## MAGNATES COURT

Comiskey at Banquet Invites Conflict, Johnson and Herrmann Concur.

BATTLE HELPFUL, 'TIS SAID

New York Players Exonerated of Signal-Tipping Charge, National League Spurred to Fighting Point.

(Continued From First Page.)

still talking. The American League met today, transacted its business with dis-patch and adjourned until next year, but the senior organization, deadlocked over the selection of a president, talked for two hours and then adjourned until 11:30

with regard to the National League presidency remains unchanged. John M. Ward commands four votes; John A. Heydler, president incumbent, commands three votes and one club owner, Robinson, Bt. Louis, refuses to say for whom he will vote.

#### Wards Supporters Firm.

vote for Hoydler, there seems to be no weakening in the ranks of the men against Heydler, Charles H. Ebbetts, president of the Brooklyn Club, reiterated president of the Brooklyn Club, reiterated positively that he never would vote for Heydler. Barney Droyfuss, president of the Pittsburg Club, said he would remain here until next Spring if necessary to land Heydler on the job. John M. Ward, he added, had no chance at all, and Robison had told him, Dreyfuss said, that while he had not pledged himself for Heydler, he never would vote for Ward.

#### Four Votes Not Elective.

Dreyfuss has consulted attorneys to ascertain what will happen in case Ward secures four votes and Heydler three, with Robison declining to vote. He was told that, under the laws of this state, the four votes would not elect Ward, all of which seems to indicate that the National Leasung has a secure votes would not elect ward, all of which seems to indicate that the National Leasung has seen at the laws of the seems to be a secure ways wards and the secure was the secure ways wards and the secure ways wards and the secure was the secure ways wards and the secure ways wards and the secure ways wards and the secure was a secure way was a secure ways and the secure ways wards and the secure was a secure ways and the secure was a secure way was a secure was a secure way was a secure was a se

of which seems to indicate that the National League has a big powwow ahead of it before a decision is reached. A compromise candidate who may or may not be Ned Hanlon, former owner of the Baltimore Club, may be chosen.

With the presidential situation undecided, the National League magnates, of necessity, confined themselves to routine matters today. Horace Fogel, representing the new owners of the Fhiladelphia Club, was admitted to the meeting, but many clubowners were not satisfied with his assertion that Charles W. Murphy, of Chicago, and Charles P. Taft, of Cincinnati, are not the new purchasers.

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The new club was admitted to membership, and Fogel mined himself president;

Frank B. Elliot, vice-president; Morris
Schreck, secretary-treasurer, and I.

Schwartz and W. Conway, directors.

The claim of the New York Club owners against the Philadelphia Club for damages for a forfeited game at the polo grounds October 4 was referred to the new owners, as was William J. Muran ray's two-year contract with the old Philadelphia corporation. President Heydler announced that players Moran. Dollin and Knabe, fined for their conduct in the game October 4, would be ineligible to play in the National League until the fines were paid.

The committee appointed in Louisville.

The committee appointed in Louisville last August to arrange for the erection of a monument over the grave of Harry Pulliam, former president of the National League, reported that Mr. Pulliam's fam-lly already had erected a monument.

#### Pulliam's Sister Aided.

The league decided to bestow a lump sum, not specified, on an invalid sister of the late president, and to give her the interest on \$5000 in her lifetime. Heydler submitted his annual report, in which he deplored the many protests of games. He argued that clubowners should show the same consideration to umpires that they do to players who loage

Behavior of players on the diamond last season was better than ever, says Heyd-ler. Receipts of National League clubs last

season were 100 per cent more than in 1902, the first year in which the National and American League worked in har-The American League meeting re-

mended the adoption of a schedule of 164 games for next season. Joe Cantillon, former manager of the Washington Club, was exonerated of a

charge of disloyalty to the league.

The clubowners passed upon the question of wearing spikes to Fresident Johnson and Charles Comiskey, with power to act for the league.

