

BUD MUST CLIMB MORE SAYS NOLAN

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CHAMP HAS TWO BIG DATES

Joe Rivers July 4, and, if Successful Then, Freddy Welsh, English Title-Holder, in September Is Willie's Programme.

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That Bud Anderson will have to eliminate at least two more topnotch lightweights before being given a fling at Champion Willie Ritchie is substantially the ultimatum delivered yesterday by Billy Nolan, the champ's astute financial guardian.

Manager Nolan doesn't phrase it in so many words, but here is his choral chant: "Ritchie is to get a guarantee in excess of \$17,500 for his bout with Joe Rivers at San Francisco July 4, and I have already signed to meet Freddy Welsh, the English champion, at Vancouver, B. C., next September. This latter match will draw from \$40,000 to \$50,000, if the McCarty tragedy does not squelch it."

Size up the above magnific charts from any angle you wish and you will readily agree that the Vancouver meteor has an Independence day and a Labor day battle to dispose of before Willie Ritchie's big business begins burning in at the shrine of his title-holding days.

Bud's Plans Unsettled. This is continuation of course, upon Ritchie's defeating Rivers July 4, so far as Anderson's plans are concerned, his manager, Dick Donald, who arrived Monday morning with Bud from the south to do "voodooville" at the local house as a rival attraction to Ritchie, has no definite programme cooked up.

Manager Donald received a telegram from Promoter McCarty of Los Angeles, offering him a nominal guarantee to fight Leach Cross, of New York, July 4 at Vernon.

"I don't know whether I will let Bud fight on July 4 or not," said the genial Donald, studying the affronted missive. "But, one thing sure, McCarty will have to raise his offer. Anderson will receive at least \$7500 for his next match, whether it is against Cross, Stan Langford, Joe Jaquette or a blind cripple."

"I have received an offer of \$5500 to meet Cross at New York, in Madison Square Garden, and I have telegraphed an offer of \$10,000 for an eight-round bout between Anderson and Harry Trendall."

Anderson's Earnings \$6000. Anderson's Los Angeles earnings to date are small, totaling \$300 for his four matches. Against Sammy Trott he drew \$1000; from the first Knockout Brown 26-round battle, \$2500; from the second Brown bombardment, \$2500, and only \$2500 from the Mandot melee. The present vaudeville engagement will increase his earnings to \$3000.

and he took a fast spin behind her this morning.

Though Bud is to appear in vaudeville in Portland during the week, he is to come home here every night, returning to Portland in the afternoon in time for his act. Bud is a great lover of his parents and brothers and sisters, of which he has 10, nearly all of whom live in Vancouver or nearby.

Cottage Grove Wins, 4 to 3. COTTAGE GROVE, Or., May 26.—(Special.)—In a spectacular contest Cottage Grove's ball team won from Creswell yesterday in a 16-inning game by a score of 4 to 3.

Mill City Beats Stayton, 5 to 2. MILL CITY, Or., May 26.—The Stayton baseball team, accompanied by 180



Willie Ritchie, of San Francisco, Champion Lightweight Boxer, whose Real Name is Geary Steffen.

fans and a brass band, came to Mill City yesterday on a special train, and played the local team. Final score: Mill City 5, Stayton 2. Batteries—Berry and Birchett; Cole and Burton. Umpires—Ransom and Crabtree. A return game will be played at Stayton June 3.

Triple Play Is Feature. ALBANY, Or., May 26.—(Special.)—The North Bank baseball team, of Portland, was defeated by the Albany Athletics here Sunday 10 to 3. In the third the North Bank pulled off a triple play. Two of the visitors' four hits were two-baggers by Rosa. Score: Albany... 10 3 2 North Bank 3 4 5 Batteries—Patterson and Patterson; Monroe, Manning, Hogan and Matthews and McHale.

PERNOLL BIG FEATURE. "COMEBACK" OF OAKLAND PITCHER IS NOTEWORTHY.

