MULTNOMAH ELEVEN WON

DEFEATED PACIFIC UNIVERSITY BY ONE TOUCHDOWN.

Pratt Crossed the College Team's Line Near the End of First Half, and Dolph Kicked Goal.

FOREST GROVE, Oct. 16.—Pacific University held Multnomah Athletic Club down to a single touchdown here today in a hard, fast contest on the campus gridiron. A fast field and perfect weather conditions enabled the teams to put up a fine game from the spectators' standpoint.

The 'varsity players were in better condition than their opponents, and kept them on the jump. The heavy linemen of the club team were rather outclassed by their antagonists in the first half. Multnomah lost the ball on downs twice. Both teams used the guards-back formation, but the clubmen were unable to get into motion quickly enough to make use of the play.

Pacific won the toss and Captain Day chose the east goal. Multnomah kicked off. Faulkner ran the ball in 10 yards before he was downed. Wilcox gained 10 yards. Pacific was forced back on the next play and Millis punted 25 yards.

Kerrigan fumbled and Wilcox gained six yards for the crimson and black. On a fumble, Multnomah got the ball and Dolph bucked for two yards. Dolph punted 25 yards. Pratt gained four yards in two downs. Rose got off side, and the university was given the ball.

Faulkner gained three yards. Millis punted 25 yards. Multnomah was shoved back for five yards. University got the ball on downs. Faulkner, Day and Wilcox brought the ball to the 50-yard line of the Multnomah Club. Millis punted 20 yards.

Dolph punted 25 yards. Millis and Dolph exchanged punts, and Millis ran the ball back 22 yards before he was downed. They again exchanged punts. Multnomah got the ball on downs.

Montague made two yards, followed by more small gains by the club. Kirkley then broke through left tackle for a run of 42 yards. He was downed by Millis on the 18-yard line of the university. Pratt gained five yards. Dolph ran two yards to the seven-yard line. Pratt went over for a touchdown just as the half was over. Dolph kicked a goal.

Second Half.

Pacific kicked off in the second half. White gained 15 yards on the run-in. Baker blocked well and Pacific got the ball. Millis gained five yards on a fake. Wilcox was thrown back for a loss. Millis punted and Via downed Kerrigan on the club's five-yard line. Montague gained two yards and Pratt 18 yards. Montague and Kirkley ran to their 35-yard line.

Dolph punted. Pacific gained 15 yards on line bucks, but lost the ball to the club on downs. Dolph and White broke through for small gains. Time was called with the ball in Multnomah's possession on the college 27-yard line.

The Line-Up.

Pacific.	Position.	M. A. A. C.
Barnett	R E L	Neal
Baker	R T L	Kirkley
Peck	R G L	Ross
Yoder	C	Holston
Philbrook	L G R	Van Voorhees
Spagle	L T R	Pratt
Via	L E R	Smith
Millis	Q	(capt) Kerrigan
Wilcox	R H L	Montague
Faulkner	L H R	White
Day (capt)	F	Dolph

Twenty-five and 20-minute halves.
Officials—Smith, umpire; Lawler, referee.

PROSPECTS AT PULLMAN.

Washington Agricultural College Eleven Hopeful of Victory.

PULLMAN, Wash., Oct. 16.—The Washington Agricultural College football team has a phenomenal past. From its first appearance in 1895 its record is one of unbroken victory. In the Fall of 1900 Will L. Allen, of the University of Michigan, coached the team. His burly "Agrics" won the four games played in the Inland Empire, and held the University of Washington down to a score of 5 to 5 at Seattle on Thanksgiving day.

This year the team gives promise of being stronger than ever. W. H. Namack, a graduate of Cornell and center on last year's team, is coaching the Pullmanites. He is noted throughout the East as an aggressive player, and will no doubt turn out a winning team at Pullman. Coach Namack is assisted by Charles H. Goodsel, Pullman's famous halfback, who was graduated from the college last June. Captain A. L. Hooper appears on the gridiron this year for the last time, and much good work is expected of him as left tackle.

The faculty of the college is well disposed towards athletics, and besides giving liberal financial aid, members of that august body are not infrequently to be seen in the little amphitheater that partly surrounds the gridiron, watching the boys in their practice games against the scrubs.

