buttes batted in bunches and at other times took it easy.

#### His Head Aches.

Although with his head aching so hard he could hardly keep his feet to pitch at the beginning, he was opposed on the slab by Dunn. The Grays grabbed one in the opening number, then singles after two were out doing the trick. In the second Butte had a chance to get a run, but a double steal was nipped in the bud. Again, in the third, the Grays looked dangerous, but a foul fly to McClure ended the agony, with two men left out in the cold on the bag. The fourth inning was eventful. Dunn went up for enough hits to put him on the bench. Besino, at bat first, went down pitcher to first. Adams nailed a triple and Herwig scored him on a single. Baxter lifted one over the wall. It was safe, but Herwig made the second out on a pop fly. However, the two hard two-buggers that followed made everything novel, four earned runs crossing the plate. There was only one left on base when Bare soot at easy one to shortstop. For the Grays the bootlinger brothers did a little special stunt and were all the candy. The Butte relief pitcher, E. P. B. E. was in the garden, stabled a single to touch down. Then "Red" Brown flew out to Besino, but, nothing daunted, Catcher Bootlinger stepped to the plate and straightened out one of Besino's benders in no time at all. It was not because of the wind and Herwig's failure to judge it. On a good day it would have undoubtedly been an out. It was at this point that Doyle relieved Hoop.

#### The Good Little Man.

Bresino's good little noddle kept the visitors from scoring in the fifth. Digging a hard roller out of the dirt he headed off Sullivan trying to make home on the fly.

Both sides talked. In the seventh, the locals, however, all the time keeping their lead. Dunn filled the bases on a pass and two batters hit. Then Adams doubled along the first base line and Herwig scored. The Grays were presented with a walk and got two singles and a double, but could bring but one man home. After this only pitchers were chalked up, but that tells nothing of how close the Harbor bunch came to tying the game. In the eighth and ninth they put no more on bases and there was anxiety among the fans until the last man was down.

The feature was Brown's running one-hand catch of a hit from McClure's bat that looked like a sure thing doubling of the runner at first. The father of the visiting team was roundly cheered. Baxter's work at first was especially commendable. Not a few errors, and probably runs were saved by his smothering of bad throws.

Bresino accepted all chances and got away with 10. The Grays left for Spokane last night and will the ball players will rest until Wednesday.

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Herwig, 1b.....	1	1	2	0	0
Haxler, 3b.....	2	1	1	0	0
Irby, cf.....	3	0	2	1	0
McIntyre, 2b.....	1	1	1	2	0
Hoop, p.....	1	0	0	0	0
Doyle, c.....	1	0	0	0	0
Swindell, c.....	3	1	1	4	2
Bare, 2b.....	3	1	0	3	0
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#### BUTTE.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.E.
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Dunn, 1b.....	5	1	2	5	1
Hurley, cf.....	3	1	2	0	0
Yehring, 3b.....	5	0	2	0	0
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New York.....	39	25	14	.641
Philadelphia.....	40	25	15	.625
Cleveland.....	41	23	18	.563
St. Louis.....	41	22	19	.537
Boston.....	41	22	19	.537
Detroit.....	38	19	19	.500
Chicago.....	37	16	21	.432
Washington.....	39	15	24	.384
Boston.....	41	11	30	.268

#### NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Tacoma.....	24	14	10	.583
Gray's Harbor.....	22	11	11	.500
Butte.....	22	11	11	.500
Spokane.....	20	8	12	.400

#### VANDERBILT WINS AGAIN.

Paris, June 3.—W. K. Vanderbilt's Cincinnati won the Mendon stakes, a hurdle handicap at one mile and seven furlongs, on June 3. The Grande Steeplechase de Paris, a four mile race, for a purse of \$25,000, was won by Gaston Dreyfus' Burgravo II. Thirteen horses started, the first weather brought out an enormous crowd to witness the sport. Present-day riders and members of the cabinet and diplomats attended.

## BUILDER OF YACHTS HAS A GREAT CHANCE

### ALFRED MYLNE MAY DESIGN A WINNER FOR LITTON.

#### IS A PROGRESSIVE WORKER

Will not stick to English traditions as predecessors have done. Shamrock the Fourth will be a new thing in every way.

New York, June 3.—Roseben, who pulled out quite late after his race in the Brooklyn, was in pretty bad condition. The trouble was with his fore feet and is a recurrence of an ailment that has given Roseben more or less trouble since his 2-year-old year. Last summer at Sheephead Bay, when he was beaten by Jround, Roseben's feet were bad, but he rounded to all right in time to make his great end of the season record at Belmont park. Enoch Wishard, who trained Roseben as a 2-year-old and a 3-year-old, experienced much difficulty with the son of Ben Strone on this account, and it was partly due to this that he raced so little in the Drake colors. Frank Weir, who trains Roseben, said this week that he would give the horse a good long rest and hoped that he would come around all right. He believes that with care Roseben may yet show a return to his best form.

