

THE BATTERERS PURSUITS

Fans Long for Days of "Simon-Pure" Mixers.

SOME BOXERS IN MOVIES

Numerous Amateurs Entered Professional Ranks Through Revival of Old Rose City Club.

With a new crop of stellar amateur boxers in the making, one is moved to look back at the old "Simon-Pure" mixers of that day who furnished the only flat entertainment Portland boxing followers were then privileged to enjoy. Previous to 1915 four rounds were the limit and none of the boxers then appearing before the fans was more than a semi-pro at most.

Those boys have entered many lines of endeavor. When the professional mitt game was revived here through the old Rose City Athletic club many of the amateurs decided to enter the professional ranks. Among the promoters who took that step and later developed into first-rate professional fighters were Billy MacScott, Al Hansen, Valley Trambles, Abe Gordon, Sammy Gordon, Touhy Wing, George Brandon, Jack Wagner, Jack Allen, Billy Nelson, Joe Benjamin, Earl Mibus, Yost Schmeer, Jimmy Moscow, Carl Hansen, Al Beyer, Donny Derbyshire, Ted Derbyshire, Walter Knowlton, Ralph Gruman and many others.

Wagner Says He's Through.

Ralph Underwood, Harry Hansen, Oscar Carlson, Summerville, Ed Conquist, Carmen Svenson, Art Kopplinger, Dick Hewitt, Frank Heulal, Walter Williams, Len Powers, Harry Groat and Ed Boatwright, all main-eventers in the amateur days, fighting under the colors of Multnomah club or the army, remained true to their amateur traditions and never entered the professional ranks. There were dozens of others who flashed to the front for a short while only to be back into oblivion, even among the amateurs.

Of the first named batch of boys, Wagner, Trambles, the two Gordons, Wing, Brandon, Benjamin and Beyer are the only ones still boxing in the ring. Wagner is boxing instructor in the army, but says he will through forever with the fight game. Jack Allen, who put up many a tough fight here, is fighting on a railroad. Mibus, Schmeer, Moscow, Hansen, Ted and Donny Derbyshire, Knowlton, Gruman and McNeill all are in some trade or business and have not boxed for several years. Gruman is still identified with the game, but as referee for the Portland boxing commission.

Several Enter Movies.

Al McNeill, Walter Williams and Len Powers have developed here, all are in the moving picture business in Los Angeles. They are interested in the technical end of it and have been quite successful. McNeill returned to Portland three or four years ago for a short time, but Williams and Powers never tried the ring as a means of livelihood.

Harry Groat, who once was about the best boy at his weight here, deserted the ring early in his career for a life of pleasure and good times. He registered such success that he stuck with it and put over some of the biggest winners in the country.

This crop of boys included a bunch of real fighters. They started as Simon-pure, but when clubs began to spring up in the city, they were city and to bid against each other for the boys, merchandise slips and other means of giving the boys something besides the old "Simon-pure" came into vogue. Toward the last the "amateurs" were getting purser and some of the boys were getting half the battlers were refused amateur cards.

This led to a gradual working over of the game and many of the boys went professional. The six two-minute round bouts with a knock down ending a round at the Rose City Athletic club marked the restoration of the pro game. Several years later Mayor Baker appointed a municipal boxing commission and the three-minute rounds were permitted.

The next step was the taking over of the game by the boxing commission and the end of the so-called private promoters. Then the legislature passed the ten-round law three years ago. Naturally, with the professional game back after a layoff of years, few of the fans cared to attend the amateur bouts.

Then again, the fans were really no amateurs left with any class. Now in turn the fans are somewhat weary of the paid professionals and seem in a receptive mood to welcome once again the Simon-pure glove pushers, the more so as so many of the boys are coming up.

Some real class-looking youngsters are fighting under the colors of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club, the Army Athletic association and the B'nai B'rith club. One of the biggest crowds that ever attended an amateur card was on hand for last night's bill at the armory. The success of that venture has pepped up the club officials into action and they welcome such a card at least once a month hereafter.

SMITH ON GRID COMMITTEE

California Couch to Represent Coast at Rules Meeting.