The first game of the season will be played at Pullman, October 18, with the Lewiston Normal School. Other games will be played as follows: University of Idaho, at Moscow, October 24; University of Washington, at Pullman, November 1; University of Oregon, at Pullman, November 9; University of Montana at Pullman, November 18; and Whitman College, at Walla Walla, November 28. All of these will be hard games, as all of these teams are well coached. Pullman has a strong line, and backs are showing up well.

CORVALLIS ENTERS THE FIELD.

Will Have Football Eleven and Play Chemawa and Pacific.

CORVALLIS, Oct. 16.—The first intercollegiate football game to be played on the Agricultural College field in two years takes place next Saturday between the college and Albany College elevens. Places on the O. A. C. team have not yet been assigned. The eleven will be almost entirely made up of new material, Captain John Gault and Center Lewie Burnough being the only old players available. With about 300 young men to draw from, however, it is likely that a very good team will be mustered. The boys are without a coach, except such service as Captain Gault will be able to render in that line. All games in which the O. A. C. eleven is to participate must be played under rules, published recently in The Oregonian, under which professionalism is entirely eliminated. The team is not allowed to play with other colleges that do not abide by these rules.

The O. A. C. team has partially arranged a game with the Chemawa eleven for November 2, and with Pacific University for November 16.

ITS FIRST FOOTBALL ELEVEN.

Mount Angel College, However, Expects to Make a Good Showing.

MOUNT ANGEL, Oct. 16.—The athletic outlook for Mount Angel College this year is very promising. For the first time in its history the institution will be represented by a football eleven, with Joseph Keil as manager, Glen Butler as coach and Bernard Hermann as captain. Other members of the square are J. Byron, H. Cornell, B. Porter, J. Porter, W. Campian, A. Mickel, C. Armstrong, E. Sheridan, G. McGregor, M. Lennig, J. McGrath, J. Casey, H. Cohen. The team is practicing hard for its first match game, which will come off on the 19th with the State Normal School at Monmouth. The new outfit comprises white canvas suits with the M. A. C. monogram worked in gold, white and old gold, being the Mount Angel colors.

Yale, 45; Bowdoin, 0.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 16.—Despite their plucky playing, the Bowdoin football players went down under Yale's attack this afternoon by the score of 45 to 0. The game was of the whirlwind order from the start until the very last minute of play.

Pennsylvania, 20; Virginia, 5.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 16.—The University of Virginia football eleven played Pennsylvania a hard game today, but the latter won by a score of 20 to 5.

Willamette University Organizes.

SALEM, Oct. 16.—Willamette University football team organized today by electing Victor Graham captain and H. E. Savage manager.

Harvard, 16; Wesleyan, 0.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 16.—Harvard defeated Wesleyan this afternoon, 16 to 0. The play was slow and ragged.

RACES AT LA GRANDE.

Lon Crews Won the Union County Race—All Were Interesting.

LA GRANDE, Oct. 16.—The races today were the best yet held at the fair. The Union County race was closely contested. The entries were R. Mays' Colonel Ott; F. S. Stanley's McKay; R. Britt's Lon Crews, and N. K. West's Taffeta Silk. Lon Crews took first heat. McKay was lamed and withdrawn. Taffeta Silk was also lamed, but won the second heat. Colonel Ott took the third heat. Lon Crews took the fourth heat and won; time, 2:37, 2:33½, 2:32½, 2:36. The horses are all green. Taffeta Silk showed the best speed, but broke frequently.

The special trot was made up of regular circuit horses Martha Whips, Starkey, Ned Thorn and Oveta, who finished twice in this order in 2:16¼ and 2:16, breaking the track record, which was held by Umahollis, 2:17¾.

The half-mile running race was won by Dewey. Quicksilver second, Grace W. third; time, 49 seconds.

Races at Morris Park.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The results:

Steeplechase, about two miles—Baby Bill won, Salesman second, Dr. Eichberg third; time, 4:04½.

High-weight handicap, six furlongs—Slip Thrift won, Gale second, Setauket third; time, 1:14¾.

The McGrathiana stakes, selling, about seven furlongs—Animosity won, Glennellie second, Templeton third; time, 1:28½.

Selling, seven furlongs—Joymaker won, Trump second, Bessie McCarthy third; time, 1:29¾.