#### Cause for Regret.

The passing of Roseben will be regretted by the racing public. The big sprinter is one of the most popular horses in the public eye. The management of the horse this season has not been pleasing to the public. Considering that it may be right to do what his wills with his own, racegoers would have been generally much better pleased had Roseben been reserved for sprint races, especially after he showed no disposition to go farther than seven furlongs in any company.

#### A Progressive Man.

Mr. Mylne is a progressive man. He is not so bound to British tradition as were Watson and Fife in turning out cup yachts. He knows that the challenges have often, if not always, been beaten by the failure to build to the limit of the rule under which the yacht was constructed. Mylne is now ready to go to the limit, as his reputation as a designer will depend very much on his success or failure.

#### First Big One.

The first large yacht was turned out in 1885. Claude A. Allen gave him an order for a 50 footer, and the horse was the result of his work. He has designed the Clyde 2-ton class, and these boats were so good that they were raced until last season. In 1903 A. V. Leuchars ordered a 52-footer, and George Coats ordered a 52 footer. Both of these yachts have made history. In 1904 she was pronounced a masterpiece. Her draught and forward grip have made her a rare boat turning to windward. She goes about with astonishing ease, with her moderate overboard she reaches steadily and will speed and makes a fine showing down the wind. Mr. Mylne's second attempt in this class, the Britonette, built last year for W. P. Burton, was hardly up to Mylne's standard so far as prize-winning goes, but Britonette was something in the way of an experiment in dealing with the long overhang under the rule. Even now, with the experience of a season to judge by, it must not be too hastily decided that the yacht has fallen short of her designer's expectations. She was an improvement toward the end of the season, and, like her brother's Sonsy, she may do better this year.

#### Great Rivalry.

Last year there was great rivalry between the Moyana and the Mayma, designed by Fife. The result was that the Mayma scored 13 beats, 11 seconds and a third out of 35 starts, and the 3-year-old Moyana 12 starts, 5 seconds and a third out of 35 starts. The Mayma finished 34 matches out the Moyana 20. The Britonette started 31 times and finished 25, winning 5 starts and 10 seconds. The Sonsy was the last yacht in the season record. Last year Mylne headed the list in the six-foot class with the Triton and his Army was third, all the four 10-footers, with Lord in the lead, were of his design.

#### On the List.

Water Light is also on the ailing list. He pulled up lame after a game gallop at Gravesend, though it is possible that his injuries are only of a light nature that may be cured by a season of training for a great while. His stable companion, Oiseau, also is on the ailing list and it seems that the big events of the immediate future must be measured in his delivery. The 2-footer of the Brooklyn, who has been better than the class of the contestants is concerned.

#### Broadway Players.

The Centerville Juniors defeated the Broadway Juniors on the grounds of the former yesterday by a score of 4 to 1. Burke and Leahy were the battery for Centerville, Jackson and Robin netting for the Broadway. The first game was the pitching of Burke. The Broadway was the victor before the Centerville at the word yard. Next Sunday they play for the local championship in their class.

#### DUBLIN GULCH KIDS ON TOP.

The Dublin Gulch Juniors turned the tables on the St. Mary's Altar Boys yesterday, winning a close game on the ball field, 3 to 2. The battery was Keen, Brough and Sullivan and Cronin, Delaney and McGraw. Hagan made a very pretty catch at third.

#### BASIN BEATS GREAT FALLS.

Special Dispatch to the Standard. Great Falls, June 3.—The baseball game here to-day between Basin and Great Falls resulted in a victory for Basin by a score of 11 to 5. About 150 residents of Basin accompanied their team to this city, coming on a special train, arriving at noon and remaining until late to-night.

#### EAST SIDERS TO THE GOOD.

A second team of St. Mary's altar boys snowed under the aggregation from St. Patrick's yesterday by a 21 to 7 score. Batteries, John Sullivan and Tom Fitzgerald and Hancock and Egan.

#### A NEW PUBLICATION.

Special Dispatch to the Standard. Bozeman, June 3.—The first copy of a new Montana publication, the Montana Homeseeker, will appear about June 10 from the press of the Republican-Courier. It is a project of A. Buchanan, the booster for the sugar beet committee and for Montana generally, who has organized this issue for distribution among the homeseekers who come to the Crow reservation opening at Billings, Miles City and Sheridan, Wyo. This issue of the paper will be devoted to telling about the attractions of the Gallatin valley for settlers, and will no doubt induce many of the disappointed homeseekers from the reservation opening to come a little farther west.

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