#### Summers Named Again.

Charles Summers, of Cleveland, was unanimously re-elected vice-president of the league. The next meeting will be held in Chicago in February. The Boston National League Club un-conditionally released Catcher Alshaw.

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The St. Louis Americans will release
Second Baseman Williams to Minneapolls if they can get walvers on him. Willlams is destined to manage the St. Joseph
Club if he gets a Western League fran-Club if he gets a Western League tran-chise next season, as it is Joe Cantillon's intention, it is said, to buy the Pueblo tranchise and transfer it to St. Joseph. The Cincinnati Club sold Catcher Frank Both to Minneapolis and Third Base-man Dolan and Pitcher Lower to Den-

The Baseball Writers' Association of America yesterday re-elected all officers.

TAYLOR CHOSEN "U" CAPTAIN

#### Oregon Eleven to Be Headed by Student From Vancouver, Wash.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Charles W. Taylor, right halfback on the varsity eleven this season, was elected tonight captain of next year's football team. Taylor is a senior in the mechanical engineering department and has played football two years at Oregon. His work was so brilliant at times that he was selected as one of the halves on the official All-Northwest.

Taylor is 21 years old. His home is in Taylor is 21 years old. His home is in Vancouver. Wash. He is a graduate of Hill Milliary Academy in Portland, where he starred in interscholastic football circles. Three years ago he made the Oregon team in his freshman year, but next season went to Cornell, where a broken collarbone kept him from playing and made him eligible for the Oregon eleven when he returned here last Fall. Taylor is also a good baseball player and an all-round athlete.

Oregon will lose five men by graduation.

Oregon will lose five men by graduation from this year's team—Pinkham, Captair Clarke, Sullvan, Dodson and Kiltz.

of the Intercollegiate Association of Western Pennsylvania and West Vir-ginia, held here yesterday, the first col-legiate action looking toward the aboli-tion of American football and the adop-tion of Rugby unless the rules of the American game is radically changed, was taken. In the association are Washing-ton and Jefferson, University of West Virginis, Geneva, Grove City and Alle-gheny colleges.

M. A. A. C. TO MEET CRICKETERS

Association Football to Be Played Next Saturday.

Most important of any so far this season will be the issue in Saturday aftermoon's association football game, in which M. A. A. C. and the Portland Cricketers will line up at 2:30 o'clock on the Vaughn-street baseball grounds. The Cricketers, unbeaten this Fall, are tied with Queen's Park for first place in the City League, and if they win from Multnomah will practically have put the latter team out of the running for the cup and the state championship. If the Cricketers lose, the remaining six weeks may see the trophy go to any of the teams.

The Cricketers will have their strongest The Cricketers will have their strongest team, except for the absence of Coppinger at outside right. Curiously enough, however, this loss is exactly counterbalanced by an injury to Kydd, Multnomah's outside right, who has been out of the game since Thankagiving. Both elevens, consequently, present one new man and a partially new arrangement of players. C. A. Stewart, the veteran soccer and lacrossic player, will be referee. The line-ups follow:

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## Wards Supporters Firm. Although it is predicted that he will BENNETT WELL HEELED

CALIFORNIA PUGILIST READY AND WILLING FOR TUESDAY.

Oregon Athletic Club's Matches Next Week Promise Some Clever Boxing by Youngsters.

"Jockey" Bennett, who is to appear before the Oregon Athletic Club Decem-ber 21, seems to be even better than when he apphared recently in an exhibition with Freddie Couture before the Rose City Club. He boxed with a middleweight the other day, and as he weighs only 115 pounds, fils showing

was remarkable.

If Bennett shows to better advantage than Jimmy Carroll, with whom he is matched to give an exhibition Tuesday night, he hopes to get an immediate return match with another club in the Northwest

Jimmy Carroll, of Oakland Bennett's coming opponent, will be in Portland before the end of the week. Accompanied by his trainer, he may arrive to-The Oregon Club's other match is likely to be an exhibition between Frankle Edwards and Pete McVelgh, the Seattle whiriwind. According to Lonny Austin, of Seattle, McVelgh is in line for the

lightweight championship.

