

MULTNOMAH CLUB SHIFTS ITS LINEUP

Reorganized Team to Be Tried Out Against Soldiers of Vancouver Barracks.

OREGON SHOWING ALARMS

Convill, Francis and Keck Changed to Give Backfield Beef, Speed and Punch — Khaki Squad Has More Weight Than Usual.

With the annual Thanksgiving game between the Multnomah Club and the University of Oregon less than one week distant, Winged Warriors in alarm have ordered a complete overhauling of the lineup, and this switch will be tried out for the first time tomorrow against a strong team from Vancouver Barracks.

Ever since Oregon battled the champion University of Washington to a 19-7 score, there has existed a feeling of trepidation in the scarlet and white camp. That Oregon would enter the game a heavy favorite unless something was done to give the clubmen greater scoring efficiency has been freely admitted everywhere.

In the three big games thus far Multnomah has scored but two touchdowns, the first game against the Oregon Aggies having been won on two placements by Walter Keck, 6-0. The other scores were Multnomah Club 7, Oregon Aggies 7, and Multnomah 7, Washington State 0.

Driving Power Needed. Against Oregon's heavy line the club will need more driving power than has been displayed.

Hence, "Dad" Convill, the Utah and Purdue ex-football star, has been switched from his customary place at tackle to full, and Francis from end to a halfback position, Captain Keck, in turn, moving from halfback to the other half. With Rhodes at quarter this would seem to give Multnomah a backfield with beef, speed and punch. Anyway, Saturday will show. Convill weighs 200 pounds, Francis 185, Keck 170 and Rhodes, the latter an Annapolis star, 170 pounds.

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Soldiers Train for Fry. The Vancouver soldiers have been primping faithfully to give Multnomah a fierce battle. The khaki lads recently received substantial additions to their squad, from the returned Philippine companies. They always give Multnomah a hard game and if they do as well as the Bremerton sailors it will mean a tough job.

GOODLAND DOWNS MIKKELESON

Three-Cushion Tournament Game Results in 12-6 Score.

Otto Mikkelson was defeated, 12 to 6, in the three-cushion tournament of the Multnomah Club by H. S. Goodland. Goodland was given a handicap of 3. This does not end the tourney, for if Mikkelson defeats W. S. Walter, he will be tied with Goodland again.

The straight billiard tourney will be started with a good list of entries. Nineteen had signed up last night and before the week is over a dozen or more likely will enter.

The handball tournament for the singles championships soon will begin with a good list entered.

KAISER SELLS RACING BOAT

Emperor William May Race for America's Cup With New Craft.

BERLIN, Nov. 20.—The Emperor sold his schooner Meteor, with which he had so often been victorious in yacht races, to the Duke of Arenberg today. A new schooner for the Emperor is being built by Max Gertz, of Hamburg, and it was said her performance would have an important bearing on the question of whether the Kaiser would challenge for the America's cup with a cutter designed by the same builder.

RITCHIE WILL FIGHT MURPHY

Lightweights to Weigh 135 Hour Before Bout, December 10.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Willie Ritchie will box Tommy Murphy December 10, as originally decided. The lightweight champion agreed today, through Manager Harry Foley, to a compromise that makes the weight 135 pounds one hour before the fight and promoter J. W. Coffroth accepted, telegraphing Jim Buckley in New York to send Murphy to the Coast at once so that he might take up training as soon as possible.

Gresham Gets Race Meet Saturday.

The Willamette Valley Racing Club will hold a race meet at Gresham tomorrow on the County Fair race grounds. Several well-known horses will be there. Among them are Black Joe, Cora, Dan, White Hope, Nellie Ash and others from the outside. Locally known horses which will be in the races are Leo H. Drummer, Latisia B., Nellie May, Nigger Babe, Birdie Lee, Come Again, Maud McG., Sallie Mint, Pet, Chorus Kate and See Bridge. Some of these horses attended the races during fair week at Powell and R. E. Neal are making arrangements for this meet.

Pendleton to Play Walla Walla.

PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 20. — (Special.)—The climax of the local football season will be reached tomorrow afternoon, when the Pendleton High School eleven, champion of Eastern Oregon, will meet the Walla Walla team, champion of Southwestern Washington. The game will be played on the local field and probably will be witnessed by the largest crowd of the season, inasmuch as Walla Walla is regarded as Pendleton's greatest rival in all lines of sport.

FORMER WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY STAR WHO FIGURES IN BIG SHAKE-UP IN MULTNOMAH CLUB BACKFIELD.



GROVER FRANCIS.

CONFERENCE TO WIN

Willamette Expected to Join Big League This Year.

