VERNON NOT EAGER TO GET TEAM BACK

City Atorney Says Apology Is Due Before Return and License Is Required.

ARRESTS ARE THREATENED

Criticism of Place at Time Club Was Taken Away Remembered and Amends Demanded—Advertising May Be Overlooked.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

"Mebbe" Vernon will not be back in the Pacific Coast League next year after all. The magnates recently voted the change from Venice to Vernon at Ed Maier's request, but now cometh Gesner Williams, City Attorney of Vernon, with a redhot shot at the Tigers.

"Better see the trustees first," said he. "Vernon will not kill the fatted calf to welcome the ball team back. When it was transferred to Venice in 1912 the newspapers contained editorials seriously reflecting upon Vernon, and some sort of an apology is due.

"Every amusement must have a license in Vernon, and I advise Maier to get his first before he moves or I will see that every player on the team is arrested."

The editorial to which Williams most strenuously objects appeared in a Los Angeles newspaper January 2, 1913. Among other things the writer quoted Maier as attributing the removal of the ball club to "tough conditions" in Vernon.

"Tough conditions" was putting it mildly.

The old Vernon ball park was located near Jack Doyle's training camp, and beer peddlers used to circulate freely among the crowd. Only Sunday morning games were played at Vernon, but you could see more drunks in one bunch there any Sabbath morning than could be raked up in all Russia before the clamping of the vodka lid.

Maier is planning to alleviate the old conditions by building a new $50,000 plant, and if Vernon doesn't want this investment and the $25,000 or $50,000 of advertising the ball club would give it Maier should worry.

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Pity the poor Portland ball stars.

"Doc" Frank Schmieder, trainer of the Beavers, is working at a local dock this Winter—manual labor, mind you—and huge callouses stick out all over his rubbing palms like fungi on an old pine stump.

Unless Frank consults a surgeon before he goes south and has his hands manicured there'll be little demand for osteopathy among the Beavers. Personally, we'd prefer a currycomb.

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Charley Chech was the first to sign his 1915 Los Angeles contract.

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Spokane is going to give Dave Greeg another trial next Spring. If Dave can ever gain command of his sizzling shoots he can travel in any company, but if the Kaiser ever gets into Paris there's that dinner waiting in chowbowl.

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Harry Ostdiek is being considered as a possible Spokane manager, according to the Spokesman-Review. Owner Farr ought to make some announcement soon in justice to Nick Williams, who is expecting the job. Farr should give Nick time to look for something else if he doesn't want him.

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Rhino Hitt and Cack Henley are the only pitchers who will survive the Venice shakeup, is the latest from the South. This means that Koestner, Speck Harkness, Decanniere and McGinnity will not be on hand when the bell rings. McGinnity will receive an unconditional release so as to pitch for his Tacoma bunch. Harkness is at work for his father-in-law, Captain Hackett, in Portland, and may retire if Hogan lets him go.

Jack Bliss, of the Venice catching staff, is another who is slated for an unconditional release, with Leard and McArdle. Tub Spencer, the fat boy, who was with San Francisco a couple of years ago, is to be added to the catching corps. Spencer hasn't wandered off the "straight and narrow" for several months.

Venice officials refer to this as a shakeup, but it looks more like an earthquake.

FIELDER GOES EAST TUESDAY

Kores Has Chance Against Lobert, Says Federal Manager.

Fielder Jones, manager of the St. Louis Federals, will leave Portland tomorrow night for St. Louis to begin active preparations for the 1915 campaign.

"I had not intended to go East for a month," said Jones last night, "but the owners of the club have asked me to take charge immediately."

Fielder denied reports that he would try to wheedle Art Kores away from the New York Giants immediately.

"That is not my idea," said he. "McGraw is a friend of mine, and if he can use Kores all well and good. But if McGraw turns Kores back after trial then I expect to step in and take him."

"Do you think Kores has any chance to beat Lobert out of the third base job?" was asked.

"I don't see why not?" he replied. "Lobert cannot hit like the Portland boy. I like Kores because nobody can figure him. When you can't tell where a fellow is going to hit that's the one to worry about."

Cowler Leaves With Corbett.

Tom Cowler, the 215-pound Britisher who Corbett says is the only real "white hope," started on the first lap of the journey Corbett believes is toward the championship last night, when he embarked with Corbett for Eugene. After Corbett has concluded his theatrical engagement at the Southern Oregon town, Cowler will go on to San Francisco and await the ex-champion, who has still more theatrical engagements to fill before sailing for Australia.