Bobby Evans, who appeared here in two rattling preliminaries, is scheduled for a bout at Astoria Saturday night,

TEAM TO BE PICKED FROM 52

#### McLaughlin Basketball Players Make Kelly Manager.

The McLaughlin Club organized its 1910 basketball team yesterday and elected Bruce Kelly manager. Fifty-two candidates signified their intentions of trying for the team. The McLaughlin team last year was

one of the strongest in the city. In one game, the strong team from the Catholic Young Men's Club was defeated 37 to 2. The first game this season will be played with the Christian Brothers' College team next Thursday,

Among the most likely candidates for the team are O'Hanlon, Toomey, Gillespie, Joe Huriey, Jerome Huriey, O'Hare, Kelly and Crowley. Games with the Mc-Laughlins may be obtained by addressing Bruce Kelly, care of The Oregonian.

GAME AT UMATILLA ROUGH

Hermiston Wins at Basketball, by . 19-to-16 Score

UMATILLA, Or., Dec. 15.—(Special.)— In the opening game of the season, Sat-urday evening, the Umatilla basketbull team succumbed to Hermiston, 18 to 16. The contest was unnecessarily rough.
For Umatilla, J. McNurlen, at left forward, was the star, making 10 points.
Thompson, in the same position for Hermiston, secured 12 points. O. Ruffner played a star game at center. The teams lined up as follows:

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Waverly Tournament to Be Played The handicap golf tournament of the Waverly Golf Club, which was to have been played off last Thanksgiving day, will be held Saturday afternoon on the Sellwood links. The Thanksgiving event could not be finished because high water covered one of the holes. Entries for the tourney are: Jordan Zan, H. T. Honeyman, W. Alexander, H. S. Wells, Extward Cookingham, R. R. Hogue, William ward Cookingham, R. P. Hogue, William MacMaster, W. A. MacRae, George War-ren, William Ladd, Peter Kerr, Thomas Kerr, Gordon Vorhles, J. E. Young.

#### Hurlinghams Seek Polo Cup.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The Hurlingham Club pole committee, receding from its letermination not to challenge in 1916 for the international pole cup, won last Summer by the Meadowbrook team, of Long Island, now has decided unani-mously to send a provisional challenge to the Polo Association of the United States. If a suitable team of players and ponies can be collected, a formal chal-lenge will be sent, the match to follow the Hurlingham tournament in June.

"Tex" Rickard Sued for Debt.

RENO, Nav., Dec. 15.—G. L. (Tex.) Rickard, the prize-fighter promoter, was made the defendant in an action filed yesterday in the District Court here by J. G. Roberts. Roberts says he holds two unpaid bills against Rickard amounting in all to \$5650.75, repeated demands for the payment of which, he says, have been made and refused by Rickard.

when he returned here last Fall. Taylor is also a good baseball player and an all-round athlete.

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New Rules, or Rugby Demanded.

PITTSBURG. Dec. 15.—At a meeting for the purpose of preventing such trips in the future.

SALEM. Or., Dec. 15.—Special.)—A genteral meeting of everyone in Marion Country interested in the promotion of good roads will be held tomorrow in the assumption of the Board of Education, yesterday announced that he would introduce a resolution at the next board meeting for the purpose of preventing such trips in the future.

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# **ELLIS' FIRST MOVE**

Will Offer Ordinance Revoking Grant of Foot of Main Street.

CITY HAS CLEAR RIGHT

Law Passed 40 Years Ago Makes, Grant Revocable at Will-Site Is Occupied by Albers Bros. Consternation at Move.