Selling, one and a sixteenth miles—Astor won, Inshot second, Hentry third; time, 1:47½.

Races at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 16.—The Fair Grounds results:

Five furlongs—Called Back won, Leenja second, Ruby Ray third; time, 1:05¼.

Six and a half furlongs, selling—Assessment won, Colton second, Aline S. third; time, 1:26¾.

Six furlongs, purse—Claies won, Tremar second, Brulare third; time, 1:18.

Six and a half furlongs—Ethyiene won, Jordon second, Colonial Girl third; time, 1:29½.

One and a sixteenth miles—Petit Maitre won, South Breeze second, Picadore third; time, 1:53.

One mile—Nannie Nolan won, Irving Mayor second, Mr. Brookwood third; time, 1:47.

Races at Lexington.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 16.—The results:

The 2:08 class, pacing, $1500—Will Leyburn won the second, third and fourth heats; best time, 2:07¼. The Admiral won the first heat in 2:09¾. There was six starters.

The 2:14 class, pacing, $1000—Cambria Maid won the second, third and fourth heats; best time, 2:08¼. Pinches Wilkes won the first heat in 2:13¾. Eight starters.

The 2:14 trot, $1000—Walter Kaim won in straight heats; best time, 2:11¾.

Races at Worth.

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—The Worth results:

Mile and an eighth—Lindel Ella won, W. B. Gates second, Strangest third; time, 2:02.

Seven furlongs—C. B. Campbell won, Merriment second, Tom Kingsley third; time, 1:33 3-5.

Five furlongs—Gallatrie won, Stella Perkins second, Inspector Shea third; time, 1:04.

One mile—Rolling Boer won, Jessie Jarboe second, MacGyle third; time, 1:43 1-5.

Mile and a sixteenth—Benckart won, Tammany Chief second, Valdez third; time, 1:54 3-5.

Seven furlongs—Lord Roberts won, Evelyn Byrd second, Cathedral third; time, 1:33 4-5.

Will Train Keene Thoroughbreds.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—It is reported that James Rowe will go to England next season and look after the thoroughbreds in that country of James R. and F. Keene. Mr. Rowe has trained some of the best horses in the Keene stables, including Commando.

RACES BETWEEN BALL PLAYERS.

Novel Feature Will Be Introduced This Afternoon.

At the baseball game this afternoon a novel feature will be introduced. Hundred-yard dashes have been arranged between Lynch and Weed, right fielders of the Tacoma and Portland teams, and Murdock and Muller, left fielders. There has been some talk among the fans as to which are the faster men on the nines, and this method has been taken of deciding the result. All four men are fast base-runners, and the only way to decide which is the fastest is to match them together on a straight path. Later in the week there will be base-running contests against time, and throwing contests.

Latest Baseball Rumor.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The latest baseball rumor, says the Times, credits State Senator Timothy D. Sullivan and Frank Farrell, local Tammany leaders, with having accepted the responsibilities of backing the proposed American League baseball scheme in New York in opposition to the National League.

Westbrook Golf Tournament.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The annual invitation tournament of the Westbrook Golf Club was begun today on the links near Great River, L. I. Sixteen players qualified for the Westbrook cup, the principal prize, and only four are left in for the consolation cup. Following are the scores of the first 10:

W. J. Travis, Garden City, 160; Louis Livingston, Jr., Westbrook, 161; E. S. Knapp, Westbrook, 166; C. T. Tappin, Westbrook, 169; C. H. Seeley, Weeburn, 171; R. C. Watson, Jr., Westbrook, 178; W. C. Carnegie, Pittsburg, 177; C. F. Watson, Westbrook, 179; A. M. Robbins, St. Andrews, 180; A. Dewitt Cochrane, Ardsley, 181.

John Erskine's Offer.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The alleged intention of John Erskine, a merchant of Belfast, to issue a challenge for the America's cup in behalf of a syndicate, is not taken seriously here. The secretary of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club telegraphs to the Associated Press:

"The matter is absolutely unknown to the committee. There is no such name on the list of membership."

In response to an inquiry as to the report that he was the chairman of a syndicate of 14 organized to challenge for the America's cup, John Erskine said:

"The report was prematurely published and without my authority. I regret that I cannot afford further information just now."