Mount Angel Beats Holmes College.

The Holmes Business College basketball quintet went down to its first defeat of the season at the hands of the Mount Angel five Saturday on the latter's floor. The score was 29 to 19. The victors were the aggressors all during the first period, but in the second half, when the Portlanders began to get accustomed to the strange floor, things began to look different. The lead was too great to be overcome, however.

UMPIRE EGAN JOINS FEDERALS

George Hildebrand's Name Is on American League List for 1915.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Jack Egan has joined the staff of Federal League umpires, according to an announcement last night by Bill Brennan, chief of staff of the Federal League umpires. A 1915 contract was not offered to Egan by the American League, it is said.

Ban Johnson, president of the American League, announced that the following would constitute his staff of umpires for 1915:

Billy Evans, Tom Connolly, "Silk" O'Loughlin, Bill Dineen, George Hildebrand, Ollie Chill, veterans, and Dominick Mullany, former catcher, and Jack Nallin, of the International League.

FORMER PORTLAND FLINGERS WHO ARE SLATED TO FALL IN SHAKEUP OF VERNON COAST LEAGUE CLUB.

"Hooks" Koestner

"Speck" Harkness

WHITTEMORE TAKES TROPHY

W. A. Barber, Jr., Defeated 5 Up and 4 to Play at Pinehurst.

PINEHURST, N. C., Jan. 10.—Parker W. Whittemore, Brookline Country Club, Auburndale, Mass., won the President's trophy from W. A. Barber, Jr., Princeton, N. J., five up and four to play, in the final round of the 12th annual midwinter golf tournament here.

Sidelights and Satire
By Roscoe Fawcett.

YOUTH will be served. With the Vancouver hockeyists apparently winners of the Coast League title for 1915 it begins to look as if Mickey Mackay will get into a world's series his first year in fast company. Mackay celebrated his 19th birthday just a few weeks ago. In 1911 he left his home in Ontario to play with the Edmonton team, which gave Calgary a hard rub for the Alberta championship. Later he switched to the Boundary League, where he played such good ball at Grand Forks, B. C., that the Vancouver club sent a scout after him. Not only has Mickey made good, but he is leading the Coast League forwards in goal scoring.

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The other night, while Thomas R. Conlin, manager of the Orpheum Theater, was illuminating the lobby with dress suit effects, he was approached by a young man who handed him a neatly printed card, as follows:

L. ERWIN, "KID IRISH,"
World's Featherweight Champion Boxer, Wrestler and Weight Lifter.
Athletic Club Organizing a Specialty.
Promoter of Athletic Exhibitions.
Special Feature Advertising.
Salesman for Yakima and Columbia River Nursery Goods.

"What can I do for you?" asked Mr. Conlon.

"Gimme a job usherin'," replied the fruit tree man.

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According to the New York Sun, Jim Coffroth wanted to stage the Willard-Johnson fight at Tia Juana, "just outside the City of Mexico. James declares he has 2,000,000 people to draw from."

Tia Juana is about as close to the city limits of Mexico City as Portland is to Chicago. It is on the northern border of Mexico, about 20 miles south of San Diego.

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A new name must be given the Cleveland Naps now that Nap Lajoie has been handed over to the Philadelphia Athletics. Why not call them the "Somers Squashes"?

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Jimmy Johnston, Madison Square Garden fight impresario, is sitting tight on the pass lid this Winter, but occasionally some "beat" gets by the turnstiles.

At the White-Shugrue fight a fellow rushed excitedly up to the turnstile man, waving saw, hammer and plane, and said Johnston had just sent for him.

"A section of the boxes has just caved in," said he, and in he went.

As his carpenters' white suit disappeared in the crowd Johnston happened to pass along, and when he heard the story he gave his gateman the laugh.

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Knowledge of golfing once saved a man's life. Two men, who wielded driver and mashie on a municipal links during their spare moments, were working on a building—one on the roof and the other on the ground. Suddenly the fellow on top lost his grip on a huge wrench he was using, and it dropped like a plummet for the scull of the chap below. 'Twas a tense moment. Did the fellow on the roof yell, "Hey, look out," or something equally bromidic? He did not. He just yelled, "Fore"—and the man below ducked instantly, and in time.