Councilman Ellis will introduce before the City Council next Wednesday an or-dinance revoking the rights and privi-leges granted by the Council in October, 1865, to James B. Stephens and Walter Moffit on city property at the foot of Main street, on the Willamette River. This is the first definite step to be taken by him in his efforts to reclaim for the municipality dock property valued at mil-

municipality dock property valued at millions of dollars.

Albers Bros. Milling Company has its warehouse on part of this property, according to Mr. Ellis. This is one of the large establishments of Portland, and it has been using the city street, he states, for many years. Owing to the fact that the Council actually granted the right to occupy the street, however, until it shall be revoked, it is believed that this is a clear case; that the Council, by passing the proposed ordinance to be submitted by Mr. Ellis, will take over the property for the city.

or the city.
Mr. Ellis' announced intention of trying Mr. Ellis' announced intention of trying to take over all of the waterfront property at the ends of the streets on both sides of the Willamette River has created no end of discussion, particularly among those vitally affected, such as those who have been occupying such property and have established their business on it. There is property valued at many millions of dollars, lying from Glisan to Market streets on the West Side and from Madison street to Holladay

from Madison street to Holladay avenue on the East Side, which will be taken over formally and either utilized by the city for some purpose or for which some revenue will be demanded, according to the plans of Mr.

Following is the ordinance which gave permission to use Main street. It will be seen that it is revocable at the pleasure of the Council;

ORDINANCE NO. 568. An ordinance, granting permission to James B. Stephens and Walter Moffett to construct a wharf, adjoining for No. i, in block No. 72, and the south half of lot No. i, in block No. 72, and the south half of lot No. is in block No. 73, in the City of Portland, and to grade and plank so much of that portion of Main street, lying east of the east line of Front street as may be necessary for a convenient passage to and from the wharf. The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

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Section 1. That James B. Stephens and Walter Moffitt have the authority and consent of the Common Council to construct a wharf, adjoining, on the east, block 72 and wharf, adjoining, on the east, block 72 and wharf, adjoining to the east, block 73 in such manner the half of lot No. 4, block 75. in such manner the same shall not unnecessarily interfere with the navigation of the Willamette River adjacent thereto.

Section 2. That said Stephens and Moffitt have the authority and consent of the Common Council to grade and plant so much mon Council to grade and plant so much proceed to the east line of Front east. It is made to the east line of Front east line of Front east and print grade and from the wharf.

Section 3. That said parties shall in all respects comply with the directions of the "committee on streets and public property and the street commissioner" in all property and the street commissioner in the construction of said wharf—grading and planking—and at all times comply with such planking—and at all times comply with such planking—and at all times comply with such prescribe governing wharves.

Section 4. The authority, consent and privilege hereby granted to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk
Approved by me this 10th October, 18
H. BOYD, Mayor

JOBBERS FIGHT FOR TRADE

Northwestern Opens New Territory

for Wholesale Houses. BAKER CITY, Or., Dec. 15.-(Special.)-

he new field.

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There has been a general belief that the Oregon Short Line would install a freight that would permit wholesalers along its line to enter the new country on a better basis than Baker City merchants could hope for. This thought has lately been dispelled by a report that the O. R. & N. intends to take care of the Baker City institutions with a freight rate that will equal the one adopted by the Short Line. Already the Baker City Grocery Com-

pany has established a warehouse, at Robinetts on the new rallroad and other institutions of this city are preparing to branch houses in some of the new Merchants in Weiser, Payette and Solse are active and their agents make regular visits down the road:

#### HOP MEN WILL HOLD CROP Oregon Man Advises Growers to

Wait for High Prices.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Conrad Krebs, one of the leading hopgrowers of the Williamette Valley, returned to Salem tonight from an Eastern trip, in which he visited brewers in 60 leading cities of the

country.