Shamrock's Crew Goes Home.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The crew of Shamrock II sailed for home today on the St. Louis. George Watson, designer of Shamrock II, and Thomas Ratsey, the sailmaker, sailed on the steamer Oceanic.

OBJECTS TO FREEDOM

AGUINALDO AGAIN POSING AS A MARTYR.

Sixto Lopez Being Closely Watched at Hong Kong—Many Natives Perished in Manila Typhoon.

MANILA, Oct. 16.—The party of Senators and Representatives that has been visiting the Philippine Islands left today for home on the United States transport Sherman. Before leaving, the members of the party had an interview with Aguinaldo, who, however, was reticent. He said the original outbreak of hostilities was a surprise to him, and that his efforts to maintain the truce were unavailing.

Aguinaldo has written to a lawyer, who is trying to obtain a writ of habeas corpus in his behalf, objecting to the course taken by the lawyer, saying that he prefers to remain a prisoner while there is one compatriot languishing in jail, "suffering for the Filipino cause, and an infinity of Filipinos are deprived of the liberty which they are anxious to obtain."

The civil and military authorities are having Sixto Lopez closely watched at Hong Kong, as they consider his arrival there to be a source of danger.

The Philippine Commission has passed an act prohibiting any suspect from landing unless he takes the oath of allegiance, the penalty for breaking it being two years' imprisonment for perjury.

The typhoon which has just swept over Manila was the worst experienced in 20 years. Much damage was done to the smaller shipping, and many natives lost their lives.

Admiral Van Reypen Reports.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Surgeon-General of the Navy Van Reypen, in his annual report, says that the large proportion of our naval force which has been employed in the waters in the Philippine Islands during the past fiscal year has been notably free from epidemic diseases, and that with the exception of Cavite fever, the diseases with which patients have been admitted to the Cavite hospital have been those that would have occurred in any Southern climate.

Admiral Van Reypen announces that his bureau proposes to change the location of the hospital at Cavite to Chanacao, at a cost of $50,000.

Typhoid fever on Guam Island is said to have almost disappeared, as a result of better water supply, and the reports from Samoa, San Juan and Cuba indicate very little disease.

In conclusion, Admiral Van Reypen calls attention to the health of the Navy and Marine Corps, which he says was nearly as good as the normal, notwithstanding the Chinese campaign and much tropical service.

Insurrection Practically Subdued.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—"The Americans have practically subdued the insurgents in the Philippines," said Chairman John Howard Gwyther, reviewing the position of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China at a meeting of the shareholders. "Order is slowly evolving out of chaos, and the natives, feeling that peace could be relied upon, are resuming their ordinary avocations."

Ordered to Manila.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—Rev. Dr. A. L. Hazlett, of Colorado Springs, Colo., will leave for Manila on the army transport Thomas today. It is stated that he goes to the islands under the sanction of the War Department as a Commissioner, to investigate charges of immorality in the military camps.

More Teachers for Manila.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—The transport Thomas sailed this afternoon for Manila with a large number of passengers, among them being several officers and about 50 teachers. There are also many civilian employes.

NICARAGUA BUYS A CRUISER

Invests in a Half-Million Dollar German Vessel.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Sept. 24.—It is reported here that President Zalaya has purchased a small armored cruiser from Germany, having turrets fore and aft, and breech-loading rifled cannon. The cost is said to be about $350,000 gold; but with her ammunition, shells and other supplies the cost will be about $460,000 gold.

It is believed the cruiser must have been sold partly on credit, because it is declared that the Government of Nicaragua has no cash to offer. Besides this, people here do not see what can be offered as security for the vessel, unless it is a part of the duties collected on imports, as everything in Nicaragua worth being considered satisfactory security is already fully pledged.

The question also arises as to why the vessel was purchased, for Nicaragua is at peace with all countries, even with Colombia, and there are people who say the warship may be in some manner used in forming a National Central American Government. The result, just now, of this report is the stiffening of the rate of foreign exchange, in the face of the fact that many bills of exchange are freely offered at present by owners of coffee estates for the purpose of procuring currency to pay for the work of clearing the weeds and undergrowth from between the coffee trees, preparatory to the gathering of the coffee crop.

