

FANS SIZE UP THE NINE

PORTLAND TEAM SHOWS UP WELL AT DAILY PRACTICE.

New Men, Hupp, Van Buren and Mahaffey, Meet With Favor—Yesterday's Game Postponed.

Now that the Portland baseball men have reported for work, the local fans are busily engaged in watching the daily practice and making comparisons with the team of last year. The three new men who have reported—Van Buren, Hupp and J. Mahaffey—are attracting no little attention just now, and those who have seen them practice predict favorable results when the season's averages have been computed.

The Portland team, taken as a whole, ought to be stronger than last year. Van Buren promises to add strength to the outfield, while the new pitchers—Mahaffey and Witbeck—are looked upon as worthy successors, and in some respects superior to Salisbury and Glendon. Hupp is a good man at third, and bids fair to equal Tinker in all-around playing.

The baseball game which was to have been played yesterday between the Portland and the Monograms was called off, on account of the wet weather.

Jay A. Andrews, manager of the Tacoma team, is now in the City of Destiny, and practice will begin today. Fielder Murdoch, who has been visiting in Portland, has returned to Tacoma, and meets all of the other players here reported. Andrews has signed a big list of pitchers, among them being Carter, Johnson, Drinkwater, Keefe, Fisher, and others.

Joe Tinker, Portland's third baseman of last year, is expected to report to the National League team at Chicago. His accurate throwing to bases has made him quite a favorite with the Chicago papers. The Chicago Chronicle says in an account of a recent game:

"Young Tinker was the star of today's game, his batting being clean and timely. Tinker, if he keeps up his present pace, is sure of playing shortstop on the regulars."

Overall, the giant football-player of the University of California, is making a fine record as a pitcher. His work was largely responsible for Stanford's two defeats at the hands of the Berkeley players.

The Seattle professionals defeated the University of Washington Saturday by a score of 15 to 0. Sports of the Queen City believe that Dugdale's aggregation is a winner.

"Jimmy" St. Vrain, of last season's Tacoma nine, is pitching in Chicago. On April 8 the National League defeated Illinois University 5 to 2.

Jimmy St. Vrain, who pitched the Chicago Chronicle, "pitched the whole game for Chicago, and, barring his wildness, made a very creditable showing. Seven bases on balls and a wild pitch when the bases were filled, with two out, are responsible for the runs scored off him."

"When he could get the ball over the plate the variety batters were powerless, 13 of them fanning the air, and he pitched three hits were chalked up against him, and two of these were scratches by Right Fielder Develde. St. Vrain has terrific speed, and the heavy ball of any youngster who ever broke into fast company."

Fidelity Nine Won. HILLSBORO, Or., April 13.—The baseball season opened in this city today with a spirited game between the Hillsboro Diamond W nine and the Fidelity team of Portland, resulting in a victory for the visitors by a score of 3 to 1. The Fidelity men made the entire eight scores in the first of the seven innings played, and after that the home team outplayed them at every point, giving them a clean shut-out for the remainder of the game. When the Fidelity nine went to the bat in the first inning, the field was very muddy and the advantage was with the visiting nine. McInnis pitched for the home team, and his work was first-class. Hort occupied the box for the Fidelity team, and his pitching was of a like character. As the field dried, the Diamond W boys warmed up to their work, and put up a professional game.

Berkeley Beat Stanford. SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—By the smallest score in the history of intercollegiate baseball on the Pacific Coast, and before the largest crowd gathered about a college diamond in the Golden State, California won from Stanford, on the Berkeley campus, yesterday afternoon, at the end of the 13th inning, by getting a run and breaking the 1 to 1 tie that had continued with varying intensity from the earliest stages of the match. This is the fourth consecutive victory of the state University.

Athena Beat Walla Walla. WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 13.—In one of the finest amateur baseball games ever witnessed in the Northwest Athena defeated Walla Walla this afternoon by a score of 1 to 0. The attendance was over 1300. Three bunched hits in the third inning won for Athena.

TWO COLLEGES AT OATS. Athletic Relations Broken Between Pullman and Idaho. The athletes of the Washington Agricultural College and the University of Idaho are at oats, and athletic relations between the two institutions have been severed for all time to come. For several years trouble has been brewing between the two colleges, and disagreements have been frequent. One such charge was the other with unfair play upon the gridiron or diamond, and the other would reply with a counter-charge.