His advice to growers is to hold their hops until late Spring, if necessary, as he declares prices will reach the 35-cent mark by that time at least. He states that the brewers of the United States have given Oregon hops a black eye through a letter sent out by U. F. Fox, secretary of the United States Brewing Association, in which Krebs declares Fox advised all brewers if they kept out of the market the market must decline. the market the market must decline. Krebs states that hops were never so strong in Oregon since 1882, when the crop went to \$1.25 a pound. "If we cannot hold hops at present prices with only one-third of the world market open for consumption, we had better quit the hop business entirely," he said.

#### GOOD ROADS MOVERS MEET

Marion County Promoters Convene Today at Salem.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 15 .- (Special.) -A gen-

The Home

Furnished Complete.

## Tull & Gibbs, Inc.

MORRISON AT SEVENTH

Housefurnishing Goods Sold on Easy Payments.

Princess

Dresser

\$18.75

-A Colonial design

and exceptional value at the regular price-

\$27.50. It is of all

quarter-sawed golden

oak; has large mirror,

18x36 inches, and the

base" is arranged with

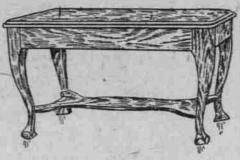
one large drawer and

two smaller drawers,

with wood knobs. Has

also the carved claw

CHRISTMAS CUT GLASS, CHINAWARE, TABLE SILVERWARE, CHAFING DISHES, CARVING SETS, CLOCKS, UM-BRELLA JARS, JARDINIERES, GAS AND ELECTRIC LAMPS IN THE BASEMENT



## Here and There In Furniture

LIBRARY TABLES—those in the plain straight lines, the Colonial designs and some that touch on the "quaint" style. In golden oak, mahogany and the fumed oak. At \$10.75 is an attractive design in quartered golden oak, hand-polished, with drawer and the wood knobs.

CENTER TABLES-with plain and fancy shaped tops and lower shelves and the French, spiral and square tapered legs. In golden oak from \$3.45 up. In mahogany finish from \$3.35 up.

.COMFORT ROCKERS - mentioning our excellent Christmas showing of those designs with the leather upholstered seats-some with leather upholstered backs and head rests. In the dull and polished finishes of golden oak and mahogany. In golden oak as low as \$8.50. Others at \$12, \$13, \$16 and up.

TURKISH LEATHER ROCK-ERS-they're those fine big; restgiving pieces that make such appropriate gifts. And you can depend on them to last for years. You'll find ours most reasonably priced. A splendid style at \$43.

"New Domestic" Sewing Machines SOLD ON TERMS



The Rocking Horses, dapple grays, all sizes. Gaily painted Drums. Tool Chests—they're complete, in four sizes. Doll Go-Carts priced from 60c up. Dressed, sleeping Dolls—from 20c up. Dolls' Furniture-Mission Sets, Bedroom Sets, Dining-room Sets, etc. Complete assortment of Iron Toys-Fire Engines, Hook and Ladder Trucks, Hose Wagons, etc.

TOYLAND'S SPECIAL OFFERING TODAY-Choo-Choo Express Engines-self-winding-21 inches long-8 inches high-all metal-regular \$2.00 value, at \$1.25.

Choo-Choo Autos also, self-winding—21 inches long—all metal—regular \$2.00 values, at \$1.25. Toyland, in the Basement.

#### Xmas Sale of Dinner Sets

Five decorated patterns are opportunely priced-today: 50-piece Set at \$8.25-The || 100-piece Set at \$18.50-The "Mount Vernon" white and gold decoration, in semi-porcelain. Regularly \$10.00.

50-piece Set at \$9.25-In the

"Carlisle," pink rose decoration, semi-porcelain. Regularly 100-piece Set at \$13.50-In blue and white semi-porcelain. Regularly \$20.00.

Colonial pattern; white and gold, in semi-porcelain. Regularly \$22.00.

100-piece Haviland Sets at \$54 -Two decorations to choose from at this special price; in green and gold and in pink and gold. Regularly \$65.00.