One division of the Supreme Court of Nicaragua by a recent decision, in the case of Chief of Police of Managua vs. Augustin Garcia, a notary public, accused of using disrespectful language in reference to President Zelaya, has decided to be in force a law which places the country in a "state of siege," that is, under martial law. The law in question was decreed by President Zelaya in 1896, owing to the outbreak of a revolution against him, and declared the country to be in a state of siege, and that no person should criticise the acts of the President or of his army or of his officials adversely, under such penalty as a court-martial might inflict. The branch of the Supreme Court at Managua declared Garcia guilty under this law, and so the case stands, unless the decision be revoked by a majority of the two other branches of that court, in the event of the case being appealed. In such cases the decision by one branch is declared "final," yet it may be appealed.

The censorship exercised over the cable messages is oftentimes quite severe, the censor expunging from them every mention of facts that are in the least degree adversely critical of the government, and sometimes even refusing to permit the cabling of items that have appeared in one or both of the daily newspapers published at the capital, after having been closely scanned by the censor. The reason for this strictness of censorship is not apparent.

McClellan Sues for Honolulu Isle.

HONOLULU, Oct. 9.—Suit has been begun against the United States by George B. McClellan for possession of Quarantine Island, in Honolulu harbor. McClellan claims the island under a title that was at one time recognized by the Hawaiian Government, but which was afterwards, by the same government, declared to be a mere fishing title. The island is about 36 acres in extent and has long been used for quarantine purposes.

Major Rathbone Indicted.

HAVANA, Oct. 16.—The indictments in the Havana postoffice cases, sent by the Fiscal to the Audiencia, implicate E. G. Rathbone jointly with C. W. Neely and W. H. Reeves in defrauding the Government, his complicity being based on the contention that he permitted—and therefore consented to and tacitly authorized—the fraudulent transactions. The whole amount of the alleged embezzlement on all counts in the indictment is estimated at about $150,000. The Fiscal has recommended that each of the accused be fined in this amount, and also that Rathbone be sentenced to imprisonment for 25 years, Neely for 25 years and six months, and Reeves for 24 years and six months.

WAR ON TICKET SCALPING.

American Association of G. P. & T. As Takes It Up.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Oct. 16.—Vigorous warfare against ticket scalping is to be waged by the American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents, which opened its annual convention here today. While no action was taken, the matter was freeley discussed, and from the tone of the discussion it was perfectly evident that drastic action against all forms of railway ticket frauds will be taken by the convention. Nearly 100 members of the association are in attendance. Seventeen new members were admitted to the association, among them being F. C. Smith, general passenger agent of the Oahu Railway, the only railroad in Hawaii.

Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese Minister, was the guest at a banquet tendered to the members tonight at the Battery Park Hotel. The guests arose en masse and cheered as Minister Wu's name was announced. After paying fitting tribute to the enthusiastic reception accorded him, Minister Wu said that, as director of roads, he had the honor of organizing the first railroad in China. He had encountered many difficulties, both in the transportation of passengers and freight, but in a measure these had been overcome. The best methods of both American and European railways had been followed by China in the conduct of its railroads, but even yet the operation of the lines was far short of perfection.

Again President Hill Denies.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern, who is in the city, interviewed concerning his mission here in the East, took pains to deny the report of the combination of the Northwest roads. Asked regarding the statement that a proprietary company would take over a majority of the Great Northern shares in order to simplify control and place the management in a more permanent shape, Mr. Hill said he would rather not discuss Great Northern at present. He emphatically denied that he had sold out most of his interest in the Erie Railroad, and said that there was no truth in the statement that President F. D. Underwood was to leave the Erie and go with the Great Northern. Mr. Hill said he believed it was Mr. Underwood's intention to remain with the Erie.

Change on the Northwestern.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 16.—Immediately following the visit of the Chicago & Northwestern officials to this city comes the announcement that the policy heretofore in vogue on that system as to the general agents of the company reporting to headquarters at Chicago is to be changed. In future the Salt Lake and the Spokane general agents will report to the general Western agent, who is to be appointed, with headquarters at Denver. This position will be given to D. W. Aldridge, who is general agent for the Northwestern at Cleveland, O. The general agent at Portland, however, will report to San Francisco.

More Cars to Oregon City.