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Tyler Christian, manager of the Oaks, intends to take a regular turn in the box next year—two games a week, he says. Tyler must be trying to inject a little vaudeville into the Wintry dullness. He ought to be wise enough to know that his days as a pitcher are about over. Tyler ranked fifth from the tail in the efficiency column last season and pitched only six full games all season, although he finished up a bunch after he became manager.

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Fielder Jones threw a hot shot into the organized baseball publicity when he said the Federal League could go out and buy nearly any minor circuit in the country if it wanted farms for its surplus players. Here's the New England League, for instance. Five of the eight franchises, quite sufficient to give control, are in the market and not much more than $15,000 would be required to buy the lot, including Manchester, Lowell, Haverhill, Lawrence and Lewiston.

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F. C. Farr, of Spokane, is not the only Northwest League magnate who is getting rid of his high-priced talent. Bob Brown, of Vancouver, is to give Grindell and Hunky Shaw to Victoria, and John Barnes says Brown has promised him Scharnweber, Cheek and Jimmy Clark for the Aberdeen Club.

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A boxing bill was to have been introduced in the Washington Legislature permitting 10-round contests in the state across the Columbia, but the tragic death of Jack Newton at Seattle on Saturday puts the quietus on the plan. Newton died as a result of a blow delivered by Ike Cohen in a bout before the Pacific Athletic Club in Seattle. There has also been some talk of a boxing bill to be introduced into the Oregon Legislature, but Newton's death likely will forestall all moves in that direction this Fall in the Northwest.

WHITMAN SQUAD TO BE LARGE

25 Men Respond to Call for Candidates for Track Team.

WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—Twenty-five men responded to Coach Archie Hahn's call for track men Saturday, and indications are that Whitman will have the largest squad in years. The first workout will be Monday. Coach Hahn says that the outdoor track will be used for running, to get the men into condition, and the men will practice the form for their various events in the gymnasium.

Coach Hahn expects to get a large number of men into condition for the annual indoor track meet held in Portland by Columbia University.

Baseball Brevities.

While the Boston Braves are building a new park, President Lannin, of the Red Sox, also will do a little rebuilding. The new fire ordinance in Boston will necessitate the tearing down of the frame bleachers at the American League club's home and rebuilding them out of concrete.

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The Milwaukee club has released Howard Carlson to the Grand Rapids club in the Central League.

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Jack Coombs, now in Texas, says he will work out and keep in condition during the Winter, with the hope of catching on as playing manager of some minor league club. Jack says he prefers to play ball in New England.

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The South Michigan League will open the season on April 22 and close on Labor day.

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Savannah, a city of 70,000 people, operating a club in a class C league, claims to have lost $5000 last season.

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Ben Houser, formerly first sacker for the Athletics, Buffalo and Binghamton, has been named baseball coach at Colby College for the coming season.

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Frank Chance has been hired by a Chicago newspaper to write a series of baseball articles for youngsters. The former "Peerless Leader" in his very first article panned the sox off the American League and in his second offered to bet a small fortune that the Yankees would finish in the cellar this season.

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Captain Larry Doyle and Fred Merkle, of the Giants, are spending the Winter in Jacksonville, Fla. They are familiar figures on the golf links there.

Cleveland Training Trip Set.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 10.—The Cleveland American League baseball team completed arrangements today for its Spring training trip to San Antonio, Tex. The team will leave here February 26.

Stevenson 128, Cascade Locks 14.

STEVENSON, Wash., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The Cascade Lox Athletic Club basketball team played the Stevenson High School team on the latter's floor Friday night, and was defeated by a score of 128 to 14.

Butler Sold to Victoria.

SPOKANE, Jan. 10.—Willis Butler, shortstop on the Spokane Northwestern League baseball team, was sold outright to the Victoria team today.

Cornell Beats Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.—The Cornell basketball team defeated the University of Pennsylvania five 28 to 25 in an intercollegiate game here Saturday night.

Astorians Defeat Cathlamet.

CATHLAMET, Wash., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The Columbia team, of Astoria, defeated the Cathlamet basketball team last night by a score of 40 to 20. Frank Souvenier made 16 points for Cathlamet.

White Salmon High Wins.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The White Salmon High School basketball team defeated the Hood River High School team at the local gymnasium Friday night by a score of 30 to 5.

ALBINA FOOTBALL TEAM WINS TITLE

Third Game Brings Defeat of Western Club for Lightweight Championship.