Last year their dual meet was abandoned because the Washington Agricultural College students refused to compete against Track Captain Tilly, of Idaho, because of his alleged professionalism. Tilly denied the charges, but the Pullman students would not listen to him, and athletic relations terminated.

Last Fall, after an unusual amount of wrangling, a football game was arranged and played, Idaho winning from Pullman by a score of 5 to 0. This Spring Washington Agricultural College filed a protest with the Idaho faculty against Tilly, and after careful consideration the faculty decided that Tilly was an amateur athlete, in good and regular standing. Indignation reigned at Pull-

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FOREIGN MARKETS QUIET

Conditions This Week Will Depend on the Peace Negotiations.

LONDON, April 13.—It is impossible to record any great activity on the stock exchange during the past week. Neither the money conditions at home nor the war outlook in South Africa were such as to encourage speculation or commitments, cash has been disastrously scarce, although the treasury released enough consols and other funds to permit the market to repay \$7,750,000 of its indebtedness to the bank. Outside supplies are still low, and it is hard to say how soon these will improve.

The government has been more successful than usual in keeping the budget proposals and the new loan programme secret. If peace comes speedily, to allow the loan to be predicated on Transvaal revenues, well and good, but if it becomes necessary to create fresh consols, and if there is an indefinite period of war ahead, many brokers say they will put up their shutters and go on a holiday.

While the Klerksdorp proceedings have been eagerly scanned, the public has not evidenced faith in their outcome to the extent of getting into the market. It is quite reasonable, however, to look for a sharp spurt at the opening Monday, as a result of the unexpected arrival at Pretoria of the Boer delegates.

American securities did not improve much here in consequence of the 10-point rise in Louisville & Nashville. The arbitrage houses fear another corner, and are ready to allow to stand some points below New York. The fact that so much nervousness is shown is because of the fear that Louisville & Nashville will suddenly collapse. Other Americans sold out freely. The whole section eased off, with the exception of Southern, and finished generally lower for the week, though there is a hopeful feeling for the future.

Home rails improved slightly as a result of the peace news, but the announcement of the formation of the Yerkes London Company and good traffic relations.

Miners were very quiet, although they are ready to boom if favorable news is received from South Africa.

THE BERLIN BOURSE.

Tone Improves on Favorable Prospects of Peace.

BERLIN, April 13.—The past week on the bourse was quiet and uneventful. The first half of the week showed declining values in all departments, but an improvement began Friday, with the more favorable prospects of peace in South Africa, which the Berlin market now judges very optimistic. Nevertheless, it maintains a waiting attitude until definite news is received.

Irons and allied shares dropped generally until Thursday, as a result of the bad annual reports of a number of companies; but the American market report brought a slight improvement, and this was increased by the meeting in Berlin for the purpose of organizing a general syndicate of rolling mill representatives. At this meeting the iron situation was reported to be better than the market anticipated.

The threatened coal strike in Belgium strengthened coal shares. The dividend of 3 per cent declared by Ludwig Loewe & Co., as against dividends of 24 per cent for the last five years, was regarded as very disappointing, and depressed the machinery section of the market. The issue of new capital by the Hamburg-American Steam Packet Company and the North German Lloyd line continue to depress the shares of these companies. Transvaal railroad shares were bought on a rising market for Holland.

The ease of money has grown more pronounced, and it is reported that the Reichbank intends to buy discounts in two provinces at a private rate. The foreign rates of exchange were strong. Exchange in Paris reached the gold point, while London exchange almost reached that point. The rise in exchange was due to remittance on the Russian loan, which otherwise did not affect the money market. Domestic per cents barely held their own, but the banks did a brisk business at high rates in all the new 4 per cent loans, which are about to be issued in many municipalities. Call money fell from 3 to 2 per cent during the week, and the private rate of discount was easier.

Seven Sermons by Mormons.

LAMONI, Ia., April 13.—Today was given up entirely to devotional exercises by the Latter-Day Saints. Seven sermons were listened to by the large crowds in regular attendance, augmented by many from neighboring counties. The speakers were: Herman C. Smith, A. J. Kirk, Elder Riley, Joseph Smith, R. C. Evans and G. T. Griffith, the latter speaking twice to complete his lectures on priest-hood.