An additional car was yesterday put on the Oregon City trolley line, and a new time schedule went into effect. Hereafter cars will run at intervals of 40 minutes, instead of 45, beginning at 7 A. M. The last through car leaving Oregon City will be 10:20, instead of 10:30, as heretofore, but the latest through car from Portland will leave at 11:20 hereafter, instead of 10:30. Besides the more frequent cars, the running time is brought inside an hour. The great improvements in track, which are still going forward, and increase in rolling stock make this improvement in service possible.

Preparing for Consolidation.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Oct. 16.—Articles of incorporation of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company were filed here today with a capital stock of $100,000,000. The object is to acquire certain lines and property of the Burlington system, composed of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company, of Illinois, and numerous other roads and branches in Western States and combine them under one management. It is thought the intention is to turn the consolidation over to the Morgan-Hill syndicate.

Change at Irving Station.

EUGENE, Oct. 16.—Mr. O. P. Hoff, who has acted as station agent for the Southern Pacific at Irving for the past 20 years, has been transferred to Portland, where he is given a position in the freight department. B. F. Bond succeeds to the position at Irving.

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL.

Next Meeting Will Be Held at Des Moines—Officers Elected.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 16.—The National Council of Congregational Churches today elected Rev. Asher Anderson, of Meriden, Conn., secretary; Rev. Joel S. Iyes, of Hartford, Conn., registrar, and Rev. Samuel B. Forbes, of Hartford, Conn., treasurer.

The discussion on the appointment of salaried officers of the six missionary societies by an executive board of limited governing membership of the Home Society, and of one administrative head, was resumed today. After a brief discussion, the council adopted the resolution as a whole. A resolution which urged the five home societies to try the experiment of a united annual meeting caused much discussion, but it was finally adopted. A recommendation to consolidate the missionary publications after being amended in favor of a single magazine was adopted. It was voted to hold the next meeting at Des Moines, Ia.

The triennial statement of the Home Missionary Society was read by the Rev. Dr. Kingsbury, of Bradford, Mass., a member of the executive committee of the society. Dr. Kingsbury said:

"The past three years have been marked by three events of considerable importance in home missionary history—the occupation of Alaska, the planting of congregational churches in Cuba, and the celebration of 75 completed years of National home missions. The society was quick to recognize a call to Alaska. A missionary was found, and he began work in April, 1898. In June he opened a "pleasant Sunday afternoon service" in a hall, and gathered a Bible class. From this hopeful beginning at Douglas Island the work has been extended during the past 20 months by the organization of the St. Bernard Congregational Church at Nome. In Cuba, a church of about 150 members has been gathered at Havana, with flourishing out-stations and with preaching and Sunday schools in the western and southern suburbs. At San Antonio de los Banos, a church of 30 members was organized, and Rev. C. S. Ventosa, a native Cuban, was ordained. At Cienfuegos, there is a church of more than 50 members. The treasury for the 76th year shows a gain of $32,000 over the receipts of the corresponding months of the 75th year."

Christian Missionary Society.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 16.—Having decided to meet next year at Omaha, the convention of the American Christian Missionary Society decided today to hold the 1903 convention in St. Louis. It is the intention of the society to install an exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition, and to bend every energy toward making the convention of 1903 the largest in its history. This afternoon the delegates were sight-seeing. Among those who made addresses this morning were: B. F. Clay, of Montana; J. H. Hughes, of California, and W. J. Wright, of Washington, D. C.

Christian Church Conference.

PIQUA, O., Oct. 16.—The first meeting of the international conference of the Christian Church opened here today. There are about 150 delegates present.

National Congregational Council.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 16.—The National Congregational Council has voted to hold the next meeting in Des Moines, Ia., in 1904.

PRICE OF PANAMA CANAL.

Hutin Will Make an Offer to Walker Commission.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Maurice Hutin, president of the board of directors of the Panama Canal Company, who arrived in New York yesterday, reached Washington today, and paid a social call upon Admiral Walker, chairman of the Isthmian Canal Commission. Tomorrow it is expected he will make a call upon the Admiral for the purpose of bringing about the disposition of the Panama Company's interest in that partly constructed waterway. The Isthmian Canal Commission has endeavored to obtain a positive and direct statement of what the Panama Company would accept for its rights, and Hutin's return to France this Summer was for the purpose of obtaining information on that point. It is understood that he now has a proposition to make to the United States Commission.