WESTOVERS ALSO VICTORS

Triumph Over South Portland Makes Another Battle Necessary to Decide Supremacy in Junior Athletic League.

After two scoreless ties the 1914 championship of the lightweight section of the Archer & Wiggins League finally was settled yesterday, when the Albina football team defeated the Western Amateur Athletic Club 6 to 0 on the Montgomery Flats.

In a preliminary contest the Westover Terrace Juniors triumphed over the South Portland Juniors, of the Portland Junior Athletic League, 7 to 6.

Both games were among the best played by independent elevens this season, and more than 3000 spectators were on hand.

The winning score in the Albina-Western embroglio came in the last quarter with about two minutes and a half to play.

McKenna Makes Touchdown.

Hughie McKenna, captain-elect of the Columbia University, was responsible for the touchdown when he drew all his opponents to one side of the line and then dashed around the other end for a 12-yard run.

"Hooligan" Nelson, fullback on the Jefferson High School squad, startled the natives by attempting a goal kick 37 yards from the goal line and two yards from one of the sidelines. His kick went high and straight, but hit one of the uprights, causing it to rebound into the gridiron.

Albina had the ball within one yard of the Western goal posts on two other occasions, but the stonewall defense of Coach Woodworth's men was too much for the Albina battering rams. Nelson, McKenna, Akervik and Ahearn were easily the features for Albina, while the club depended on Billy Mascott, Jones brothers, Graham brothers and Hyberg to stop the onrushes.

Westover Scores First.

In the opening affair Westover scored the first touchdown in the second quarter and Blake made an easy goal kick. The ball surged up and down the field during the remainder of the quarter, and it was not until the second half that the South Portlanders were themselves.

Bill Kurtz registered the only points made by the losers, and he failed at the attempted goal kick. The feature of the contest was the 45-yard run by McInnis after receiving the South Portland kickoff in the second half. For the most part the playing was in Westover's territory during the melee, but sensational flashes of speed kept Coach McKeown's South Portlanders on the jump.

The Westover Terrace team must play the Lincoln Park eleven next Sunday before the final standings of the league schedule can be known.

Victory to Settle Title.

Should Westover win the match the 1914 title of the Portland Junior Athletic League will go to the North Portland squad.

"Brick" Kurtz, Bill Kurtz, Lakefish and Bues were the stars for South Portland, with Youmans, Smith, McInnis and "Turkey" Carr for Westover.

Two or three gang fights were held, but were stopped by Sergeant Lyons, assisted by Officers Hepner, Odale, Hunter, Bender, P. Anderson, Owens and Hirsch.

Following are the lineups:

Westover (7)		South Port. (6)
Schalaster	C	Simon
Husbands	R G	P. Shafer
Blake	R T	L. Byers
E. Shea	R E	L. Porter
Mille	L G	R. Nesvold
V. Driscoll	L T	R. Akers
Carr	L E	R. Herald
Youmans	Q	"Brick" Kurtz
McInnis	R H	L. Lakefish
Smith	L H	R. Bill Kurtz
King	F	Bues

Officials: A. C. Stubling, referee; F. C. Mead, umpire; Earl R. Goodwin, head linesman.

Scores: Bill Kurtz, touchdown; King, touchdown; Blake, goal kick.

Western (0)		Albina (6)
Hyberg	C	Kilduff
McDonald	R G	L. Johnson
Kurtz	R T	L. Bloch
Mitchell	R E	L. Akervik
Robinson	L G	R. Felchlinger
Sam Graham	L T	R. Brost
R. Jones	L E	R. Gil Shea
Mascott	Q	McKenna
W. Graham	R H	L. Watts
Derbyshire	F	Nelson
T. Jones	L H	R. Ahearn

Officials: Luke Rader, referee; Clyde Rupert, umpire; Earl R. Goodwin, head linesman; F. C. Mead and Frank Miller, timers.

Scores: Hughie McKenna, touchdown; Nelson missed goal.

ALBANY BOWLING RACE KEEN

Telephone Team Leads and Others in League Are Bunched.

ALBANY, Or., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—With three of the six teams in the league tied for third place and the teams becoming more closely bunched in the standing all the time, the contest for the championship of Albany's city bowling league is attracting great attention. The team of the Pacific Telephone Company continues to lead the league and the Golden Rule team, which made a spurt last week and got ahead of the Rexalls, is now back in last place.

