

BEAVERS BEATEN BY OLD JUPE PLOW

McCredie Despairs at Rain in Camp at Stockton Which Prevents Practice.

TEAM SATISFIES MANAGER

Infield Rated High; Pitchers Counted On to Win and Entire Club is Declared to Be Better Than in Spring of 1910 or 1911.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT STOCKTON, Cal., March 23.—(Special.)—Rain prevented the practice of the Beavers...

PORTLAND BOWLERS WHO WILL HANDLE OREGON STATE TOURNAMENT.



TOP ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT, C. J. KRUSE, TOM O'DONNELL, J. W. BLANEY—BOTTOM ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT, C. H. HALL, FRED RAYMOND.

SEVEN BOUTS ON BILL

Fast Milling Promised at Columbus Club Smoker.

SEAT SALE BREAKS RECORD

Multnomah Club Men Particularly Interested, as Results Will Decide Who Are to Meet Champions From California.

COLUMBUS CLUB BOXING PROGRAMME.

- 145-pound—Owens, Columbus Club, vs. Groce, Brooklyn Club...

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Ed Diederich and James H. Cassell, judges; Jack Helsey, referee; George L. Parker, timekeeper; Jack Day, announcer.

MOTORCYCLE RACES DELAYED

Postponement of Week at Forest Grove is Result of Rain.

SPORTING SPARKS

JIM JEFFRIES has started to train for his comeback. He is playing handball in the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

DICK KINSSELLA, who bought Bill Speas from Portland last Fall, is the "keeper" of the New York Giants.

ROY BRASHAR says that Oscar Jones, the pitcher Nick Williams was dicker with a few weeks ago, is capable of a Pacific coast comeback.

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MAYOR WILL OPEN WOMEN'S TOURNEY

State Competition Will See 152 Bowlers Line Up Tonight for 23 Awards.

BEST TALENT IS ENTERED

Entrants Comprise 12 Five-Man Teams, 25 Doubles and 42 One-Man Outfits, With Local Artists Backed for High Place.

With six five-man teams in action the first annual Oregon State Bowling Tournament opens at 8 o'clock tonight on the Oregon alleys.

Nothing but five-man team rolling will be seen on the six tourney alleys tonight, the sextet of squares—Meier & Frank, M. L. Kline, Oregon, Telegraphers, Powers and Hop, Golds strug-

Many Prizes Offered. Twenty-three prizes will be awarded to the contestants, five in the five-man, seven in the doubles, eight in the single...

The total entry list of the tourney is 152 five-man teams, 25 doubles and 42 singles, making a total of 152 starters in all events.

The team championship is popularly supposed to lie between the Meier & Frank, M. L. Kline, Oregon, Telegraphers, Powers and Hop, Golds strug-

Prominent Rollers Entered. The prominent individual rollers are Vogel, Kruse, McMonies, O'Donnell, Chitry, Gus Ahrens, high arena, Bechtel, Ball, Kneise, Capen and Myers.

No admission will be charged spectators, Dietz & Blaney, owners of the Oregon alleys, desiring to welcome the public free of charge, as well as donating six dollars to the bowlers during the tournament.

White teeth—billions of them! Where? Everywhere! They're chewing WRIGLEYS SPEARMINT every minute.

Smiles are brightening—appetites sharpening—digestions improving. Purify your breath for the evening kiss with the goody that's good for you.



BUY IT BY THE BOX It costs less—of any dealer—and retains its freshness until used. Look for the spear. Avoid imitations.

TENNIS DATES GIVEN

Oregon State Championship Awarded Multnomah Club.

PLAY TO START JULY 14

NEW YORK, March 23.—Dates of lawn tennis events for the coming season adopted by the executive committee of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association are made public.

The season starts April 24, with a tournament in Southern California.

April 24—Ojai Valley Tennis Club, Ojai, Calif.

May 2—Pacific States Lawn Tennis Association, Central California championships, Sacramento, Cal.

July 1—Central Iowa Tennis Association, Toledo, Ia. Central Iowa tournament.

July 7—Iowa Lawn Tennis Association, Des Moines, Ia. Iowa state championship, open.

July 14—Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club, Portland, Or. Oregon State championship.

July 21—Omaha, Field Club, Omaha, Clay Court championship.

August 4—Tacoma Lawn Tennis Club, Tacoma, Wash. Pacific Northwest International championship.

August 25—Denver Country Club, Denver, Colo. State championship.

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WHO'S WHO AT TRAINING CAMP

Irvine Higginbotham, Pitcher. IRVINE HIGGINBOTHAM, the tall Portland Coast League right-hand flinger, is the only remnant of the 1912 pitching corps.

"I'm the oldest player on the team in point of years," said Higginbotham. "I'm eight years of organized baseball. I claim to have played under more managers than any pitcher in captivity in a corresponding length of time."

Here's Hig's list of bosses: 1906, Tacoma Tigers, Mike Lynch manager, and St. Louis Nationals, John McCloskey; 1907, Aberdeen, Bob Brown; 1908, St. Louis Nationals, Roger Bresnahan; 1909, Chicago Nationals, Frank Chance; 1910, Louisville, Heinie Plez and Del Howard; 1911, Louisville, Del Howard and Toledo, Harry Hinchman; 1912, Toledo, Tony Hartzell, and Portland, Walter McCredie.

Quite some squad of Napoleons, isn't it?" "Of course. Frank Chance is the best manager I ever worked for," said Hig.

"I expect to be pitching ten years from now," says Higginbotham. "You see, I throw over-handed with a natural swing, and there is absolutely no wear or strain on my shoulder ligaments. I had one of the best seasons in my career last season, winning .513 per cent of my games for Portland."

SURGEON'S KNIFE URGED

JUSTIN FITZGERALD MAY HAVE "WING" STRAIGHTENED.

Prediction Made That if California Star Gets Into Shape He Will Be Soon Big Leaguer.

STOCKTON, Cal., March 23.—(Special.)—Modern surgery may be invoked to put the Portland Coast League club in the race this year.

The session is said to have been excused in fervency only by the three-hour debate of Tuesday night.

The wonderful little speed merchant cannot use his arm with a full swing in throwing in from the field," added Trainer Schmeider.

"I haven't talked it over with the surgeons yet, but I believe that were an operation to be performed and the chords loosened and stretched, Fitzgerald would be as right as a dollar with in a few weeks.

"If his arm rounds into form I can't keep him out of the regular lineup," declared Manager McCredie today.

"The surgeon's knife can help him any I shall certainly advise the anaesthetics."

BOXING SEVEN SNAPPY BOUTS Columbus Club and Morris St. TONIGHT! FIRST BOUT, 8:30 SHARP Seats for Sale at Schiller's, Sixth and Washington. Sighting Auto Direct to Club Leaves 6th and Wash. Sts. at 8 P. M.