New Canal Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Senator Morgan, of Alabama, who was one of President Roosevelt's callers today, talked with the President about the prospects of the Nicaragua Canal bill at the coming session of Congress. The President told Senator Morgan that he would submit to the Senate a new treaty on the subject, which more nearly meets his views than the first Hay-Pauncefote treaty. The President did not go into particulars.

Speaking of the President's policy in regard to Southern appointments, Senator Morgan said: "It is the policy of reconciliation, the policy of appointing the best men to office."

General Passenger Agent Parks.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 16.—A telegram received at the Southern Pacific office here announces that L. J. Parks, general passenger agent of that road, with headquarters at Houston, Tex., died today at Liberty, N. Y.

No Argument Needed

Every Sufferer From Catarrh Knows That Salves, Lotions, Washes, Sprays and Douches Do Not Cure.

Powders, lotions, salves, sprays and inhalers cannot really cure Catarrh, because this disease is a blood disease, and

local applications, if they accomplish anything at all, simply give transient relief.

The catarrhal poison is in the blood and the mucous membrane of the nose, throat and trachea tries to relieve the system by secreting large quantities of mucous, the discharge sometimes closing up the nostrils, dropping into the throat, causing deafness by closing the Eustachian tubes, and after a time causing catarrh of the stomach or serious throat and lung troubles.

A remedy to really cure catarrh must be an internal remedy which will cleanse the blood from catarrhal poison and remove the fever and congestion from the mucous membrane.

The best and most modern remedies for this purpose are antiseptics scientifically known as Eucalyptol, Guaiacol, Sanguinaria and Hydrastin, and while each of these has been successfully used separately, yet it has been difficult to get them all combined in one palatable, convenient and efficient form.

The manufacturers of the new catarrh cure, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, have succeeded admirably in accomplishing this result. They are large, pleasant-tasting lozenges, to be dissolved in the mouth, thus reaching every part of the mucous membrane of the throat and finally the stomach.

Unlike many catarrh remedies, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets contain no cocaine, opiate or any injurious drug whatever and are equally beneficial for little children and adults.

Mr. C. R. Rembrandt, of Rochester, N. Y., says: "I know of few people who have suffered as much as I from catarrh of the head, throat and stomach. I used sprays, inhalers and powders for months at a time with only slight relief, and had no hope of cure. I had not the means to make a change of climate, which seemed my only chance of cure.

"Last Spring I read an account of some remarkable cures made by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and promptly bought a fifty cent box from my druggist and obtained such positive benefit from that one package that I continued to use them daily until now I consider myself entirely free from the disgusting annoyance of catarrh; my head is clear, my digestion all I could ask and my hearing, which had begun to fail as a result of the catarrh, has greatly improved, until I feel I can hear as well as ever. They are a household necessity in my family."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents for complete treatment, and for convenience, safety and prompt results they are undoubtedly the long-looked-for catarrh cure.

LEARN THE TRUTH

Regarding Drs. Copeland and Montgomery's Ability to Cure---Take Nothing on Faith ---Investigate for Yourself and Be Convinced.

To convince the public that we are working real cures upon real people, only one kind of evidence can be accepted, and that is testimony which comes from patients who may be interviewed, who are honest, who are grateful, who are sincere, who are anxious to help their fellow men.

Such testimony has been appearing regularly in these columns for the past 10 years. It is enduring proof that Doctors Copeland and Montgomery are really curing — not merely helping or relieving, not merely improving and benefiting alone, but curing disease.

Read in such cures a part of the record of their wonderful skill. They can cure disease. They are doing it every day. They are making the sick well. They are curing the cough that racks the chest with distress. They are soothing those cramping, shooting pains of body and limb. They are driving out poisons from the blood. They are stopping that nervous fear and trembling. They are restoring the sense of hearing to ears that have long been dead to the sense of sound.

STOMACH DISEASE 15 YEARS. HOPE ALMOST GONE.

Mrs. Hester Worley, Palestine, Or., a former resident of Canyonville, and well known throughout Southern Oregon: For 15 years I was an invalid from stomach trouble. I could eat nothing at all without experiencing great distress. Over half the time I lived on liquids, and there was scarcely a day in all these years that I did not

Vomit What I Ate.

