

STARS GRADUATE TO BIG LEAGUES

Portland Loses Four Good Men From Ranks of McCredie's Preparatory School.

LAST GAMES OF SEASON

Bears Leave for Six Weeks in South—McCredie Sends Out Good Players for Fast Company of Eastern Leagues.

BY W. J. PETRAIN.
The ball tossers have availed to the California clime, and hereafter, at least for the time being, we sit passively by the fireside, or the office desk, and each afternoon brood upon the "aimly told story of Henry Berry, of Portland's elimination from the championship unless—but what's the use in speculating upon such a remote contingency?"

Four Good Players Going.

It is the same with Battery, with Danzig, with Tom Madden, each of whom has been selected to take a flight among the real baseball artists of the country as constituted in the American and National Leagues. The loss of four such players as Berry, Madden and Danzig will leave vacancies that will prove hard spots to fill, but there is one glowing feature to Walter McCredie's managerial ability, and that is his splendid judgment, or perhaps it is the judgment of his friends, wherein he has the knack of picking up the most likely successors in the country. This has been evidenced by the large number of McCredie's Portland players who have graduated to the East, and practically all of them have made good.

Former Players Make Good.

PAUL DONOHUE, LARRY McLEAN, MIKE MITCHELL, JIMMY ALLEN, JIMMY McHALL, CHARLEY HARTMAN and BILL BASKIN are among the players McCredie has developed here and who have gone to the major leagues. The first four of them made good with a vengeance while the last three are far from being mediocre players. The seven named above and the four graduating this season, bring McCredie's total to a magnificent one hundred and thirty.

Berry's Joke on Big League.

This season Berry has succeeded in painting off Eastern baseball to be drafted, and by this means he has flourished the entire major organization, for Berry's only accomplishment is his batting. Outside of that he is one bug as a player. That is the reason the Angel leader has played him in so few games this season.

Last Stand of the Season.

The final stand in California opens this afternoon with Portland playing Oakland at Oakland, and the Sox hooking up with the Angels at the Orange belt metropolis. The fans of this city will prove loyal enough to watch the returns each day, but by far the greater interest will be centered in the magnificent struggle going on in the American and National Leagues.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York 7; Philadelphia 6.
NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—By defeating Philadelphia today, New York retained the lead in the grand slam. The game was a heart-breaking effort at a crucial moment. The visitors led the score and ran around New York in the seventh inning, and things began to look bad for New York.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis 12-2; New York 1-3.
ST. LOUIS, Sept. 28.—St. Louis and New York broke even in a double-header here today, the locals taking the first game by

the score of 12 to 1 and the visitors the second by the score of 3 to 2. Scores:
First game—R.H.E. R.H.E.
St. Louis 12 2 1 New York 1 3 3
Batteries—Petty and Spencer; Manning, Blair and Sweeney.
Second game—R.H.E. R.H.E.
St. Louis 3 4 9 New York 3 11 2
Batteries—Graham and Smith; Wilson and Blair.

Chicago Game a Tie.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—Chicago and Boston played ten innings to a tie, the game being called on account of darkness. Score:
R.H.E. R.H.E.
Chicago 7 7 2 Boston 7 6 2
Batteries—Smith, White, Schreck and Shaw; Young and Criger.

Detroit 4; Washington 1.

DETROIT, Sept. 28.—Detroit and Washington played one of the two games arranged for today on a field ankle-deep in mud and with a near cyclone blowing. Considering the conditions, the pitching and fielding meeting the highest class. The teams will play two games tomorrow. Score:
R.H.E. R.H.E.
Detroit 4 1 1 Washington 1 1 1
Batteries—Killian and Schmidt; Hughes and Street.

BENEFIT FOR OLD WRESTLER

Multnomah Club Announces Date of Show as October 16.

