

EVERETT TO HAVE TRIAL IN LEAGUE

Tacoma Games for Three Days to Be Played as Test of Attendance.

SERIES TO BEGIN MAY 31

Jack Healy and William Hofferkorn Control Park and Want Permanent Franchise in Live and Growing City.

EVERETT, Wash., May 28.—(Special.)—The Tacoma franchise of the Northwestern Baseball League was awarded on trial to Everett at a meeting today attended by the magnates of the league and Jack Healy and William Hofferkorn, representing the local interests.

The first game will be played here May 31, with the Vancouver team, a three-day series having been scheduled. The situation here was fully gone into at the meeting today and President Fletcher Jones and club members agreed that Everett was the best proposition in the baseball field unoccupied in the Pacific Northwest.

When the Tacoma franchise was forfeited on Monday a forfeiture of \$10,000 went into the coffers of the league and, as the organization is \$11,000 to the good, the Everett deal will get a good start.

Healy, who has been boosting the ball game here this season with one of the fastest semi-professional teams in the state, will forfeit his right to the grounds on condition that he be reimbursed in the amount of \$1000 spent in putting them in shape. He has been a big money maker with his team, but is willing to take a chance in faster company.

Everett Once Pennant Winner. Years ago Everett had a pennant winner in the Northwestern League and the town has three times the population today. The support has increased accordingly. It is believed local fans are delighted over the deal, and all predict Everett will more than make good.

The members of the party who came here today were: D. E. Dugdale, Fletcher Jones, president of the Northwestern League; Bob Brown, manager of the Vancouver, B. C. club; Judge McCredie, president of the Portland Northwestern League club; Joseph Cohn, owner of the Spokane club; and Manager Wattlett, owner of the Victoria, B. C. club.

EVERETT WILL HAVE TRIAL Belief Is Tacoma Fans Will Be Induced to Support Club.

While Fletcher Jones, Northwestern League president, and several league officials paid a visit to Everett yesterday, planning to switch three of the Tacoma-Vancouver games to that town from a gate receipt standpoint, it seems hardly probable that Tacoma will long be without organized baseball.

Tacoma has a population of 30,000 people, has baseball, and a better brand of that than the cities now in the circuit, and indications would point to nothing more than a scare to force the fan-business men to take hold of the club and support it financially.

While Ed Watkins' proposition to take over the club was turned down, it is not likely that he will be ignored if he has \$10,000 backing for the club. He was simply put off until the Rothermal fighting Watkins the thing for the league directors to do was to dispose of the wobbly magnate and then deal with the aspiring owners of the Tigers.

Owner McCredie of the Portland club returned last night from Tacoma, with little more to say than a substantiation of the Tacoma reports of yesterday. He seems confident that Tacoma is the logical city, but admits that the town will be Tigerless for a time unless the fans rally to the support of Mike Lynch and his men.

President Jones remained over in Washington a day, visiting Everett and canvassing the situation among Tacoma people.

DANNY SHAY SEEKS FRANCHISE Kansas City Man Would Put Tacoma Team in North Yakima.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 28.—(Special.)—Danny Shay, former manager of the Kansas City team in the American Association, left Spokane last night for North Yakima, where he will take the matter up of purchasing the defunct Tacoma team with the North Yakima Chamber of Commerce and the newspapers of that city.

Shay said last night that he considered the location of North Yakima ideal for a berth in this league, in that it would break the long jump between Portland and Spokane. He also said that he understood that the deficit of the Tacoma team was only \$1000. If this is the case it is the only time in the history of the Northwestern League that it has been possible to secure a fully manned team that has an excellent chance of copying the pennant for an small sum.

HILL TEMPLE SOLD TO VERNON Portland Pitcher to Leave to Join Hogan's Team Tomorrow.

Hill Temple, the big right-hand pitcher turned back to Springfield, of the Connecticut State League, by the Portland Coast League Club, has been sold to Vernon and will join Hogan's league leaders at San Francisco, leaving Portland tomorrow.

When Southpaw Greenwell failed to report McCredie took Temple from the same club under an option which expires June 1. The 190-pounder didn't get off very well with the Beavers, losing four games and winning two, as when Klawitter and Higginbotham were purchased by Manager McCredie, he notified Springfield that there was no room for Temple on his club.

Temple was immediately shipped to Portland, where he has been stationed for the past week endeavoring to secure his freedom. Hogan likely has him under a similar option.

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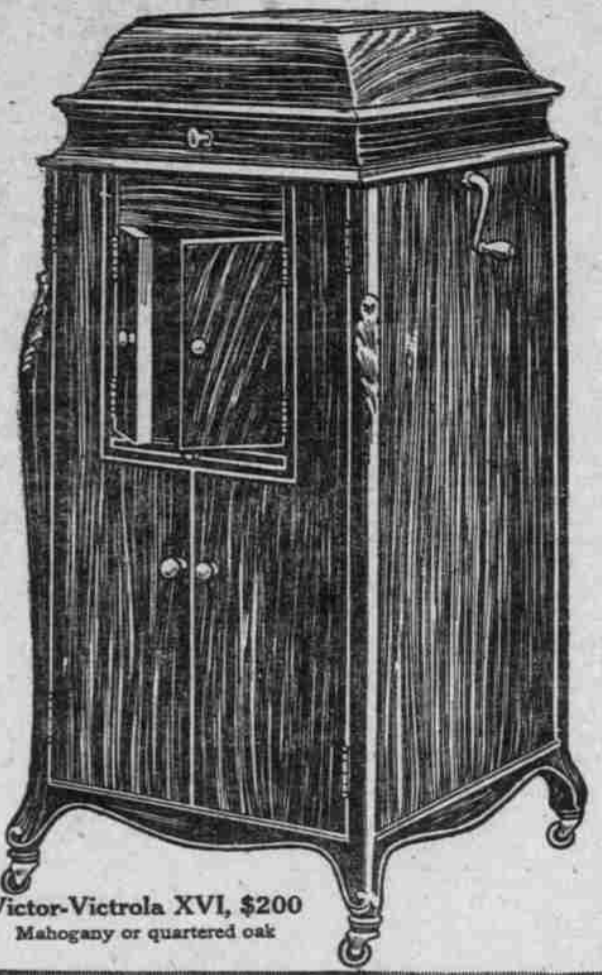
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GARNEY INCREASES LEAD