Each team in the league has played 30 games. The standings follow:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Pacific Telephone Company	19	11	.633
Hauser Bros.	18	14	.533
Leaders	14	16	.466
Sternbergs	14	16	.466
Rexalls	14	16	.466
Golden Rule	13	17	.433

WHITMAN GETTING IN SHAPE

Coach Predicts Idaho Will Face Hard Battle February 1.

WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The Whitman basketball squad is rapidly rounding into shape and Coach Applegate says that barring accidents Whitman will give to Coach Pink Griffith's Idaho team the fight of its life, when they meet at Moscow, February 1.

To try out all the men in various positions, Coach Applegate is making many changes in his lineup in practice. Among the men who look good to the coach are Clancy, Young and Blackman, of last year's team, and Dement, Botts, Peterson and Cutler, freshmen. Howard, Yenney and Barnett also are showing up well.

MULTNOMAH WINS AT SOCCER

Thistles Meet Defeat on Club's Field by Score of 3 to 1.

The Multnomah Club soccer football team continued its winning streak by defeating the Thistles, 3 to 1, on Multnomah field yesterday afternoon. Two goals were scored by Grier and the other point was made by G. Gray, for the winners, while Bloor was the only man able to penetrate the club defense.

Another affair of the Portland Soccer Football Association will be played this afternoon between the Archer & Wiggins Weonas and the Portsmouth aggregation. The contest will be played on the Columbia University campus, starting at 2:30 o'clock.

For Multnomah Shevlin, Ray Leonard, Morris, Grier and Nixon were the stars, while Bloor and Rankin were the best for the humbled contingent. W. Gray was carried off the field in the first period because of a twisted knee, and in the second half Referee Sam Duncan removed Fairlie for rough work.

Following are the linups:

Multnomah (3).		Thistles (1).
Leonard	Goal	Rankin
Mackie	R B	Gochran
Jacobberger	L B	Fairlie
Conway	R H B	Tannensee
Morris	C H B	Stewart
Wright	L H B	Ostrander
MacKenzie	O R F	Gardner
Nixon	I R F	Shea
Grier	C F	Bloor
G. Gray	I L F	Sutherland
Shevlin	O L F	W. Gray

Referee, Sam Duncan; linesmen, "Scotty" Duncan and Manager Foster, of the Beavers.

IDAHO RIFLE TEAM CLASS "C"

Schedule for Intercollegiate Association Is Announced.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, Moscow, Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The University of Idaho rifle team has been placed in class C of the intercollegiate division of the National Rifle Association, and its schedule with other universities and colleges, just announced, is as follows:

January 28, Kansas State College; February 11, University of Nebraska; February 18, Lehigh University; February 25, Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical College; March 4, Yale; March 11, Michigan; March 25, Arizona.

The Rifle Club is under the supervision of Lieutenant H. C. Fooks. The team is composed of 10 men and the scores of the five highest of these is counted as the official score of the team.

GIANTS' SCHEDULE ISSUED

Spring Games Begin at Dallas March 6 and End Against Yale April 13.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—John B. Foster, secretary of the New York National League Club, today issued the training schedule for the Giants during the coming Spring. The first team will play all the dates named. The schedule follows:

March 6, 7, 13, 14, Dallas, Tex.; March 20, 21, San Antonio, Tex.; March 27, 28, Dallas; April 3, 4, Beaumont, Tex.; April 5, 6, 7, New Orleans; April 8, Knoxville, Tenn.; April 9, Bristol, Tenn.; April 10, Richmond, Va.; April 12, Washington; April 13, Yale (two games), Polo grounds.

F. S. CLEWLEY ENDS HIS LIFE

Sportsman Makes Will, Plans Funeral, Then Shoots Himself.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 10.—Frederick S. Clewley, 35 years old, formerly manager of a sporting goods store, which failed a year ago, made his will, wrote letters to friends concerning arrangements for his funeral, went to his home in Kirkland, on the east shore of Lake Washington, and committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a rifle today. He was prominent in Masonic circles.

His widow and two small children survive. Mr. Clewley was one of the best amateur trapshooters in the Pacific Northwest.

AFFIDAVITS ORDERED FILED

Defendants in Baseball Suit Must Act by January 16.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Judge Landis, in the United States District Court, ruled today that defendants in the Federal League suit against organized baseball must file affidavits on or before January 16. Counsel for the Federal League, who requested the ruling, said that affidavits probably would be filed Monday. They are to be used in support of the motion of the plaintiff for a preliminary injunction on January 20.