The date of the big boxing and wrestling benefit exhibition to be tendered Joe Acton, by the Multnomah Club, is announced for Friday, October 16. Joe Acton, at one time, was champion wrestler of the world, and when he became aware that he was declining in activity, he retired from the game and brought his family to Portland, where he has since been a permanent resident. Shortly after his advent in this city he was secured by the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club as wrestling instructor for that institution, and during the seven years he has officiated in that capacity, he has developed such famous amateur wrestlers as Edgar E. Frank, Edward C. Johnson, Alex De Franco, John McCallig and others who have made Multnomah famous on the mat. Acton is retiring from the game as an instructor, and it is in token of appreciation for his past services that the club is tendering him this farewell benefit.

Business Men to Visit Gresham Fair.

The East Side Grocers' and Business Men's Club is planning the celebration of their day at the Gresham Grange Fair, October 9, in a fitting manner. A field day has been planned in connection with their advent at Gresham, and several new and novel features will be added to the programme. Jack King has been selected as master of ceremonies. Among the features will be the contest for \$500 automobile, which has been offered for the man who will toss a heavy stump the greatest distance. This event is on the order of the old Scottish game of rolling the caber, and will prove one of the most interesting features of the fair week.

Solomon to Meet Miller Again.

Portland two experts are looking forward to one of the most interesting matches ever held in this city when Henry Solomon and E. Miller meet in their return handicap match on Wednesday and Thursday nights. Solomon, hitherto has held the city championship without a defeat until he recently met Miller, who scored a victory over the local wizard. In the coming match Solomon will play 150 points to Miller's 125, and the stakes of the contest consist of \$1000. The contest will take place at the establishment of Brown & McCredie, at Sixth and Alder streets.

International Rugby Football.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Palo Alto, Cal., Sept. 28.—Major Stewart, of the Stanford student body, received yesterday a communication from Ernest MacEwan, who is managing the United Hospitals football club of London, inviting for a series of games to be played on the Stanford field in the latter part of December. The United Hospitals football team is made up of all the best players from the medical colleges in London. The University of California team will probably open negotiations for a series of contests with the London men.

Gibbons to Manage Albany Eleven.

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—M. H. Gibbons was today elected manager of the Albany College football team to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Manager Edwin Fortmiller, who did not return this year. Manager Gibbons will at once begin the completion of a schedule already partially filled. Albany's first game will be played here Friday, October 9, with Pacific University. Games are also scheduled with the Multnomah Club, Willamette University and the Chemawa Indians. The squad is making rapid progress under Coach Luck.

Tennis Champions to Circle Globe.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—America's international lawn tennis team, Frederick E. Alexander and Beals C. Wright, will leave Friday for Australia. Neither the National champion in singles, William A. Larned, or Arthur H. Haddock, the holder in doubles, will accompany the team.

Must Give Bond for Auto Races.

MINEOLA, L. I., Sept. 28.—Unless the American Automobile Association immediately files a bond for \$25,000 to indemnify Nassau County for the use of its roads for the Vanderbilt cup races on October 19 and October 24, the permission to hold the races will be revoked. A resolution to this effect was adopted today by the Board of County Supervisors.

BIG CROWD AT MEDFORD

Wild West Show Reports 10,763 Paid Admissions.

MEDFORD, Or., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—"Buffalo Bill's" Wild West Show here today brought together one of the largest crowds ever assembled in Jackson County. Colonel Cody said tonight: "Medford is the liveliest town for its size in which my show has appeared. I expected 3000 attendances but had 10,763 paid admissions."

Marriage Licenses.

ZANG-BAHN—Fred J. Zang, 30, city; Mary F. Hahn, 21, city.
SOOK—Phillip L. E. Sook, 25, city; Miss M. E. Phelps, 22, city.
MILLING—Thomas L. Whitmer, 21, city; Florence E. Blechings, 18, city.
Wedding and visiting cards, W. G. Smith & Co., Washington bldg., 4th and Wash. A. D. S. remedies at Eysell's.

CAMERON DELAYS IN PROSECUTION

Associates of Ex-Banker Ross, of Wrecked Title Bank, Not Brought to Trial.