Altogether Memorial Meeting.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 13.—A large and very friendly audience greeted George Fred Williams today at the memorial meeting to do honor to the late John P. Altgeld. Resolutions of sorrow were adopted.

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UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, April 13.—The weather for the last two weeks has interfered considerably with work on the track, but the athletes have been diligent, and days when they could not spend their time on the track light indoor work has been continued in the gymnasium. Manager Goodrich has had the campus oval plowed and rolled, and if the present warm weather continues the track will soon be in excellent shape.

Trainer Redmond spends three hours each afternoon with his men, and he is

URGED TO JOIN P. A. A.

Commissioner Herdman Endeavors to Unite Northwest Clubs.

H. H. Herdman, Jr., commissioner of the Pacific Athletic Association for the Northwest, is endeavoring to enroll all the athletic clubs of this region on the membership list of the P. A. A. At present the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club is the only institution in the Northwest that belongs to the P. A. A. An organization or association of some kind is greatly desired, and the clubs of Seattle, Spokane and other cities may follow the suggestions set forth in the following circular letter which Mr. Herdman has sent out:

W. B. Hitchman, president of the Pacific Athletic Association of the A. A. U., has appointed me commissioner of athletics in the Northwest, and it is my desire to get in touch with all the amateur athletic clubs in this territory, and, if possible, to bring about some sort of union of these common interests. You are aware that athletics in the Northwest are in a most unsatisfactory condition.

FAST HORSES IN DEMAND

C. F. CLANCY, OF SEATTLE, SELLS TWO PACERS FOR \$12,000.

First Sale Made in Northwest for Years—Riverside Club Opens Campaign for Driveways.

The sole topic of conversation in racing circles last week was the sale of Freddie C. and his full brother, Direct C., by C. F. Clancy, of Seattle, to J. E. Sturgis, of New York. The price paid by Sturgis' agent, H. H. Lawrence, was \$12,000. Freddie C. brought \$8000, and his brother \$4000. This sale is remarkable in that it is the first that has been made in the Northwest in a number of years. A large number of horses raised in Oregon and Washington have been sold in the East at different periods, but only

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Several Meets in the Air.

Manager Goodrich expects soon to have all arrangements definitely settled with Pacific University in a manner perfectly satisfactory to both sides. The arrangement for order and list of events between Oregon and Pacific University has caused some delay, but as the affair will finally stand, the usual list of events will be followed, with the exception of the relay race. Arrangements with Multnomah and the University of Washington are still hanging fire, but the Oregon-Multnomah meet will likely occur Friday, May 23, and the Seattle meet a week earlier. Oregon and Multnomah have a three-year contract, in which the list of events will continue as they were last May. Unfortunately, athletic relations between the University of Oregon and Washington are somewhat strained. The two-year contract for track meets ended last Spring. It seemed impossible last Fall for either side to agree on a date for a football match, but it is thought that affairs can be amicably settled this Spring, and the usual May track meet will take place in Seattle about May 15.

RILEY TO MEET DUFF.

Fifteen-Round Glove Contest to Be Held in Albina.

Jack Riley, of San Francisco, and Jim Duff, of this city, will appear in a 15-round glove contest before the Albina Athletic Club next Thursday evening.

Interest in Baseball.

Baseball is attracting more than the usual interest this Spring, and Oregon will have a team on the diamond ready to compete with anything in the state. The board of athletic managers has selected Virgil Earl, '06, manager for the 1902 season, and already preparations are being made for games with college and scholastic teams within the Northwest. The smaller colleges of the state, under the leadership of Willamette University, are actively working up the organization of the state intercollegiate baseball league. If the scheme works successfully, Oregon will probably be found joining with Willamette University, Monmouth Normal School, Pacific University, McMinnville College and the Oregon Agricultural College, which institutions have already signified their desire for such an organization.

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after they had earned their reputations on the grand circuit. The sale of such pacers as Freddie C. and Direct C. indicates that there is a demand for thoroughbred horses in the East, and some of those now in training in Portland may find purchasers on the Sheephead Bay and Gravesend tracks.