I never could eat breakfast, but would have to leave the table after I took a few mouthfuls, and even this the stomach would reject. Instead of bloating, as most stomach sufferers do, there was a constant pressure backward and the

Stomach Felt Heavy

all the time. I could not lie down or rest at night. I was troubled with headache, dizziness and palpitation of the heart

Mrs. Hester Worley, Palestine, Or.

after eating. I was so bad at times that I would be down in bed for weeks, the attacks sometimes lasting as long as three months.

I doctored continually, but got only a little temporary relief. I had given up all hope of being cured, but seeing the statement of Mr. E. M. Foudray, whose case seemed exactly like mine, induced me to try the Copeland treatment, and I believe if I had not consulted these doctors I

Would Not Be Alive Now.

But I am glad to say that I improved almost from the first, and now feel and look better than I have in years. I am able to eat food that I never dared to touch before, and feel well in every way.

All my friends know how sick I was and feel greatly surprised over my recovery, which, after the years I have suffered, seems like a miracle.

FEARED HE WAS BEYOND THE REACH OF MEDICAL SKILL

Mr. Peter Peterson, Columbia, Wash., was a sufferer for over a year from a grave form of bronchial disease, which was rapidly developing into incurable consumption, when he decided to take the Copeland treatment. Today he is rejoicing in his complete restoration to health, and expresses his gratitude and his appreciation of the skill that has been the means of effecting so remarkable a cure. He said:

"My Cough Was Terrible,

racking my system day and night, and giving me not a moment's peace. I had awful pains through my chest and under my shoulder-blades, with fevers and night sweats, and raised great quantities of frothy phlegm and mucus. My flesh wasted away and my strength failed so that I was unable to continue in my occupation of carpet-fitting, and I was forced to believe that I

Was Dying of Consumption.

I was confirmed in this belief by the fact that I had taken all the 'Cure-Alls' advertised for the cure of bronchial and lung diseases, without obtaining the slightest benefit.

A Friend in Need.

"A friend had repeatedly urged me to consult the Copeland Physicians, and at last I did so, although I feared that my disease was beyond the reach of medical skill. In this I was most happily mistaken, for I am now perfectly well once more."

THEY CURE TO STAY CURED.

Mrs. M. Douthit, postoffice address, Portland: "Last year I took a course of treatment at the Copeland Institute for catarrh, complicated with deafness and a chronic discharge from the ears. The ears were dry and scaly, and itched so they nearly set me crazy. I could not hear the clock tick or follow conversation, and there was a constant buzzing and roaring. At the end of my course I heard as well as I ever did, and my ears were entirely healed. Money could not repay me for the enjoyment I have had out of life since my cure."

Mr. John Walters, West Portland: "From my own individual experience I can say that the Copeland treatment does cure catarrh and deafness, and cures them to stay cured. After an attack of grip several years ago I suffered severely with catarrh. My head was stopped up, there was a watery discharge from the nose, and I lost my sense of smell. The ears were affected, and I feared I would be totally deaf. I could not hear at all with the left ear, and the hearing in the right one was very dull. I was nearly distracted by a ringing and throbbing in the ears, which prevented sleep at night. If any thing, I am better today than I was a year ago, when I quit my treatment."

HOME TREATMENT

If you cannot visit the office, mark the following list of symptoms, mail them to Dr. Copeland and he will give you a full and complete diagnosis of your case free of charge:

"Is your nose stopped up?"
"Do you sleep with mouth wide open?"
"Is there pain in front of head?"
"Is your throat dry or sore?"
"Have you a bad taste mornings?"
"Do you cough?"
"Do you cough worse at night?"
"Is your tongue coated?"
"Is your appetite failing?"
"Is there pain after eating?"
"Are you light-headed?"
"When you get up suddenly are you dizzy?"
"Do you have hot flashes?"
"Do you have liver marks?"
"Do your kidneys trouble you?"
"Do you have pain in back or under shoulder-blades?"
"Do you wake up tired and out of sorts?"
"Is your strength failing?"

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A Missing Doctor.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Friends of Dr. George S. Gagnon, of this city, are alarmed over his disappearance. Dr. Gagnon left the city last Spring, after informing his friends that he intended to build a hotel at West Baden, Ind. He left instructions for the shipment of his horses to that place. Recently, James Renwick, who represented Dr. Gagnon in the matter, received word that the horses and carriages are still in the freight yards at West Baden.