MAIN OBJECTION REMOVED

Strength of Nearby Teams Urged as Possible Cause for Staying Out, but President Homan is Said to Favor Change.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Or., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—"To be or not to be" an applicant for admission into the Northwest college conference, composed of the State Universities of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, the Agricultural Colleges from the two former states and Whitman College, of Walla Walla, Wash., is the question being threshed out by the students of Willamette.

Last year this same problem was before the students who met at last by a majority vote of the student body, and a small one at that, to remain outside the charmed circle for another year at least.

Reasons given last year by the majority of those voting against the conference entrance proposition were that of the increased expense and also that as the loss of football players in the June graduation class would be unusually heavy, the time to enter the conference was inopportune.

This year, on account of the football team being made up largely of players who will remain at Willamette next year or longer and as there will be at least one good man who has acted as understudy this season, one of the objections most prominently mentioned, namely, that of increased expense incurred by paying out heavier guarantees than in the past.

Larger Receipts Considered. Many of those favoring admission into the conference admit the feature of the increased expense involved in arranging these games, but declare that many more will attend a high-grade contest, such as a conference game. It is also argued that a considerable increase in admission prices might be asked on account of the corresponding increase in merit, without diminishing the attendance. It is admitted by all, however, that no one can tell in advance how the attendance at conference games in Salem would be.

One factor which is influencing many students here to favor conference admission is that Willamette at present cannot get games outside of the conference with college teams in its calendar. This is due to the fact that Salem school is stronger than in the past or the other teams weaker, or very likely both these conditions are operative. In 1908 the Willamette football team lost football games to three Northwest non-conference colleges, but with the beginning of the next year the Methodists have drawn further and further.

SPORT-NEWS POT POURRI

JACK JOHNSON always was a lucky man. The latest story of how things used to turn to gold for him is in connection with finger-betting.

On many of the racetracks it is the custom of betting men to raise their hands in token of acceptance of a bet.

Jack went to the races at Flemington, N. J., the course near Melbourne, Australia, where the famous Melbourne cup race is run. Jack thought the bookmakers were saluting him as he went through the ring and raised his hand each time he saw some man raise his. After the race, the bookies found out that he had been making bets all the while and the bookmakers called him over and paid off wagers amounting to close to \$5000, on Comic King, a hot favorite.

The system prevails among men who are known to each other and all of them know Jack Johnson, even though he was not acquainted with their system.

away from their old-time rivals until now there is little comparison between them.

Objections Are Raised.

The position of location has both its advantages and disadvantages. Within every reach of the State University and the Agricultural College the expense involved in games with these would be small, but on the other hand, both the nearest institutions are two of the most powerful athletic institutions among the Northwest colleges and this would operate somewhat against Willamette's best showing, as the two nearby schools would be played always. In the past the conference colleges on the western border of the circuit have been generally stronger in football than those to the east.

There is little doubt but that if Willamette enters the conference her team would become stronger as the new position would draw athletic material into the fold.

Anyhow, it looks as if Willamette would make application for conference entrance on December 5, when the delegates convene in Portland. The "W" Club, the strongest undergraduate organization at Willamette, has been solidly for entrance. It is known that President Homan is not opposed to conference entrance. Dr. Homan is the leading champion of intercollegiate athletics here and his attitude on this question would be given the greatest deference by the students.

In a few days a vote of the student body will be taken in order fully to determine final action.

WOLVERTON IN CONTROL

MANAGER OF SACRAMENTO TEAM BUYS PART OF CLUB.

Lloyd Jacobs Also Takes Over Share of Senators From Jack Atkin—Price Said to Be \$20,000.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 20.—The controlling stock in the Sacramento Coast League Baseball Club was transferred today to Harry Sterling Wolverson, manager of the Senators, and Lloyd Jacobs, an insurance man of San Francisco. Wolverson was elected president of the club, vice W. L. Curtin, resigned, and Jacobs was elected secretary and treasurer, vice J. M. Inman, resigned.

The stock that Wolverson and Jacobs purchased jointly was held by Jack Atkin, who bought the club's controlling interest the latter part of the 1912 season. Atkin retains stock in the club and local business men have asked for an option on it.

Harry Wolverson will have full power of control and besides managing the team on the field will purchase all players and negotiate for all trades made with other clubs.

The amount involved is said to be about \$20,000.

Marquard Declines Federal Job.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—A special dispatch from Milwaukee is authority for the statement that "Rube" Marquard, star left-hander of the New York National League Club, has been offered a berth in the Federal League, but had refused it, saying he expected no trouble in reaching terms with the New York management.

warning seems proper. "Sure thing" man.