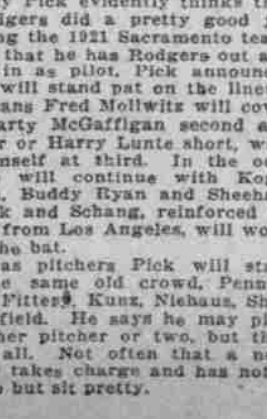
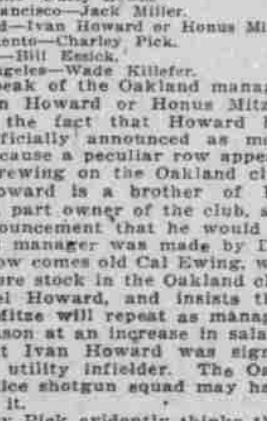
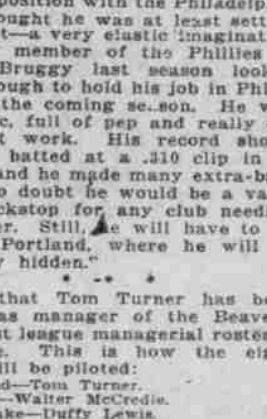
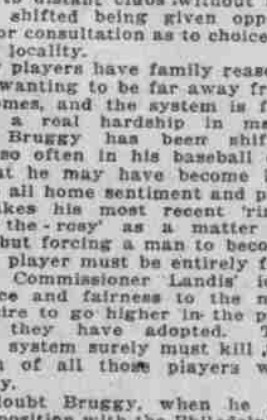
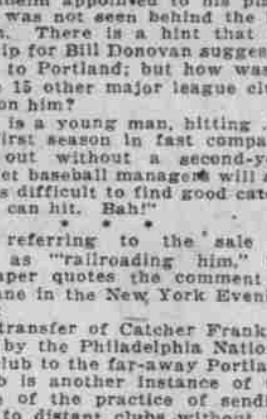
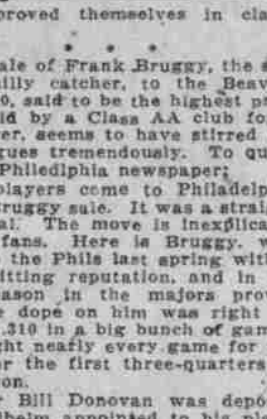
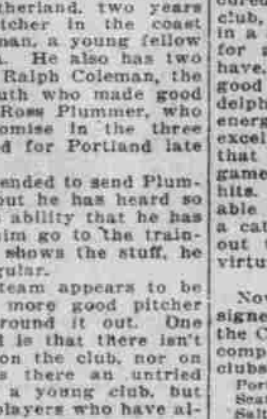
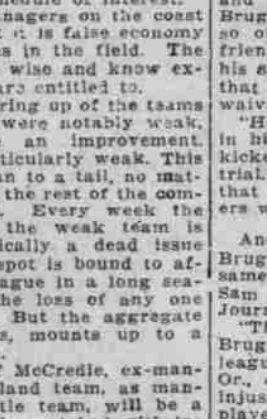
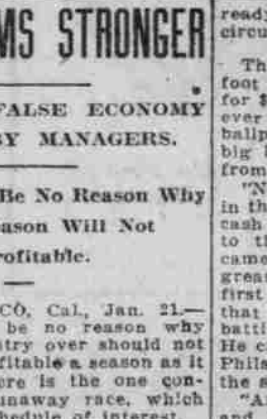
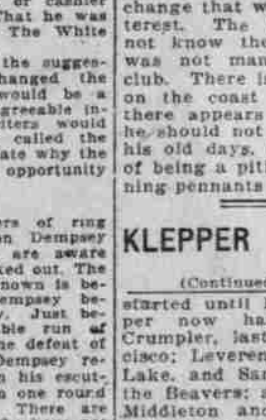
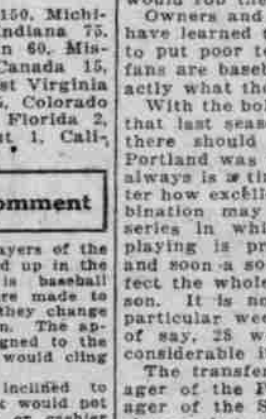
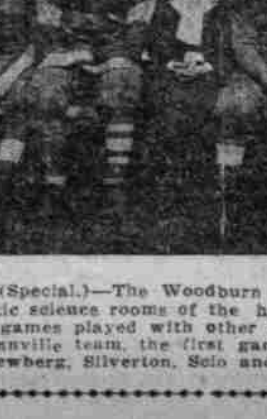
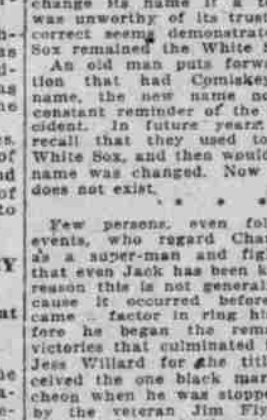
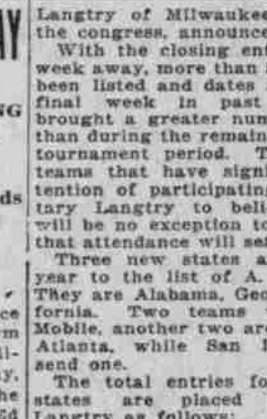
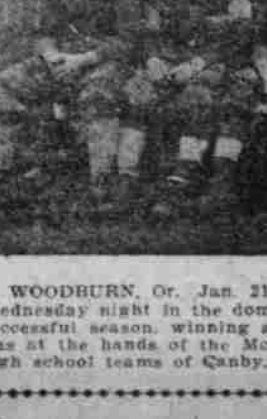
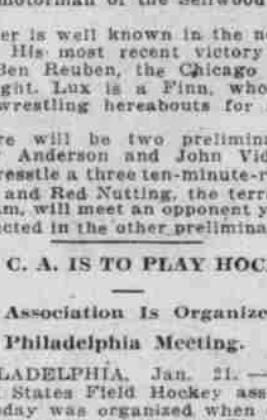
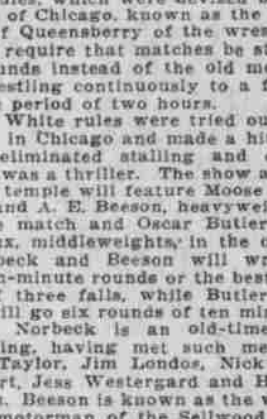
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Andy Smith, coach of the University of California football team, will be a member of the intercollegiate rules committee this year, according to a statement made by him. The meeting will be held some time in the spring, probably in New York, and Andy will represent the Pacific coast.

