

On This Date

June 14, 1911

It wasn't a particularly memorable day for Tacoma right-hander Doc Higgins as the Seattle Giants pound the good dentist for 24 hits, including five home runs and four doubles in an 18-9 Northwestern (B) League victory. Tacoma adds to the fray with 14 hits, including three home runs off of Seattle's Jimmy Wiggs and Grover Knight, who is making his Giants debut after being acquired from the Oakland Oaks.



Led by Norman Cruikshank's five hits, including a double and a home run, every starter in the Giants lineup (with the exception of Wiggs) manages at least one safety with eight having two or more. Seattle totals 44 bases in the game while the Tigers add up 24.

The 23-year-old Higgins, a veteran of World War I and a practicing dentist, yields five unearned runs in the first inning on three Tiger errors and a grand slam by right fielder Frank Weed. Higgins strikes out four and walks one in his "route-going" performance.

Higgins Swatted All Over Lot

EIGHT HOME RUNS FEATURE

Seattle Carries Away 18-to-9 Game With Tacoma.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 15.—In a game featured by eight home runs, Seattle won today 18 to 9 from Tacoma.

The score:

Seattle—				Tacoma—					
Ab.	H.	Po.	A.E.	Ab.	H.	Po.	A.E.		
Leard, 2b	6	3	1	3	Z. Bassey, lf	6	2	5	0
Cocash, cf	6	3	0	0	Coleman, 3b	6	1	3	1
Crk'k, lf	3	5	0	0	Rock'd, 2b	5	1	1	0
Bues, sh	6	3	1	0	Morse, ss	3	3	2	1
Weed, rf	5	1	1	0	Abbott, rf	4	1	0	0
Ort, lb	5	3	1	0	Lynch, cf	5	3	2	0
Ray'd, ss	5	2	3	4	Burns, c	4	3	5	1
Shea, c	4	2	1	0	Fisher, lb	5	1	5	2
Wiggs, p	3	0	0	1	Higgins, p	5	0	1	5
Knight, p	2	2	0	1					

Totals 45 24 27 10 2; Totals 43 14 24 11 2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Seattle	.....	5	0	2	0	0	1	6	4	.....	18
Tacoma	.....	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	.....	9

SUMMARY.

Runs—Leard 3, Cocash, 2, Cruikshank 6, Bues 2, Weed, Ort, Raymond 2, Shea 2, Knight 2, Bassey, Coleman 2, Rockenfield 2, Morse, Lynch, Burns, Fisher. Two-base hits—Knight, Cocash, Cruikshank, Leard, Ort, Fisher. Home runs—Shea, Weed, Leard, Ort, Cruikshank, Bassey, Rockenfield, Coleman. Stolen bases—Bues, Raymond, Coleman. Five runs and 10 hits off Knight in 3 innings; 4 runs and 4 hits off Knight in 3 innings. Opponents at bat—Wiggs 29, Knight 14. Struck out—By Wiggs 3, by Knight 4, by Higgins 5. Bases on balls—Off Wiggs 3, off Higgins 1. Hit by pitched ball—Burns (by Wiggs). Left on bases—Seattle 6, Tacoma 11. Umpire—McCarthy.