The latest story of how things used to turn to gold for him is in connection with finger-betting.

New York is suffering from an invasion of the "yellow peril" in the form of some Jap wrestlers who are a real pest to all opponents. They have challenged Zbyzsko and Aberg, but the whites have side-stepped.

Brooklyn High School girls are to play soccer football. It's a safe bet they will not wear the regulation soccer uniform.

Poster Sanford, Yale's coach, deprecates the football plays of today. He declares they need chances for the benefit of the offensive team.

Robert L. Stevens, ex-Sheriff of Multnomah County, annually travels across the country to see the world's series, but when the big leaguers came West to Portland "Bob" wasn't in his old-time seat opposite third base.

"I couldn't even get out to the banquet" said the president of the Baseball Boosters' Club yesterday. "They had me cooped up at the Pender murder trial at St. Helens and there I sat all day without so much as taking the stand."

"I think I have good grounds for a grudge against the courts."

3 BIG GAMES LEFT ARE CERTAIN FALLS

Harvard-Yale Contest Now Center of Football Interest of Country.

GILMOUR DOBIE CRITICISED

Roscoe Fawcett Says Only Sharper Action by Officials Can Prevent Coach, by Subtle Movements, From Coaching Players.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. In the East there now remain only three big football games of the 1913 season. On Saturday Harvard and Yale clash in the Crimson stadium in what promises to be a wonderful duel. Thanksgiving day Cornell will attempt to redeem a season of disasters against Pennsylvania two days later. Army and Navy meet in their annual battle, this fall on the Polo Grounds in New York City.

The greatest interest attaches naturally to the Harvard-Yale game. Yale has had a rather mediocre season, all excepting the 3-3 tie with Princeton. Harvard, on the other hand, has enjoyed a great year and wishes to demonstrate that the Blue is not invincible at Cambridge.

As a back in 1901 Harvard beat Yale 22-0 and the Crimson is out to beat that mark if possible. Harvard coaches, however, are not so optimistic as the students. J. Wesley Ladd, of Portland, received a telegram from Hamilton Corbett, one of the coaching staff at Harvard, the night previous to the Yale-Princeton game and the local official said substantially as follows:

"During here in 5-3 on Princeton against Yale. If Yale defeats Princeton the odds should be even on the Harvard-Yale game. Things here are not so rosy as they have been painted."

Mr. Corbett likely recalls the tie three years ago, when Yale, weaker even than now, rallied and held Harvard to a 9-9 scoreless tie.

At the same time Harvard should win decisively.

Of the 33 games to date Yale has been most successful, winning 22 contests. Harvard has won but six and the rest have been ties. The results of the series to date are as follows:

- 1875—Harvard 4 goals, Yale 0.
- 1876—Yale 1 goal, Harvard 0.
- 1877—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1878—Yale 1 goal, 1 touchdown; Harvard 0.
- 1881—Yale 0, Harvard 4 safeties.
- 1882—Yale 1 goal, 4 touchdowns; Harvard 2 safeties.
- 1883—Yale 0, Harvard 2.
- 1884—Yale 18, Harvard 0.
- 1885—Yale 29, Harvard 4.
- 1886—Yale 6, Harvard 0.
- 1887—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1891—Yale 10, Harvard 0.
- 1892—Yale 6, Harvard 0.
- 1893—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1894—Yale 12, Harvard 4.
- 1895—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1896—Harvard 17, Yale 0.
- 1897—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1900—Yale 28, Harvard 0.
- 1901—Harvard 22, Yale 0.
- 1902—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1903—Yale 10, Harvard 0.
- 1904—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1905—Harvard 4, Yale 0.
- 1906—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1907—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1908—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1909—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1910—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1911—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
- 1912—Harvard 2, Yale 0.

Gilmour Dobie's coaching from the sidelines during the Oregon-Washington game Saturday was so coarse that hundreds of spectators noted it and editorials in the local press have been littered with protests ever since. The following is a sample:

"Sporting Editor.—Now that the football season is drawing to a close would it not be possible to start a movement to keep the coaches off the sidelines during the games? Cannot some professional referee be appointed to keep the coaches in the grandstand during play?"

"After Coach Dobie's action on the sidelines Saturday, when he coached not the coach of course, but some member of the hand or body, I think some notice should be paid this feature. Perhaps before many years the rules committee will fix the matter."

"A SPECTATOR." Coaching from the sidelines is practiced to a greater or lesser degree by all coaches, but generally so subtly as to escape both officials and spectators.

There is no remedy, however, except the season is drawn to a close without the officials. There must necessarily be one representative from each team on the side lines to attend to injuries and the coach of course, who is always born in under that technically.