Papers were served yesterday on Garry Herrmann, chairman of the National Commission, in Cincinnati.

RIVALS BESIEGE PECKINPAUGH

Time Taken to Consider Fed and American League Offers.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 10.—Besieged all day by the opposing arguments of William Donovan, new leader of the New York Americans, and Joseph Tinker, manager of the Chicago Federals, Roger Peckinpaugh tonight declared he was able to hold out a few days more.

Tinker raised the siege late this afternoon and returned to Chicago. Donovan declared he would take Peckinpaugh back to New York with him if he had to kidnap him, but Peckinpaugh said he would require a few days to think it over.

BOXING BRIEFS

LEACH CROSS is training for his bout with Johnny Dundee.

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Tommy McCarty, who reinstated himself in New York by putting Sailor Fritts away in less than 10 rounds after losing to Gunboat Smith, will meet Battling Levinsky January 19.

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Phil Brock is so anxious to get a crack at Johnny Griffiths, the Akron, O., lightweight, that he says he will hand him $100 the minute he gets him into the ring.

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Johnnie Drummie, Joe Shugrue's sparring partner, has been matched to meet a lightweight named Taylor in Brooklyn next week.

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Johnny Daly, who met Kid Williams recently in a 10-round bout in Gotham, has been signed for a match with Gene Gannon, of Milwaukee, in the Gannon home town tonight.

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The New York Athletic Club held a big amateur tournament recently at which good material was discovered.

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Kid Exposito, writing from California, says that he is now fighting "amateur" in the southern state. He says Len Powers and Walter Williams, two ex-Portlanders, also are "amateurs."

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Charley White has a match with Sam Robideau in Philadelphia Saturday.

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Johnny Griffiths and Joe Shugrue may meet in Akron next month.

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Jimmy Clabby, who met Mike Gibbons in Milwaukee January 21, has another tough contract on his hands. He signed recently to box Gus Christie in Grand Rapids, Mich., January 25.

PRIZE IS FOR TRIPLETS

Texas Governor-Elect Hopes Stork Will Visit State Often.

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 5.—Governor-elect James E. Ferguson made this announcement:

"In 1915 I want to see the stork visit more Texas homes than in the past. To encourage more frequent visits of the big bird I offer a personal prize of $10 in cash for the first twins and a cash prize of $50 for the first triplets born in Texas in 1915."

BASKETBALL TEAMS WILL MAKE SHIFTS

Several League Squads to Be Strengthened as Result of First Week's Scores.

ARMORY CLUB WALKED ON

Multnomah Wins 53 to 21 in Opening Game and Christian Brothers' Alumni Defeat Peninsula Club by 98 to 0.

Portland Basketball Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Weonas	1	0	1.000	Company M	0	1	.000
C.B.C.Al.	1	0	1.000	Pen. Club	0	1	.000
Multnomah	1	0	1.000	Arm'y Club	0	1	.000

The first week's schedule of the Portland Basketball League has been completed and all the squads are down to active work. Every contest was won by a decisive score. The Christian Brothers' College Alumni registered the largest number of points of the week against the Peninsula Club. The score was 98 to 0.

The Multnomah Club quintet walked over the Armory Club representatives, 55 to 21, in the Multnomah gymnasium Saturday night. Rossman, Masters, Edwards and Toomey starred for the winged "M," while Ashworth and Eivers were the mainstays for the Armory.

Several of the teams of the circuit have been strengthened since the opening matches, but the managers have not disclosed the identity of the newcomers. Manager Pfaender, of the Peninsula Club, is to be one of the first managers to make a switch.

The next gathering is slated for tomorrow night, when the Weonas hook up with the Armory Club on the Christian Brothers' Business College floor. Botsford has been chosen by the league directors to officiate.

Following are the lineups of the Multnomah-Armory affair:

Multnomah (53)		Armory (21)
Rossman, Woods	F	Ashworth
Masters	F	Eivers
Keck	C	Poppie
Toomey	G	Mahlkie
Edwards	G	Keppenger

Homer Jamison, referee.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Portland Basketball League the following schedule showing when, where and who would referee, was issued:

January 15—Weonas vs. Christian Brothers' Alumni, floor Y. M. C. A.; referee, Mackie.

January 16—Multnomah Club vs. Company M, Twenty-first Infantry, floor Multnomah Club; referee Jamison.

