

2 STARS KEELY TO BE MISSED BY BEES

Hughes and Murphy Hardly Fill Gap Left by Gedeon and Williams.

BUDDY RYAN IS WEAKENED

More Hitting Power at Second and Better Pitching May Make Salt Lake Formidable; Chabek Signs Oak Contract.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. Better pitching and a little more hitting at the key position...

"GRIZZLIES" NOW YEAR OLD

Medford's Hiking Club Has Membership of 121.

MEDFORD, Or., March 5.—(Special.) The Grizzlies, Medford's hiking club, celebrated the first birthday...



Walter Hummel, Well-Known Portland Athlete, Who Yesterday Was Elected to Captain of 1916 Track and Field Team of Multnomah Club.

On top of Mount Hood has come in possession of the club and the location of Fort Lane has been verified...

OWEN QUINN SIGNS CONTRACT

Beavers' New First-Base Man Gives Up Holdout Proclivities.

Portland's most stubborn Coast League holdout—Owen Quinn, rookie first-sacker from the Syracuse, N. Y. team...

CUE WIZARDS TO PLAY

HOPPE AND YAMADA TO BE HERE FOR EXHIBITION TOMORROW.

World's Champion and Japanese Expert to Play Four Exhibition Games of Billiards Tuesday and Wednesday.

Willie Hoppe and Koji Yamada will arrive in Portland from Everett, Wash., tomorrow morning.

CHASE, ARRESTED, OUT ON BAIL

Star First-Base Man Charged With Non-Support of His Child.

ASHLAND FIVE DEFEATS MEDFORD. The second basketball game in the high school big four series was won here by Ashland over Medford last night...

HUMMEL IS CAPTAIN

Crack Hurdler Elected Head of Winged "M" Track Team.

RAINS PREVENTS PRACTICE

Huggins, Willett, Philbrook, Magone, Murphy, Hummel, Dewey and Hobgood Form Nucleus of 1916 Squad of Athletes.

Walter Hummel is the captain of the 1916 track and field team of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club.

Walter is one of the best all-around athletes at the club and great things are expected of him this season.

A light workout, the first of the year, was scheduled for yesterday morning, but because of the rain and sloppy condition of the track and field, it was called off.

While negotiations are still under way by the Columbia University for the use of the Portland Ice Hippodrome to stage the 13th annual track and field meet, should the events be held a record-breaker entry list could be expected.

GOOD ROUNDS ON BILL

BOUT BETWEEN TRAMBITAS AND SOMMERS FOR BLOOD.

Wayne F. Lewis Offers Prize in Case Jim Kelly Falls to Stop Isaac Cohen.

Tomorrow night's semi-windup at the Rose City Athletic Club between Valley Trambitas and Al Sommers, middleweights, is not eclipsed very far by the main event.

SALEM LOSES AT CHESS

PORTLAND DROPS CHECKER CONTEST 3 1/2 TO 1 1/2.

Local Chess Players Take 6 of 10 Matches, Lose One and Draw 3, Making Count 7 1/2 to 2 1/2.

"FOOD FOR FANS" REGARDING THE SALT LAKE PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE TEAM.

Table listing player statistics for the Salt Lake Pacific Coast League team, including names like Brian, Murphy, and Hallinan.

YOUNG SPRINTERS BEATEN

Printer of 38 Does 100 in 18 Seconds, Leading Lads in 20s.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 5.—(Special.) Youth was humbled before age in a 100-yard dash on deserted Main street at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

LETTER AWALTS BOBBY EVANS.

There is a letter for Bobby Evans, manager of Billy Mascott, at the sporting editor's desk.

a low ebb. Now interest has returned with greater bulk than ever, and barring a whirlpool of war that shall drag America in, 1916 is sure to bring a sporting revival almost without parallel.

You can tell this through the greatly increased interest in baseball, in golf competitions, in the fight game, in a dozen ways shown by the eagerness of the non-combatant to have the attention sized up.

Salaries. Ballplayers, in certain instances, may be paid too much. But not often. And one of the greatest goat-getters we know of is the statement that if it wasn't for baseball this star or that would be lucky to make \$2 a day.

The ballplayer gets comparatively nothing compared to the boxer. Jess Willard knocked out Jack Johnson and signed up with a circus.

I wonder if, beyond the Styx, Upon that dark Plutonian shore, They keep on talking politics.

I wonder, down in hell's red jaws, Were things as in a snoring snore.

Isn't there some sort of boxing commission or boxing association that can make Freddie Welsh defend his title over in 19-round distance?

The cases of Willard and Welsh are different. There has been no first-class heavyweight to meet Willard, but with Benny Leonard or Charley White Mr. Welsh could obtain all the entertainment he could use in a 30-round affair.

Maxims of the 19th Hole. Hell hath no fury like a bunkered dufer.

OREGON CITY SEEKING GAME

Contest With McMinnville Basketball Team Is Wanted.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 5.—(Special.)—Oregon City High School is making a desperate effort to secure a basketball game with McMinnville High School.

The regular lineup of the team was Green; center; Miller and Milliken, forwards, and King and Farr, guards.

NO ICE TO BE FREE

Eastern Style of Hockey to Be Played Tonight.

SIX MEN TO BE ON SIDE

Uncle Sams, in Game With All-Stars, to Prepare for World's Series by Trying National Hockey Association Rules.

Portland ice hockey fans will have the opportunity of seeing Eastern, or six-man, style of play.

The 1916 champions have not been able to work out against a team playing six men, but because half the games in the world's series are played under National Hockey Association regulations the Portlanders want to try it out.

The Pacific Coast style of play is far faster than the Eastern, according to those familiar with both kinds.

There is no "free territory" on the ice the way the Easterners play the game, in the Pacific Coast Association there is a 70-foot space in the center where the players are allowed to pass the puck forward, but such is not the case in the East.

All passing must be across or back or players must carry the puck through the East.

The first period tonight against the All-Stars will be Western style, with the second in Eastern style, and should the audience want to see more six-man combination it will be put on for the final count.

At present the Canadians, of Montreal, are leading the National Hockey Association, but the Portlanders feel that the opponents in the world's



CHOOSE a friend like you would your smokin' tobacco. Don't have one that ain't wuth keepin' always and that you won't grow to like better ev'ry day. A PIPE of VELVET! A jovial, kindly companion, whose mellow friendliness has brightened many a trying hour for us.

10c Tins 5c Metal-lined Bags One Pound Glass Humidor

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TO-MORROW NIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

SMOKER Jimmy Fox vs. Joe Benjamin

Northwest Defender. At Sommers vs. Valley Trambitas.

PULLEN WINS 100-MILE RACE

Burman and Cooper Second and Third at New Ascot Speedway.

ICE HOCKEY

Last Game of the Season TONIGHT ALL-STARS AGAINST PORTLAND 8:30 P. M. Sharp Portland Ice Hippodrome, 21st and Marshall