

RAIN HOLDS SWAY; BALL TEAMS IDLE

No Games Played in Coast League—Beavers Ready for Oaks Today.

SPECK HARKNESS TO PITCH

McCredie Said to Be Angling for Klawitter, Crack New Orleans Twirler—Baum and Ish to Visit Portland Next Week.

SAK FRANCISCO, April 9.—(Special.)—Rain postponed all games in the Coast League today, but the teams will start off on the second week tomorrow afternoon with increased ardor. The Portland club spent the day idly around the hotel corridors shaking hands with old acquaintances and exchanging the whores of the Angel defeats the week before.

Peck Casey to Umpire. Peck Casey, the former Beaver, who made his debut as an umpire at Sacramento opening week, is here, saying hello to the Seattle staff. He will work with Hildebrand in the Portland-Oakland series, and this same day has been assigned for the opening of the new park in Portland when the Seals journey northward next Tuesday.

WHITMAN SENDS ONE MAN

Seven Men Selected by Oregon Agricultural College—State University Team Not Yet Chosen—Entry List Big. Whitman College has listed one man, Bloomquist, who will compete in the 440 and the 580-yard runs. Two men, Anderson and Lewis, will run unattached. Anderson came here from Brooklyn, where he made quite a record as an 890-yard and a mile man. Lewis is from Washington, Wash.

WASHINGTON NINE HIT HARD

Seattle Faculty Rules Seven of Team Ineligible. Seattle Wash., April 9.—(Special.)—Washington faculty baseball team was cut to pieces today by a ruling of the faculty board which eliminated seven ineligible at one stroke. Because of poor scholarship, work, two pitchers, both candidates for shortstop, two catchers and one third baseman have been eliminated and this has no cut up the line-up.

SEATTLE DEFEATS AMATEURS

Dugdale's Team Wins 14-to-1 Game. Two Regulars Out of Commission. SEATTLE, Wash., April 9.—(Special.)—Crane Company's team, reinforced by Jones, pitcher, and McMullin, third-sacker, of Dugdale's bunch, did not offer even good practice for the Seattle regulars today. The score was 14 to 1. McMullin's fielding was a feature of the game. He also distributed Crane's only run, a homer of Vance. Klein was a mystery to Crane boys.

PORTLAND MAN WHO HAS BEEN GRANTED AVIATOR'S LICENSE.

Harry Park, Portland business man and former trick bicycle rider, has been granted an aviator's license by the Aero Club of America. He emerged from a series of strenuous tests at San Diego, Cal., with flying colors, and will be in Portland within a week.



Less than one year ago Park was severely injured in a meet at St. Louis, his biplane crashing to the ground from a height of 40 feet. The pilot was so disabled with broken bones and contusions of various kinds that he did not recover until January, when he left for San Diego to try his hand at the guiding of aerial crafts once more.

150 MEN IN GAMES

18 Schools and Colleges to Enter Columbia Meet. Club Schedule is Arranged. Multnomah Sunday Morning League to Play Eight Weeks.

According to the eight weeks' schedule of the Multnomah Club's Sunday Morning League, issued yesterday by Manager Ed Morris, the Agitators and Highlanders will open the season at 10:15 o'clock next Sunday morning. The season will consist of five-inning double-headers on each Sunday morning except the final date, June 2. The 15-game schedule for the six clubs follows:

WILLIAMS PICKS TEAM

FIFTEEN ASSIGNED PLACES; SIX OTHERS TO BE CARRIED. Squad to Leave Redding Today for Invasion of Oregon Before Start of Season.

REDDING, Cal., April 9.—(Special.)—Nick Williams, manager of the Portland Northwest League team, today rounded out the squad that will struggle for the Northwest League pennant, opening in Seattle next Tuesday with Seattle. The players are settled upon, Curtis was released today and positions assigned as follows:

Two Are from Academy. Portland Academy—Kurtz and Fithian. Washington High School—Nelson, Windmager, Wilson, Edwards, Kelly, D. McLaren, Martin, Boyette, Johnson, Schoenfeld and Adams, Ditar, Smock, Grant and Hill.

HOQUIAM MAY BE IN LEAGUE

Olympia's Place Likely to Be Taken by Grays Harbor Town. CENTRALIA, Wash., April 9.—(Special.)—It is probable that Hoquiam will occupy the berth made vacant in the State League by the refusal of Olympia to support a team this year. Over \$350 was raised toward the support of a

BACKSTOP BURCH WILL JOIN SQUAD

Last Season Holdout Will Report at Portland About April 20. BEAVERS MAY USE HIM

Hard-Hitting Texas Catcher to Be Turned Over to Colts if He Can't Make Good With Coast League Team. Portland will have another backstop, Beaver or Colt, within two weeks. Yesterday a much faster week was reported by J. E. Burch, the holdout of last season, the player accompanying the articles of agreement with a note to the effect that he will be in Portland about April 20.

WOLGAST PURSE IS \$15,000

Champion to Have Choice of 48 per Cent of House in Rivers Fight. LOS ANGELES, April 9.—It was announced at Manager McCarey's headquarters tonight that Champion Light-weight Wolgast would receive \$15,000 cash, or 48 per cent of the gross receipts, for his fight against Joe Rivers, the local Mexican, on July 4, in the Vernon arena.

NATIONAL TENNIS DATES SET

Events Arranged at Pittsburg, St. Martin, Newport, Haverford. NEW YORK, April 9.—After more than two weeks work straightening out conflicting applications for dates, the United States National Lawn Tennis Association made public tonight a list of 140 fixtures for the subscription. The national championships are set as follows:

Major League Notes

CHICAGO, April 9.—Roland Barrows, an outfielder procured from the Lowell (Mass.) Club, was sold today to Jersey City by the Chicago Americans. PHILADELPHIA, April 9.—Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, released Pitchers Gipe and Bonner to New Orleans.

GIRL ATHLETES CONTEST

ST. HELEN'S HALL GYMNASIUM DRILLS INTERESTING. Fay Armstrong, 12 Years Old, Wins High Jump With 4 Feet 3 Inches—Aptitude Shown.

MIXED MEET PLANNED

P. N. A. AND SCHOOL SWIMMERS IN DUAL EVENT. Date for Contests Not Announced. Other Sports May Be Combined in Big Programme.

DOUBLE APPEAL IS TAKEN

Both Parties Ask Reconsideration in Booth-Kelly Timber Case. A double appeal has been taken to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in the case of the United States against the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company, which was to forfeit five timber claims they were alleged to have secured by fraud.

BOXING AND WRESTLING

Amateur Championship—7 Clever, Snappy, Scrappy Bouts. Columbus Club, Oregon Hall, 7th and Oak. Wednesday Evening, April 10th. Doors open 7:30. First bout 8:30 sharp. Admission \$1.00. Reserved Seats \$1.50. On sale at Schiller's, Sixth and Washington and Oregon Cigar Co., 4th and Washington.

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Attempt to Find Suitable Opponent for Swanson Falls—Wrestling Match as Curtain Raiser.

McKIBBIN HATS

Because an acceptable match could not be found, Swanson, one of the star boxers of the Columbus Club, will not be on tonight's programme which the club is staging at the Oregon Hall, at Seventh and Oak streets. This will be the fourth affair of the kind the Columbus Club has held and indications point to a large house and a clever programme.

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