

HUSKY MEN TO MEET

The Reliance and Multnomah Elevens Line Up Today.

CRACK TEAM FROM THE SOUTH

Famous Players Will Be in the New Year's Gridiron Struggle—McMillan and Woodruff to Don Their Canvas Suits.

Fourteen husky football-players arrived in Portland last night from the Reliance Athletic Club of San Francisco...

The men who compose the Reliance team are all experts, and will give Multnomah the hardest game of the year...

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GRIMMS TO BE MANAGER

PORTLAND NORTHWEST BALL TEAM IN HIS HANDS.

Mr. Goldman Tells About Spokane Meeting, and His Chilly Reception.

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OLD YEAR PROFITABLE

BANKING AND TRUST COMPANIES REPORT GREAT PROGRESS.

Commercial Agencies Make Gratifying Reports—Unprecedented Gains of New York Life Insurance Co.

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NO CALL EXTENDED.

First United Presbyterian Church Invited Minister to Preach.

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HENRY WEINHARD'S IMPROVEMENT.

THE ORNATE BUILDING ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF FOURTH AND ALDER STREETS AN ARCHITECTURAL SUCCESS.



The five-story stone and brick building now nearing completion on Fourth and Alder is a splendid example of a well-carried-out design.

The architect of the building, Justus F. Krumbel, has followed the practice of his profession in this city for many years.

The stone work of the building, which is quite an important item, and all the brick and cement work has been entirely in the hands of George Langford.

The stone carving has been executed by R. Reifschneider, an artist whose work may be seen on The Oregonian building, the Dekum and the City Hall.

J. C. Bayer, who has been connected with the building interests of Portland for years, and whose present large business is keeping him very busy.

Ernest Miller, the well-known contractor in painting and decorating, has the contract for painting the building.

J. D. Tresham secured the contract for the plastering, and has used Adamant, the perfection of wall plaster.

I. K. Tuerck, who has lately purchased new property and moved his shop on the same, and is in a position to furnish first-class iron work.

Preceder & Tuerck have placed the elevators in the building. This firm has installed a number of elevators here, and have several contracts on hand now.

The plumbing has been done by Eccles & Co., who have been established here for a number of years, and whose reputation for good work is well known.

The electric wiring has been put in by H. B. Loveridge, proprietor of the Portland Electrical Works, who is an exceptionally fine electrical engineer.

A 60-foot flagpole has been placed on the roof, at the corner, and today the flag floats gracefully over the building, to be known as the HOHENSTOUFEN.

FAVORITES SCORE ONCE MORE.

Kenilworth Wins After a Close Struggle at Ingleside.

RECORDS NOW UP TO DATE

County Clerk's Office Will Try to Keep From Falling Behind.

NEW YEAR'S MATINEES.

At the Marquand. "Shore Acres" will be the matinee bill at the Marquand today at 2:15.

THE NEW YEAR'S ATTRACTION AT THE MARQUAND TODAY AND TONIGHT.

This afternoon at 2:15 o'clock "Shore Acres," James A. Herne's beautiful home play will begin an engagement at the Marquand Grand Theater.

MEN ONLY

Strictly Reliable Dr. Talcott & Co. Diseases and Weakness of MEN

Men of Affairs

One may sail the seas and visit every land and everywhere will find, that men of affairs, who are well informed, have neither the time nor the inclination, whether on pleasure bent or business, to use those medicines which cause excessive purgation...

GANS AND SIEGER FIGHT A DRAW.

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—Joe Gans, of Baltimore, and Charles Sieger, of Hoboken, faced each other for 19 rounds at the Criterion Athletic Club tonight, and the contest was declared a draw.

NO SECRET ABOUT DEAL

Steel Trust's Defense of Bond-Conversion Scheme.

PERSONAL MENTION.

A. B. Millis, a merchant of Lebanon, is at the St. Charles.

ALFOPNIA FIG SYRUP

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