## CoffeePercolators-Special

The Rochester Percolator-the best made-nickel-plated. Four sizes low priced for today's selling. A gift suggestion here. \$2.75 Percolators at...\$2.25 \$4.00 Percolators at...\$3.20 \$3.25 Percolators at...\$2.65 \$4.25 Percolators at...\$3.40

COUCH COVERS-SPECIAL \$1.45-Sixty inches wide and couch length. Regular \$2.50 values. COUCH COVERS-SPECIAL \$4.35-In fine Persian colorings and patterns, in fast colors; 64 inches wide and 3 yards long. Regular \$7.50 yalues.

CURTAIN SWISS AND NETS-SPECIAL AT 35¢ YARD-Closing out seven patterns in these materials—white and ecru. Regular 65c, 75c and \$1.00 yard grades. FLORENTINE SILKS-SPECIAL AT 50¢ YARD-32 inches wide, and figured. Values from 85c to \$1.10 yard.

Today's specials in the Drapery Section-Sixth Floor

feet. Dresser at \$15.25-A plain design in solid oak, golden finish, 22x 28-inch mirror. One of our best low-priced Dressers. Regularly

### Dining Chair Special

\$3.50 Chair at \$2.65 -A box-seat pattern, in quartered golden oak, polish finish, with wide panel back and claw feet; cane bottom. \$7.00 Arm Chair to match at \$5.25.

SPORTING MAN CHARGED WITH PASSING BAD CHECK.

Portland Hotel Clerk Finds Marathon Race Promoter Was No

Tim McGrath, well known among athletes and sporting circles as backer of marathon runners and romoter of races, is wanted in Port-The country recently opened by the new Northwestern Railroad, along Snake River, is a battle ground for the wholesaler and jobber of Eastern Oregon and Western Idaho. Each city possessing wholesale was made out yesterday morning by cestablishments has its representatives in the new field. and a warrant issued for McGrath's

The authorities at San Francisco where McGrath is said to be at the present time, have been notified to take him into custody. It is thought more than lkely that McGrath will prevent prosecution by sending forthwith the amount of the alleged bad check.

McGrath and Fitzgerald were re-McGrath and Fitzgerald were recently in Portland together with Henri St. Yves, John Hayes and John D. Marsh, champlon runners. It was the intention of the party to promote a marathon race in Portland, but this project fell through, McGrath, Fitzgerald and Hayes going to San Francisco ond the others going to Victoria, B. C. Before leaving the hotel Fitzgerald asked to have the check for \$100 cashed. The clerk asked for Mcgerald asked to have the check for \$100 cashed. The clerk asked for Mc-Grath's indorsement; which was given. The check was drawn upon the Great West Permanent Loan & Sav-ings Company, of Calgary, Alberta province, Canada, and dated Novem-ber 15. Yesterday the Portland Hotel Company was notified that the check had been protested at the Canadian bank. Extradition papers will probably be

asked today for the racing men from Governor Benson at Salem. GOLD SEALS WIN FAST GAME

Columbia Hardware Team Loses Indoor Contest, 14 to 2. In a fast indoor baseball game last night in Ringler's gymnasium, the Gold Scals took the Columbia Hardware Company team into camp to the tune

Company team into camp to the tune of 14 to 2.

The glit-edged twirling of Fording won the game for the Gold Seals. He allowed but four scattered hits and sent 17 of the hardware dealers to the cellar. The heavy hitters of the evening were Eauer and Alberts. Backus pitched a fair game but was weak in the fourth and fifth innings, when he allowed 11 hits and 11 runs.

SCORE BY ININGS.

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ALBANY. Or., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—The fast bankerball feam of the Albany High School will play its two first games of the season this week. It will meet the Roseburg High School team in this city to enforce the demands. Albany High Has Two Games.