CHANCE FOR THEIR ESCAPE

District Attorney Pleads Expense of Trial of Aitchison and Burkhart, as Excuse for Delay Till Ross Appeal Decided.

Although convicted of juggling the public school fund, and a bank, by a Marion County jury that deliberated only one hour and 11 minutes, J. Thorburn Ross, president of the wrecked Title Guaranty & Trust Company, appears to District Attorney Cameron to have a chance of escape in the State Supreme Court; consequently Mr. Cameron will not prosecute the associates of Ross—Burkhart and Aitchison. All the machinery of the law and the evidence are ready for prosecution of Ross' two confederates, the evidence against the two is just as strong as against Ross, the crime of the bank's looting goes unavenged, and Mr. Cameron says "wait."

Waiting Costs Money.

The state's special prosecuting officer in this case, M. L. Pipes, is under fee to conduct the prosecution, and the state's expert accountant, J. W. Ferguson, draws \$150 a month, while Mr. Cameron waits on the Supreme Court. According to ex-District Attorney Manning, the prosecution ought not to cost more than \$5000. Yet more than that sum will come out of the state treasury and salaries entailed by Mr. Cameron's waiting.

Instead of accepting the plain evidence on which the Marion County jury based its verdict, Mr. Cameron evidently expects the State Supreme Court to set aside the judgment against Ross—five years imprisonment in the penitentiary and a fine amounting to twice the amount of the school fund that was juggled, \$238,000. On what grounds he bases this expectation is not known, unless on current gossip. But in case the higher tribunal contemplates freeing Ross, it would seem more than ever incumbent on Mr. Cameron to hurry the prosecution of Aitchison and Burkhart, in order to put up to the Supreme Court the verdict of more than one trial jury.

"The trials of Burkhart and Aitchison depend on the findings of the Supreme Court, in the Ross case," said Mr. Cameron yesterday. "The same questions are involved in their cases as in that of Ross and I feel it would be judicious to entail the expense of trials for these two men when the higher court is about to pass on the merits of the entire matter."

"By November 1 I expect the Supreme Court will have passed on the case of Ross. Last week we received a brief of the arguments of the medical colleges in London. The event Ross is found guilty it is only to be expected that the others will plead guilty, and the time and expense of an extended trial will be saved."

The Title Bank failed November 6, 1907. Its affairs had been conducted in a most legitimate banking method. They were exposed in sensational sequence, lasting several months. William M. Ladd, formerly cashier of the bank, is now endeavoring to make good the liabilities of the institution, but this did not release Ross, Aitchison and Burkhart for responsibility for the wreck. This bank had fringed away \$238,000 of the State's school money, besides about \$100,000 other money belonging to the state. District Attorney Manning indicted the three bank wreckers, and brought Ross to trial April 21, of this year, after the defense secured change of venue from Portland to Salem. Mr. Manning was succeeded by Mr. Cameron as District Attorney in July, since which time no move toward prosecution of the other bankers has been made. The judgment against Ross has been stayed by the Supreme Court. Mr. Cameron says he does not expect the Supreme Court to pass on the appeal until November.

STATE SOCIETY IS FORMED

Association Organized and Officers Elected by Accountants.

At a meeting last night of a number of the leading accountants of the city an organization to be known as the Oregon State Society of Public Accountants was formed. The following officers were elected: President, W. R. Mackenzie; vice-president, J. J. Chamberlain; secretary and treasurer, Arthur Berridge; auditor, Alex C. Rae; directors, J. W. Ferguson, E. H. Collins, William Whitfield, George T. Martin.

Amusements

Musical Comedy—Salome Dance.

The attraction at the Helios Theatre, Fourteenth and Washington streets tonight and tomorrow night, which will be a most enjoyable musical comedy success, "Salome Dance." It is found on the old nursery tales and is filled with surprises both mechanical and musical.

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"Uncle Josh Perkins" at the Star.