January 19—Armory Club vs. Peninsula Club, floor Christian Brothers' Business College; referee, Lee.

January 21—Company M, Twenty-first Infantry, vs. Christian Brothers' Alumni, floor Christian Brothers' Business College; referee, Borleske.

January 23—Multnomah Club vs. Weonas, floor Multnomah Club; referee, Jamison.

January 26—Armory Club vs. Christian Brothers' Alumni, floor Christian Brothers' Business College; referee, Botsford.

January 28—Company M, Twenty-first Infantry, vs. Peninsula Club, floor Christian Brothers' Business College; referee, Mackie.

January 29—Multnomah Club vs. Christian Brothers' Alumni, floor Y. M. C. A.; referee, Borleske.

February 2—Weonas vs. Peninsula Club, floor Christian Brothers' Business College; referee, McDougal.

February 4—Company M, Twenty-first Infantry, vs. Armory Club, floor Vancouver; referee, Sugg.

February 6—Multnomah Club vs. Peninsula Club, floor Multnomah Club; referee, Jamison.

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The Christian Brothers' Business College juniors defeated the Kenton Athletic Club, 88 to 4, in the school gymnasium. Seven games have been played by the juniors and 218 points have been scored against 74 for the opponents.

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In a hard-fought game for the 80-pound city championship, the Y. M. C. A. Spartans defeated the Portland Academy Cubs, 16 to 2. This made the 10th straight victory for the Spartans and closes one of the best seasons ever experienced by the Y. M. C. A. squad. Following are the lineups:

Spartans (16)		P. A. Cubs (2)
Wiles (4)	F	Henney
Trone (6)	F	(2) Peters
Rockley (4)	C	Coleman
Bluett (2)	G	Jones
Garnett, Shields	G	Warren

Manager John D. Dwyer's Multnomah second basketball team, composed of the Stillettos players, walloped the Columbia University quintet, 17 to 15. The winning basket was shot by Walter Hummell. Following are the lineups:

Mult. Seconds (17)		Columbia (15)
Brookes	F	Schmitt
Spanier	F	Niles
Hummell	C	Jacobberger
Welch	G	Allen
Towey, Anderson	G	McEntee

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After winning 12 straight games, Sellwood Y. M. C. A. Swastikas lost their first game, 17 to 14, to the Company M, Twenty-first Infantry basketball team at Vancouver, Wash., Saturday night. Herman, Proppe and Daniels starred for the Portland team, while Rickets was the big boy for the soldiers. The Swastikas will play the Y. M. C. A. Pirates tonight. Following are the lineups:

Swastikas (14)		Company M (17)
Herman, Proppe	F	Ster, Baker
Riskson	F	Schwaber, Taylor
Daniels, Proppe	C	Rickets, Baker
Wetle	G	Stall
Steinhauer	G	Neiss

Referee, Trumble.

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The James John High School, of St. Johns, took its scheduled basketball game, 26 to 23, from the Portland School of Trades contingent. The second team of the high school defeated the Sellwood Orioles, 19 to 16. Following are the lineups of the main game:

James John (26)		Trade School (23)
Sundstrom	F	Cayo
Baybrook	F	Koreski
Cunning'm, Teutsch	C	Shriner
McGregor, Capt.	G	Wilson
Wrinkle	G	Palmer

Referee, Drinkall.

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The B'nai B'rith basketball team won an exciting game from the Holmes Business College representatives, 21 to 20, in the B'nai B'rith gymnasium yesterday morning. "Icky" Schlit and Aurbach were the shining lights for the Jewish Boys, while Dahiels and Hausler were features for the college. Following are the lineups:

B. B. (21)		Holmes (20)
M. Cohn	F	Hausler
N. Cohn	F	Korlann
Welser	G	Daniels
Schlit	G	Martin
Aurbach	G	Gilman

Spare, Wettel.

Basketball Bookings This Week.

Sunday—Holmes Business College vs. B'nai B'rith at B. & B. Gmy, Thirteenth and Mill streets, 10 A. M.; Wonder Clothes vs. Newsboys at Second and Wood street, at 10 A. M.

Monday—Pirates vs. Swastikas at Sellwood Y. M. C. A. at 8 P. M.