Last year Walter Powell, then head coach at Stanford, represented the coast, but since Powell will leave Stanford next fall and also since he is no longer coaching at Stanford, the committee evidently saw fit to appoint Smith as the coast representative.

The appointment of Smith is expected to meet with favor in all colleges and universities on the coast. There will be few changes in football rules for next season, it is said, and those rules changed are expected to be of minor importance. Last year there was talk about a change to modify the forward pass, but no change was made.

Stanford Improves Court.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Palo Alto, Cal., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Glass basketballs, the first ever used on the Pacific coast, have been installed in Stanford's new \$30,000 basketball pavilion. The new structure, which was dedicated January 14, has a seating capacity of 4,000.



OUTLOOK SUMMER CITY PARKS GOLFER

Practically Nothing Done to Handle Crowds.

SEASON IS AT HAND

Those Fortunate Enough to Belong to Private Clubs Are Not Worrying.

BY GEORGE COWNE.

Another golf season is about to break out and as yet practically nothing has been done to provide for the steadily increasing number of golfers who depend on the municipal links for their daily round. Another couple of months and the players will be swarming to the links.

Those fortunate enough to belong to a private club are not worrying but the outlook for the municipal golfer is pretty bleak. Of course, there is the Eastmoreland links, but unless the city of Portland comes to some sort of an agreement with the Ladd estate, which owns the Eastmoreland tract, the golfers are liable to be denied the privilege of playing on this course.

The five-year agreement, by which 150 acres in Eastmoreland were made available for public use as a golf course, free of rent, expired last year. The city now has no claim to the Eastmoreland course and the Ladd estate is at liberty to turn the course over to any other greens and fairways if it so desires. There is not much likelihood that this will be the case, but the city does not expect to retain the golf course unless it enters into some agreement with the Ladd estate.

The city has two possible alternatives. One is to renew the old lease for another five years, if this can be done. The other is for the city to buy the 150 acres, which comprise the first and second nines of the municipal course. The Ladd estate has expressed willingness to dispose of the property to the city for its assessed valuation.

A meeting will be held soon by the municipal golf committee, composed of Mayor Kuyper, superintendent of the park bureau, Victor A. Johnson and T. Morris Dunne and representatives of the Ladd estate. It is expected some agreement may be reached whereby the Eastmoreland tract can be retained as a municipal course.

Last year when it first became known that the city was planning on building a course on the site of the old country poor farm on Canyon road, it was supposed that this new course would save the day for the municipal golfer, but to date not a shovel of dirt has been turned and the city is toward building a new course. There is some hope but not much that this course will be ready about the middle of next summer.

Committees have been appointed by the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club, the Portland Golf club, Portland Heights club and other organizations to devise means of raising funds to build the course. These committees have been turned over to the city and the city has adopted a plan to build a new course.

At the annual meeting and election of directors at the Waverly Country club last night, the following directors were elected: A. C. U. Berry, W. M. Cook, Prescott Cookingham, C. H. Nelson, H. P. Thompson, H. P. Thompson, H. P. Thompson and George Maxwell. The election was merely a formality, as only nine names were on the list, and the club is in a very poor condition for play due to the recent snow.

TEAM MAY GO TO RELAY AT PHILADELPHIA.

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