With Ryan and Tozer, of Los Angeles, Commuters' Hurler Near Top—"Big" Leads for Beavers.

While Jack Raleigh, of Venice, has won four games in five and Parkin, of the Oaks, three in four, Jack Ryan and Tozer, of Los Angeles, and Pernoll, of Oakland, are the real pitching leaders of the Coast league for the first eight weeks. Each has won seven and lost three. Pernoll's "comeback" has furnished one of the features of the year.

High Water Stops Shooting. Election Dates Interfere With Portland Men Going to Eugene.

There will be no shooting at the Kenton traps of the Portland Gun Club for two weeks. The high water has invaded the club's quarters.

Woodburn Beats Stayton, 5 to 0. WOODBURN, Or., May 25.—(Special.)—The Woodburn ballteam defeated the Stayton University law students' team on the West Woodburn diamond Sunday by a score of 5 to 0.

CORONER'S VERDICT ABSOLVES PELKEY

Fighter Whose Blow Is Said to Have Killed Luther McCarty Is Exonerated by Jury.

ALL OTHERS VINDICATED

Body of White Heavyweight Champion Is Sent to Ohio, but Manager McCarty Is Detained—Doctor Ascribes Death Cause.

CALGARY, Alberta, May 26.—A Coroner's jury tonight exonerated Pelkey of blame for the death of white heavyweight champion, Luther McCarty, Saturday at Tommy Burns' arena.

Death Cause Not Forth. The coroner's inquest which exonerated Pelkey of blame for the death of white heavyweight champion, Luther McCarty, Saturday at Tommy Burns' arena, together with a dozen attendants and newspapermen, were cited to appear as witnesses at the hearing tomorrow.

Body Is Sent to Ohio. Referee Smith testified that one hard blow struck in the battle. Manager McCarty asserted on the witness-stand that McCarty was in good condition when he died.

RACE MEET ON FRIDAY. RIVERSIDE DRIVING CLUB WILL OPEN SEASON AT 1:30 P. M.

Best Horses Owned by Portland Club Members to Compete in 3-Event Programme at Forest Grove.

The Riverside Driving Club will hold its first race meet of the season on the Forest Grove track Friday, the programme to consist of three events, 2 1/2 mile free-for-all trot and free-for-all pace.

The best of the horses owned by the Portland club members will compete for valuable prizes in these races, which will be three heat affairs. The races will start at 1:30 o'clock, the train service being such that Portland enthusiasts may reach the track in time for the first heat.

Telegraphic Sport Briefs. SALT LAKE CITY.—Ray Buer, riding in his old-time form, defeated Harvey Wilcox in a five-mile motor paced race at the opening meeting of the Salt Palace bicycle track here. The time was 6:52.5.

Sporting Sparks. PERDUE and Rariden, styled "vet-eran" battery of the Boston Braves, although they have been with the club but a short time, Rariden joining late in 1909 and Perdue in 1911, are likely to be compelled to bow to a new battery, James and Whaling, according to Sporting News.

NORFOLK. NORFOLK'S New ARROW COLLAR. HIGH IN THE BACK AND LOW IN FRONT 2 for 2.50. Cluett, Peabody & Co., Inc., Makers

and Rariden proving strong enough to handle the Brave games.

Mike Donlin has closed his vaudeville engagement and talks of going back to the New York Giants. Pittsburg sold him to Philadelphia and it was understood that he had been turned over to Minneapolis.

Three Philly pitchers—Seaton, Chalmers and Alexander—are keeping the National Leaguers up in the race. Seaton, a former Portland hurler, is proving a real find. Brennan, another chap who is making good. The slugging calls attention to the assertion of the late Addie Joss that pitching is 80 per cent of the strength of a team.

The first gun in the much-discussed United States-Japanese war will be fired in New York tonight, when, at the Hotel Astor, Willie Hoppe, billiard champion, will defend his 13.2 ballking title against Koji Yamada, in a 500-point match. The Japanese beat Hoppe last winter, 500-497.