Freddie C. and Direct C. were bred by Direct, out of Route C. The former has a record of 2:04. It is the general opinion of Portland horsemen that he was sold below his value, but they admit that his former owner knew the best price he would command. Direct C. has no record, but he gives abundant promise of making money. Sturgis, the purchaser of the two horses, is the owner of Dan Patch, pacer 2:04, and he will put both Freddie C. and Direct C. on the grand circuit. Freddie is expected to make 2:05 at least.

Another racer sold during the week was Walter Allison's pacer, Esther, a full sister to Estel, 2:15. The purchaser was K. B. McLennan, of Vancouver. B. C. No price was named. Esther had been on the road for a year or two, and, with Allison driving, she astonished some of the racers on the Riverside road. McLennan, an amateur driver, thinks she will be a winner on the circuit, but that remains to be seen.

The Portland Hunt Club is arranging for a field day, which will probably be held about the middle of June. The field day last year afforded a great deal of pleasure to the members of the club, and a majority of the members are in favor of repeating the event. One of the principal contests this year will be the steeplechase of 2 1/2 miles. There may be many entries and there may not, but it appears to be certain that E. M. Lazarus will have a horse ready for the event.

The members of the Riverside Driving Club are getting their horses ready for the summer tests. The Riverside road, when it is extended by the County Court, will be kept in good shape by them, as usual, and some trots on the line may be expected. The club will probably give an amateur meet in May, and it will be held at the old Riverside track or at Irvington Park.

The Riverside Club will soon begin a campaign for good driveways. Efforts will be made to get the St. Helens, Corvallis and Gresham roads and the Willamette boulevard in condition for summer runs, and the club hopes to have a number of fine driveways by the time the 1902 Fair is opened.

Reports received from Spokane and Seattle state that the early closing events in the two cities were filled very satisfactorily. The same events at Salem and Boise will close on the 15th, and the entries for the Portland and North Yakima races will close on May 3. From indications, there will be plenty of entries, and Portland will see a great number of horses on the track.

Two pets of Portland were tried on Irvington track Friday. Alta Norte, with Cris Simpson in the sulky, paced around in something like a staid pace, and she did not hesitate to try conclusions with an unknown trotter. The uneven step of the pair attracted some spectators to the track, and there was as much talk about the winner as there would have been had the horses been in the same class.

H. H. Helman had Ned Thorne out for a trial Friday. Ned had not been exercised on the track to any great extent since last Fall, but in the morning he showed his fine training and what he can do in a trot.

T. D. Condon will go to Vancouver this morning to witness the work of his trotter, Zambro C. Zambro has shown up in fine form during the last week or so, and Mr. Condon says he will make a record at the Spring meet.

Many Entries for Kentucky Futurity. LEXINGTON, Ky., April 13.—Secretary

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Pritchard*

Franklin, of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association, has closed the Kentucky Futurity with 1145 entries from 38 states and Canada. California sends 41. Among the nominators are the following:

- Patchen Wilkes farm, Lexington, 6; Walnut Hill farm, Donersil, Ky., 35; Cochran Bros., Lexington, 22; Thomas W. Lawson, Boston, 21; Palo Alto and Henry Schulbach, 20 each; J. Malcolm Forbes, Boston, 18; A. S. Ashbrook, Cyantiana, Ky., 16; A. G. Danford & Son, Washington, 14; Scott Newmann, Louisville, 11; H. L. Asher, Lexington, 11; J. D. Grover, Georgetown, Ky., and Grattan farm, Prairie View, Ill., 10 each.

The product of 1145 mares nominated represent the get of 283 of the most prominent American sires. There are 172 record animals. Thirty-five of them are in the 2:30 class or better; 41 between 2:19 1/2 and 2:35; 44, 2:10 1/2 to 2:30; and 13 from 2:10 1/2 to 2:30. Of the mares in the stake book, 274 are of standard or better, 149 others of record and the rest of the highest standard breeding.

FIRST GUN SHOOT.

Multnomah Rod and Gun Club Opens Contest for Trophy.