As for relegating the coaches to the grandstand, that is absurd. The coaches are needed on the field to direct the substitutions and to prevent over-exhaustion on the part of the players.

Varsity Seconds to Play

Idaho and Washington State College to Meet at Pullman.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Nov. 20.—(Special.)—The second contest of the University of Idaho is going through a hard grind this week in preparation for its annual game with Washington State College Saturday afternoon. All men are eligible for this game who have not made their letters during the present season at either of the two institutions. Both the Idaho and Washington State College lineups will include a number of players who have worked in conference games this fall, but who have not served long enough to be classed with the letter men.

The Idaho seconds will likely be arranged in the following order: Keane, left end; R. Gerlough, left tackle; Thompson, left guard; Johnson, center; Martinson, right guard; McClanahan, right tackle; Turk Gerlough, right end; "Red" Johnson, quarter; Ross, left half; J. Gerlough, fullback; Betty, right half; Eaves will sub at guard and Crater at tackle.

Jewish Boys' Five Win Game

Second Team Defeats Oregonus Club by Score 32 to 2.

The Jewish Boys' Athletic Club second basketball team had little difficulty in defeating the Oregonus Club five, 32 to 2, at a luncheon attended by officers of the Brooklyn Club and newspaper men. The "Rookies" will start for Astoria, Ga., February 20. The regulars will report March 1. The team will remain in the Southern camp until March 25 and then will work its way North, arriving home April 1. Games will be played here with the New York and Philadelphia Americans and Newark, of the International League. It was stated that Governor Tener, of Pennsylvania, who is slated to be the next president of the National League, has promised to throw

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AGGIES GIVE UP HOPE

BEZDEK'S ULTIMATUM DAMPER ON PLANS FOR SECOND GAME.

Corvallis Team Now Negotiating With Pastime Club of San Francisco for Contest December 6 or 11.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Or., Nov. 20.—(Special.)—The hope for a second game between the University of Oregon and Oregon Agricultural College has disappeared with the announcement of Bezdek's ultimatum regarding a game next Saturday or none at all.

Dr. Stewart declares that there is no possibility of a game unless Oregon changes its attitude toward a post-season contest. A game Saturday is out of the question. Interest now centers in the proposal to send the Corvallis team South to San Francisco for a game to be played with the Pastime Club of that city. An offer has been received by P. Stewart from Ray Partridge, manager of the Pastimers, suggesting a game on December 6 or 11, either at Corvallis or San Francisco. If the California players are willing to pay a large enough guarantee and the Corvallis faculty does not interfere, it is probable that the team will make the trip. Members of the team, although anxious for the California trip, are not willing to let it interfere with a possible Oregon game.

Coach Stewart is sending his boys through a stiff scrimmage with the freshmen every night in preparation for the Idaho game Thanksgiving Day. May, Hofer, Abraham and Robertson have been on the sidelines all week. May and Hofer are still suffering from the Albany game and Abraham is ill. Billy has been shifted to the backfield, his position being taken by Larsen. Hayes and Schuster are playing the two halfback positions, while Smith and Smart are in the line.

The freshmen team leaves for Astoria Friday and there is little prospect for further scrimmage practice before the Idaho game.

ROBINSON ANNOUNCES PLANS

New Manager of Brooklyn Team to Copy McGraw and Hanlon.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Wilbur T. Robinson, the new manager of the Brooklyn National League team, announced today his training plans for next season at a luncheon attended by officers of the Brooklyn Club and newspaper men. The "Rookies" will start for Astoria, Ga., February 20. The regulars will report March 1. The team will remain in the Southern camp until March 25 and then will work its way North, arriving home April 1. Games will be played here with the New York and Philadelphia Americans and Newark, of the International League. It was stated that Governor Tener, of Pennsylvania, who is slated to be the next president of the National League, has promised to throw

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out the first ball at Ebbe's field next season. Manager Robinson caught for Mr. Tener when the latter was a pitcher.

Robinson said he would be on the lookout for several experienced big leaguers, one or two right-handed bats to alternate with the present left-handers in the outfield and would follow generally the system of John J. McGraw and Ned Hanlon.

Pendleton Club Plans Big Shoot.

PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 20. — (Special.)—The Roundup Gun Club has arranged for a big turkey and goose shoot, to be held in this city next Sunday. Invitations have been sent to the shooters of all the surrounding towns to come in for the competition, and it is expected the shoot will last from early in the forenoon until dark. An unlimited amount of turkeys, geese and ducks have been secured for prizes. A similar shoot on a much smaller scale will be held at Umatilla the day before and many of the local sportsmen are planning to participate.



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