GOLF ASSOCIATION EXTENDS Western to Include All America and

Islands, Is Plan. CHICAGO, Dec. 15 .- The Western Golf Association will change its name to the American Golf Association and will make From Furnamental Processing Control of the Con any organized golf club in North and South America and the islands pertaining thereto eligible for membership, if a report of the committee appointed to make changes in the constitution is adoped on

It is believed the amendments will be MULTNOMAH CLUB TO DANCE Boys' and Girls' Junior Classes to

Enjoy Light Fantastic. The Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club will give a Christmas tree party and dance to the members of the boys and girls' junior classes on Monday or Tuesday night, December 27 or 28. This was practically the only item of interest transacted by the board of

Presbyterian Players Practicing.

The basketball teams of the Presbyte-rian Brotherhood League are practicing for the season, which will open about January 1. The schedule of games will be made some time next week. The Presbyterian churches represented in the league are as follows: First Church, Sellwood, Mount Tabor, Mizpah, Haw-thorne, Twenty-eighth Street. Third, Westminster, Vernon, Forbes and Pied-

Christian Brothers Defeat Hassalo. The basketball team of the Christian Brothers Business College last night defeated the quintet of the Hassalo Athletic Club by the score of 27 to 16. The teams lined up as follows: C.B. B. C. Position. Hassalo B. C.
Hughes F. Word
Van Hoomissen F. Duncombe
Evers Kennefick C. Appy
Winters G. Vinyard
Brinkeroff G. Donaldson

Game Is Called Off.

The basketball game scheduled for next Tuesday between teams representing the local Y, M. C. A. and the University of Washington has been called off. Th Y. M. C. A. team, however, will play a game with the Columbia University team next Monday evening.

Tillicum Defeats Deaf Mutes. VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 15 .- (Spe

cial.)—In the game of basketball played this afternoon at St. Luke's Hall be-tween the Juniors of the Tillicum Club and the second team of the State Scho for the Deaf, the former won by a score New England's Vote Taken.

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—The attitude of the conductors and trainmen of all the lead-ing New England rallroads on the general proposition for a wage increase and equalization of hours has been recorded

## JEFFRIES TAKES TO BED

BIG FIGHTER HAS SERIOUS ATTACK OF LUMBAGO.

From Europe-Dates May Be Canceled.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 15 .- (Special.)-Jim Jeffries was forced to take to his bed in the New Vendome Hotel here Wednesday at 2 o'clock, after his arrival from Chattanooga, Tenn. suffering from an aggravated case of lumbago, which is considered serious.

The big fighter could scarcely walk from his train to a taxicab. Dr. B. F. Roller, who is accompanying him on his tour, stated that it was possible that all engagements for the immediate future would have to be broken. He could make no statement regarding his

condition by July 4.

Jeffries was to have sparred here Wednesday night. He arose from his bed against the advice of the physician and went to the theater, but he retired a short time afterward and returned to his bed. Apparently Jeffries is in worse form than when he returned from Europe.

TWO WON BY SINGLE POINTS

Billiard Matches Evoke More Interest Than Ever Before. Close and exciting matches were played

last night in the handleap billiand towney in progress at the Multnomah Club. More interest was shown than at any time since the tournament started.

Two matches were won on margins of a point each. E. Holcomb won from J. R. O'Shea, 70 to 69, and A. Murphy, in the sixth class, won a match from Bennett by the score of 40 to 39. Another good match was that played between T. M. Dunne and B. Holcomb, in which the former won, 70 to 62. The scores were as follows:

Third class—A. Kerrigan 60, to T. M. Ba-ker 31. Seventh class—Sullivan 40, to Richardson Second class—E. Helcomb 70, to J. B. Second class—T. M. Dunne 79, to E. Holmb 62 First class—A. Morris 75, to O. Kerrigan Seventh class—F. C. Warren 40, to H. S. Bennett 17.
Sixth class—Tom Cleland, 40, to E. D. Barrett 28.
Sixth class—A. Murphy 40, to H. S. Bennett 39. Sixth class J. K. Mahoney 40, to Dr. A. D. Walker 28

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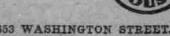
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