Much interest was shown yesterday at the first shoot of the Multnomah Rod and Gun Club handicap trophy series at the Irvington shooting-grounds. It was a bad day for shooting, especially for blue-rocks, yet there was an exceptionally good attendance. The contest is a 25 targets at unknown angles, and the series will consist of one shoot a week until September 1, when three trophies will be awarded. The trophies are for this series only, and the winner will not be compelled to shoot for them again next year.

The Northwest shoot will take place in Portland, June 28, 27, and considerable practicing is being done for the event. The following are the scores made at yesterday's contest: Long, 21; Carlson, 18; Ellis, 18; H. Schade, 18; Monteth, 18; Bateman, 16; C. Culley, 16; Peters, 15; G. Schade, 9.

The practice shoot resulted in the following scores:

Table with 5 columns of names and scores. Names include W. H. Seaver, Watt Monteth, M. Abraham, C. Culley, Gowanlock, Hill, Ellis, Ed Long, C. E. Shaw, J. Bateman, J. Enbanks, Walker, Anderson. Scores range from 9 to 25.

American Day at Longchamp.

PARIS, April 13.—This was an American day at the Longchamp races. Although W. K. Vanderbilt was unlucky, his Illinois II, a warm favorite for the Prix Jockey, was the principal event of the day, only securing third place, and while his Bright was unplaced in the contest for the Prix de la Seine, J. Reiff rode two winners.

and two seconds; J. H. Martin and Milton Henry rode one first and one second each; Archie McIntyre had one winner, and J. B. Rigby had one second and one third.

On the Golf Links.

Competition for the Good-Snow cup will begin next Saturday on the Waverly links. The first qualifying round will be open only to those whose scores are less than 111.

Stanford vs. California.

The annual intercollegiate field meet between Stanford and the University of California will be held at Palo Alto next Saturday.

Thousands of Immigrants.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Immigrants to the number of 432 arrived today from European ports. The Trojan Prince, from ports in the Mediterranean, brought 197; the Statendam, from Rotterdam, had 107 aboard; the Champagne, from Havre, brought 103; the Hesperia, from Mediterranean ports, 80; and the Island brought from Denmark 25.

An Unknown Suicide.

ROSEBURG, April 13.—An unknown man committed suicide a few days ago by jumping into the South Umpqua River near Ruckles, 15 miles south of here. The body has not been recovered.

Pears' Soap advertisement. Text: "Beauty is but skin-deep" was probably meant to disparage beauty. Instead it tells how easy that beauty is to attain. "There is no beauty like the beauty of health" was also meant to disparage. Instead it encourages beauty. Pears' Soap is the means of health to the skin, and so to both these sorts of beauty. Sold all over the world.

Halpruner's Wonderful medicine advertisement. Text: "The cause of much suffering". Includes a large illustration of a person's face and a bottle of the medicine. Text: "Rheumatism is the cause of half our aches and pains; it comes quickly and remains a long time unless removed at once. The changeable weather which always comes at the beginning of winter is likely to bring out the rheumatism and all rheumatic sufferers should be prepared—they should have a bottle of Halpruner's Rheumatism Cure at hand where they can take it instantly, where they can rub it on the aching parts and rub out the pain, so that they may take it internally to remove the cause. A few applications of Halpruner's Wonderful Medicine will cure a new case of rheumatism and a few applications will remove an old one, and constant treatment will cure it permanently. Rheumatism of long duration requires persistent treatment—you cannot get well in a day and you should not expect it, but keep on taking Halpruner's and you are sure to get well, for it contains exactly the right ingredients to cure rheumatism. All druggists should sell Halpruner's—some may not—if you cannot get it of your druggist send \$1 to Halpruner Medical Manufacturing Co., 28 California St., San Francisco, and bottle will be delivered to you prepaid. I have suffered with rheumatic pains for some time and after having received a compound fracture of the leg, suffered considerably, I found Dr. Halpruner's Wonderful Pain Remover a satisfactory and immediate cure and I take pleasure in recommending it as a perfectly safe medicine. MRS. R. A. THOMPSON, 1404 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, Cal.

D. M. WATSON'S GREEN TROTTER THE BRYAN

Advertisement for D. M. Watson's Green Trotter The Bryan. Includes a large illustration of a horse and driver. Text: "The Bryan is a green trotter owned by D. M. Watson, of Portland. In private trials he has shown a 2:10 gait, and great things are expected of him in the Spring meet."