Tuesday—Newsboys vs. Holy Grail at Peninsula Park at 8 o'clock; Lincoln High vs. Portland Trade School at Lincoln Gym at 4 P. M.; Holmes B. C. vs. Bereans at Vancouver at 8 P. M.; North Pacific D. C. vs. Jefferson High School at Jefferson Gym at 4 P. M.; Gresham Giants vs. Newsboys at Gresham at 8 P. M.; Jefferson High Juniors vs. Vancouver High Juniors at Vancouver at 8 P. M.

Wednesday—Stilettos vs. B'nai B'rith at B. & B. Gym at 8:30 P. M.; Peninsula Park vs. Swastikas at Peninsula Park at 8 P. M.

Thursday—Franklin High vs. Portland Trade School at Lincoln Gym at 8 P. M.

Friday—Vancouver High vs. Franklin High at Vancouver at 8 P. M.; Holmes Business College vs. Baseacas Club at Oregon City at 8 P. M.

Saturday—McMinnville College vs. Weonas at McMinnville at 8 P. M.; Holmes B. C. vs. Y. M. C. A. at Y. M. C. A. Gym at 7 P. M.; Stilettos vs. Peninsula Park at Peninsula Gym at 8 P. M.; Swastikas vs. Bereans at Sellwood Y. M. C. A. at 8 P. M.; Pacific University vs. North Pacific at Forest Grove at 8 P. M.; Stilettos vs. St. Helens at St. Helens at 8 P. M.

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Bits of Sport.

ALAMENDARE PARK, Havana, Cuba, a larger area than the Polo Grounds, has been secured by Billy Gibson, a New York promoter. Gibson has secured the government's permission to stage championship boxing matches to a finish.

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Entries for the National class B 18.2 balk line championship tournament, to begin tomorrow at the Amateur Billiard Club, of New York, represent some of the best known amateur ivory shooters in the country. In addition to the regular prizes the president of the club, Wilson P. Foss, will donate a special trophy.

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New Yorkers are planning on chartering the steamer Finland, that carried the Olympic athletes to Stockholm, and sail through the Panama Canal to the San Francisco meet.

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Coach Sol S. Metzger, of the West Virginia football team, suffered a fracture in two places in his leg during the football season last Fall. After he was pronounced well it was found necessary to break the leg over again.

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The New York Giants may secure Syracuse as a farm if that city goes into the International League.

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Despite the fact that the majority of the colleges that rowed at Poughkeepsie last June favor the reduction of the intercollegiate course on the Hudson from four to three miles, and have an abundance of medical advice to back them up, it appears at present highly improbable that such a change will be made when the meeting is held next month.

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Harvey Hall, a former Tacoma High School football and baseball player, has been appointed athletic director at the Cushman Indian School.

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Smaller autos will be featured in the racing meets held next Summer in the Northwest.

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Javelin throwers of world record ability are evidently to be found among the Australian aboriginals from reports just to hand of the throwing of spears by the blacks at the patriotic carnival organized in Brisbane, Australia, by Snowy Baker. In this field day natives threw spears to distances that are so far superior to the world's javelin record that it makes them look sick.

One black chap is reported to have thrown a 12-foot spear a distance of 100 yards, or 300 feet. Compare this with the world's record of 207 feet for the javelin and it looks as though the Australians will be able to wipe out the best javelin record ever made and then leave it standing at a mark that the whites will never be able to reach.

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Guy Nickalls, the Yale rowing coach, is a pronounced advocate of rowing for school boys, believing that it will develop them from undersized weaklings to men of strength. This he considers is proved by the case of the English school boys, who are benefited by participation in the sport. In speaking of the subject he said:

"I was from a physical standpoint an excellent example of what rowing could do for an undersized weakling. At 12 years of age I weighed only 70 pounds. I began rowing at 14, when about 80 pounds in weight and steadily gained in weight until at 20 I weighed 170. I am an example of thousands in England of what regular rowing exercise will do for an undersized boy. It also has the advantage of other sports in that a lot of rowing exercise can be put through in a very short space of time, so that it will not interfere in any way with the studies."

Gunboat to Meet Morris.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10.—"Gunboat" Smith, of California, and Carl Morris, of Sapulpa, Okla., are matched for an eight-round bout at St. Louis on January 26, according to an announcement here tonight. This will be the first heavyweight fight seen in St. Louis in years.

Billiard Tourney On Tonight.

A five-night pocket billiard tourney commences tonight at the McCredie billiard parlors, with Henry La Due, of Spokane, and Robert Scott, of San Francisco, as the contestants. La Due is to play 1000 points to Scott's 750.

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