Next week Jimmy Britt, a former top-notch lightweight, will be a Portland visitor, appearing in a monologue at the Empress theater.

Joe Mandot, vanquished by Bud Anderson, is not a good loser. Despite a broken rib, Joe says that Bud is not as hard a hitter or as clever a boxer as Joe Rivers. However, Joe beat Rivers in 20 rounds and lost another 20-round affair to the Mexican.

GAME FOR MAY 30 SET. WINGED "M" AND O. A. C. NINES TO PLAY RETURN MATCH.

Clubmen, Once Defeated by College Team, Expect Victory Although Shearer Still Is Crippled.

Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club and Oregon Agricultural College will furnish a baseball attraction for Decoration day, May 30, the rival nines meeting on Multnomah Field in the second game of the season.

O. A. C. walloped the Winged "M" boys on the Corvallis grounds, but the invading squad was badly crippled. Manager Brown will have his best lineup in action Friday and expects to keep the record of unbroken wins on the club field.

Fredrick will pitch for the clubmen, while Gleason will replace Captain Shearer behind the plate. Shearer's hand, split open in a recent game, is not healed, so he will work in the outfield.

The clash with the Harriman Club will take place on Saturday, June 7.

The five-mile course for the long-distance run feature of the Pacific Northwest Association championships of June 14 will be laid out this week by Graham Glass, Jr., who is assisted by William Walla, and handling the big track and field event.

Manager Schmitt expects a track and field team from the University of Washington if the Seattle boys make a good showing in the Northwest College Conference meet of next Saturday at Walla. Walla, Other Seattle Athletic Club will absorb the Washington talent.

Tommy Tracey, Multnomah Club boxing champion, is preparing Miebuis and Schmeer for the Pow Woot meet in Spokane next month. Miebuis will meet Burke, a big Spokane fighter, while Schmeer will be asked to tackle the Seattle Burke, Stanley Jones, of Spokane, McKevitt, and other good boys.

Amateur Athletics. The Brooklyn Athletic Club baseball team Sunday walloped the Dundee, Or., ball tossers, 21 to 5, on the latter's grounds. Allen occupied the mound and the defeated team and his offering met with the visitors' liking. Weiss and Reynier were the batteries for the Brooklyn team.

The officials of the Portland Rowing Club's Decoration day regatta are as follows: R. C. Hart, secretary; E. P. Jones and Ralph W. Wilbur, clerks of the course; William Paton and R. D. Ball, judges of the finish. All these men are veteran oarsmen.

It is probable that the Columbia University baseball team of the Portland Intercollegiate League will engage in game with the Oregon Agricultural College freshmen nine Decoration day. Plans for this contest are now under way.

Soldier Murray, who did the twirling for the Vancouver soldiers' baseball team Sunday, defeated the Lent's Giants, proved strong and his team won an easy 8 to 2 victory. Sixteen Lent's batters were struck out.

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4-YEAR OLD VICTOR. Rudolfo Wins Kentucky Handicap and Sets Record. RACE NETS OWNER \$12,150. Colt, Which Pays More Than \$ to 1, Is Well Ridden by Jockey Loftus in Richest American Turf Feature Event. LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 26.—Rudolfo, a 4-year-old colt, well ridden by Jockey Loftus, won the Kentucky handicap, richest American turf event, at Douglas Park today, and set a new track record of 2:05 4/5 for the mile and a quarter. Officially, the track was pronounced "good," but the track record was equaled once and broken three times in the six races of the opening programme of the meeting.

Portland MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY June 2, 3 and 4. ALBANY, JUNE 5; EUGENE, JUNE 6; SALEM, JUNE 7. GO SEE IT. Sells Floto Circus 25 Cents TO SEE IT ALL AND IT'S ALL CIRCUS. Tents at 25th and Raleigh PARADE MONDAY, JUNE 2, AT 10 A. M. TWO PERFORMANCES DAILY, 2 AND 8 P. M. UPTOWN SEAT SALE AT GRAVES' PIANO HOUSE