SOLOMON 12 POINTS BEHIND IN THREE-CUSHION MATCH.

Final Block of 50 Points Will Be Played Tonight—Score Is Now 100 to 88.

If Henry Solomon, Portland man who holds the Pacific Coast three-cushion billiard championship, expects to retain the title, he must score 62 points against the 50 the ex-world's champion must negotiate tonight to win the third block of the title tourney and the Coast cue crown.

There were fewer brilliant spurts last night and more safety play, but the cracks made even faster time than on Monday night, Carney finishing his block of 30 points in 91 innings, against 25 for Monday.

As usual, Carney started the point-making in the first inning, but failed to establish the early lead as on Monday night, and was fighting from the cellar until the 4th inning, when he tied with Solomon.

The final match of the series will be played tonight, starting at 8:30 o'clock. Carney, with a lead of 12 points, is a hot favorite and from his form of the first two nights must fall down badly if he does not win the championship.

WASHINGTON SENDS ATHLETES

Never Any Intention to Evade Conference Meet, Says Zednick.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, May 28.—(Special.)—"Washington will enter seven athletes in the Pacific Coast conference track meet June 1 and if more we should take at least four firsts or 20 of the 140 points," declared Victor Zednick, graduate manager, today. "There was never any doubt about our entering, as the university had entered into the conference agreement and would have been forced to contribute if no men were sent. The squad can leave Friday and start on the return journey Saturday evening, thus missing only one day of the exams, which can be so arranged as not to interfere."

"Courtney should take the 100 and 220-yard dashes with ease as he proved his superiority over other coast material at the Olympic tryouts; Bowman, who secured the high jump in the dual contest at 5 feet 7 1/2 inches, has another five points stowed away, and Edmunds has a good show for a first in the discus. Williams, who won second in the Oregon-Washington pole-vault, takes third place man in the shot; Thomason, who is good for three points in the perpendicular jump, and Auriaz-Turane, the speedy Frenchman who

could not run against Oregon Saturday, will make up the team of seven and will add ten more points to the four firsts, giving Washington a possible 30. We can safely look for a second place."

AGGIES SEEK 'WINGED M' SCALP

Corvallis Nine on Edge for Clash With Multnomah Thursday.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, May 28.—(Special.)—When Coach Stewart's O. A. C. Colts trot out on the Multnomah Club's diamond next Thursday afternoon for their Decoration day game with the strong Portland amateur team, it will be with a determination to show their best mettle in an effort to make good the 6-4 defeat which the Multnomah gull pounders administered to them early in the season.

When the former game was played with the Multnomah Club, the six new men on the Aggie team were just making their debut in College baseball, and consequently, the college nine was not capable of playing winning ball against the experienced team.

The three veterans on the team are Captain Reiben, pitcher; Phillips, Catcher; and Cooper first base. With the assistance of Cutler, the promising young mound artist from Payette, Idaho, Captain Reiben has been doing the box work for this year's games.

GOVERNOR WOULD STOP FIGHT

New Mexico Legislature Urged to Prohibit All Prizefights.

SANTA FE, N. M., May 28.—Governor McDonald sent late today a message to the Legislature, urging the enactment of a law prohibiting prizefights in this state. Should a law be enacted, the Flynn-Johnson fight, scheduled for July 4 at Las Vegas, would have to be transferred to some other state.

The House recently passed a bill known as the Tripp bill, which legalized boxing and limited the number of rounds to 45.

Under the constitution of New Mexico the Legislature is compelled to adjourn on June 2. There is much unfinished business on the calendar, and it is not likely the message will be acted upon at this session.

PULLMAN DEFEATS CORVALLIS

Rieben Hit Hard—Errors Figure in Conference Game.

W. L. Po. W. L. Po. Oregon 5 2 1900 Wash. St. 4 4 425 Wash. 1 1 1000 Astoria 1 0 110 PULLMAN, Wash., May 28.—(Special.)—Washington State College won the baseball game from Oregon Agricultural College here today, 5 to 2. The game was well played despite the numerous errors. Rock, Pullman's young pitcher, was the star of the game and won. In the first inning he made a clean two-base hit, scoring two men. He pulled the team out of two bad holes, caused by errors.

SAN DIEGO MAY GET FRANCHISE

Ewing and Berry to Discuss New Club for Coast League.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 28.—(Special.)—Henry Berry said today that he expects Cal Ewing to arrive in Los Angeles during the latter part of this week. The two Coast League directors

Both are said to be in favor of letting San Diego into the league, and as the proposition has grown stronger every year for the past three or four years,

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