



SALT LAKE BEATEN BY INDIANS AGAIN

Good Work With the Willow at Right Time Landed the Game For Spokane.

PITCHERS PERFORMED WELL.

Hogg Twirled For Indians and Had Better of Argument With the Mighty Jimmy.

Salt Lake was again beaten by the Spokane Indians yesterday afternoon. Timely hitting by their batters turned the trick, but the game was close, the score being three to two. Wiggs and Hogg were the opposing pitchers, and the latter had slightly the better of the argument with the mighty Jimmy Wiggs. While he got off with one hit less than Hogg, the latter managed to keep his hits more scattered.

The game was full of close plays and both teams did fine work with the willow. Among the features were Wood's hit over the fence and Shea's hit for three bases. The game was regarded by Spokane fans as the best of the season. The summary:

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Spokane	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Salt Lake	2	0	0	1	1	2	0	0
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Cincinnati	21	14	.600
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Boston	19	16	.543
Philadelphia	18	17	.514
St. Louis	17	18	.486

Western League.

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Milwaukee	25	10	.714
Portland	23	12	.657
Kansas City	22	13	.625
St. Joseph	21	14	.600
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HOPPER WON RACE LAST EVENING.

Johnnie Fisher Had Another Fall, Which Put Him Out of The Running.

SAXON WILLIAMS GOT LAPS.

Billy Samuelson Now Leads by One Point Over Fisher for Honors In Big Race.

Hopper won the race last evening in the final sprint, Saxon Williams won the greater number of laps, and Johnnie Fisher, whose chances of winning were decidedly good, took a tumble in the seventh mile and was shut out of the running. The crowd in attendance last evening was small, but everybody on hand cheered the efforts of the riders and tried to encourage them in the race.

Up to the time of his accident, Fisher was doing splendidly. He had been made in capturing lap money. He kept all the other riders hustling but when he and Levis came down with a crash, Johnnie decided to quit.

The final sprint was between Hopper, Williams and Samuelson. The first man got away first and was never headed. Williams got second and the Provo lad third. But Samuelson now leads in points, as will be seen from the table below.

The Australian pursuit race for the amateurs slimmered down to a fight between Hopper and Starbuck. The former won the race. The finish was in the following order: Hopper first, Starbuck second, Carl Redman third, Limberg fourth. Time, 5:03; distance, two miles, three laps.

HOW THE RIDERS STAND.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	Total
Samuelson	1	0	0	0	1
Hopper	0	1	0	0	1
Fisher	0	0	1	0	1
Williams	0	0	0	1	1
Downing	0	0	0	0	0
Levis	0	0	0	0	0
Holway	0	0	0	0	0

TOTAL LAPS WON.

	Samuelson	Hopper	Fisher	Williams	Downing	Levis	Holway	Stevens
Samuelson	219							
Hopper	217							
Fisher	63							
Williams	59							
Downing	27							
Levis	14							
Holway	14							
Stevens	4							

Winners of last night's race—Hopper first, Williams second, Samuelson third, Holway fourth.

Hop winners—Williams 55, Levis 45, Samuelson 34, Fisher 20, Holway 20, Hopper 11, Stevens 11.

Distance ridden in the hour—Twenty-four miles, five laps.

Iver Expected Today.

Manager Schegski of the saucer expects Iver Lawson and Floyd McFarland in from the east to compete.

At the last evening's race it was doubtful if any match races will be arranged for the two speedy cyclists. Lawson and McFarland are on their way to Australia.

BUCK WEAVER LANDED.

Comes in from California and Goes with McCloskey to Join Team at Spokane.

Manager McCloskey has finally landed Buck Weaver. The latter came in from California late yesterday afternoon, and shortly after his arrival he accompanied McCloskey to Spokane, where they will join the Salt Lake team. This will be good news to the fans in Salt Lake as Buck will at once enter upon his new duties as boss of the aggregation. It is understood that McCloskey has now so arranged things that the club is practically in local hands, and word has been given that the team is to be strengthened and made the strongest in the league if possible.

ON THE RACE TRACK.

Charter Oak Stake Captured by Billy Buck in Three Straight Heats.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 10.—Billy Buck today won the Charter Oak stake in which a field of 10 horses participated. He won in three straight heats, each beating a race, Walnut Hall and Hawthorne pushed Billy Buck so hard that whipping finishes characterized every heat, the leaders being neck and neck as they passed under the wire. In each heat the first horse received \$1,500 and the second \$500. The remaining \$4,000 was then divided according to the summary at the conclusion of the third heat, \$2,000 to the first horse, \$800 to the second, \$800 to the third and \$500 to the fourth. The final division therefore was: Billy Buck \$2,000, Walnut Hall \$1,500, Hawthorne \$1,000, and Swift \$500.

In the first heat Walnut Hall had the pole and held the lead all the way around. As the horses passed under the wire the finish was so close that none could tell the winner, although some thought that it was either Walnut Hall or a tie. The decision of the judges, however, was in favor of Billy Buck. In the next heat the same two horses

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