"Uncle Josh Perkins," the great comedy success, which is playing at the Star this week, is a play built on original lines and is presented by a brilliant company, who make the most possible out of every type of character enacted. While built largely for laughs, there is enough pathos, human interest and thrilling situations unfolded to suit all classes.

"Salome Sensation at Lyric."

The sensational "Salome" dance has created a great furore at the Lyric, where Nedra Lancombe has introduced it. It is filling the theater at every performance. There will be a matinee today. The Blunkall company in that funny farce, "Niobe."

AT THE VAUDEVILLE THEATERS.

George Bloomquist at Orpheum.
George Bloomquist, who is with Franklin Underwood at the Orpheum, has been light comedian for some of the best organizations for the past several years and in stock work has been with James Neill and George Fawcett. He was the original Clem in "The Three of Us," and was also in the original cast of "Just Out of College."

Plays Five Parts.

Roland West plays five parts in "The Criminal" at the Grand this week. This is one of the best dramatic acts that have been sent to the Coast. A band of Arabs are also on the programme and go through a remarkable acrobatic feat in the scene. The people have been imported especially for the Sullivan & Considine circuit of vaudeville houses.

New Bill at Pantheas Theater.

The Humman Trio of comedy cyclists at the Pantheas Theater this week perform on many different kinds of wheels. A one-mile bicycle race on novel and original machines, which shows the distance traveled, is the greatest signal feature of the whole show and is surprising and comically clever.

REFUSES LIGHT CONTRACT

Milwaukee Council Will Not Enter Five-Year Arrangement.

The Milwaukee Council has refused to grant the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company a five-year contract for lighting that town at the present rates, which are the same as those charged in Portland. The matter was brought before the Council through a petition of some citizens for three or four lights, which the company declined to install unless the town should grant a five-year contract. Councilman Streib, T. R. A. Sellwood and John R. Kelso opposed the grant, while Mayor Shindler and Councilman Matthews favored it. The opposition held that Portland had not yet given the company a contract for lighting the streets and would likely secure a reduction of cost, and Milwaukee would get the same reduction. Councilman Streib argued that if the town made a five-year contract it would be tied up for that length of time.

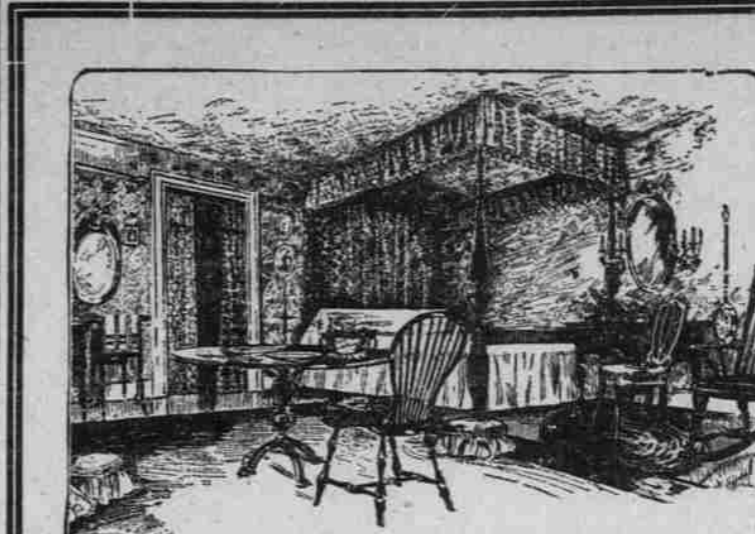
CLUB FOR COTTAGE GROVE

Republicans Organize and Make Request for Stump Speakers.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—A Taft Republican club was organized here tonight with 50 members. C. J. Howard was elected president; J. M. Lehman, first vice-president; J. O. Van Winkle, second vice-president; M. H. Anderson, secretary and T. C. Wheeler, treasurer.

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Medford, Or., Sept. 28.—(Special.)—Otwell Secures Injunction.

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