SALE OF DERRICK TO BROWNS URGED

Portland Bill James Confers With McCredie in Behalf of His ex-Teammate.

BEAVER BOSS IS WILLING

Chief Thing Necessary to Make Deal Possible Is for St. Louis to Sup-Suitable Dates With Sox Set.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. Bill James is extremely sweet on Fred Derrick and there is a likelihood that the Portland first sacker may be sold to the St. Louis Americans this

been a great booster for Derrick ever since his advent into the American League last Spring.

"Manager Rickey is on the lookout for a first-class initial sacker," said "Smiling Bill," "and now that Mack is willing to give him a chance to go up I intend to recommend him.

"Derrick hit .298 last year and I think he could top .300 in the American League, I'll tell you why. When I was here Fred used to hit a lot of line drives down the third base line just outside the foul line.

"Now, a majority of those would go safe in the American circuit against faster pitching."

Charley Moore had a tilt with Manager Dillon of the Los Angeles Coast club last Fall and consequently will not be with the Seraphs in 1915. But Charles isn't lacking for opportunities. With him it's a question of whether to cast his lot with the Southern Association, the Western League or stick close to home and accept a job in the Northwestern circuit.

Moore is Wintering in Portland, his old home, and he showed his face at baseball headquarters for the first time

Washington High School and Port-land Academy will furnish the second basketball game of the Portland In-terscholastic League today in the East Sizers symmasium at 5 o'clock. This is the second appearance of the Wash-

Is the second appearance of the Washington High quintet in a league contest this season.

Captain McClinteck, of the Academy has a strong contingent around him, and Coach Lee expects the West Siders to make a grand showing. The private school aggregation lost the annual affair last year, 24 to 12, and not come did they score a victory during

nual affair last year, 34 to 12, and not once did they score a victory during the 1914 campaign.

William Lewis and Captain McClintock are the only two players of last season's squad trying out for the basketball team at the Academy this year. Coach Fenstermacher, of Washington, is going to start Captain Gorman and Persons at guards Tourtellotte and Parsons at guards, Tourtellotte and Roth forwards and Kincaid at center, today. No referee has seen selected

WOLVERINE AGGIES IN LEAD

High Team in College Rifle Compe-

Massachusetts Agricultural 963, vs. United States Naval Academy 950; Iowa State 967, vs. California 945; West Virginia 958, vs. Norwich 935; Cornell 949, vs. Purdue 906; Illinois 947, vs. Minnesota 927; Michigan Agricultural 976, vs. Washington State 572.

American Association Team.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 18.—Jack Knight, last year's shorterop on the American Association baseball team, of Cleveland, is to be manager of the team this year, it was announced taday.

James Sheckard, last year's manager, is said to be negotiating with Joe Tinker, of the Chicago Federals.

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LEFT-BILL JAMES, ST. LOUIS PITCHER, FORMERLY WITH PORTLAND. RIGHT-WALTER M'CREDIE, MANAGER PORTLAND COAST CHAMPS.

POOLS FOR ANGLERS

Barring of Commercial Fishermen From Oregon City Spot Is Advocated.

closed season on the Columbia, only to become easy prey in their resting pools below the falls.

"A careful check was kept on the various pick-up beats the next day, and we found that the first night of net fishing had resulted in over 50 tons of salmon being taken from the river. The second night the catch was slightly over 30 tons, and the third night less than 20, after which small catches were the rule, and no wender for the fish were gone. were gone

"Three days after the net fishing opened there were perhaps 50 anglers out on the river, with their trolling tackle, but what a difference? Where

tition Beats Washington State.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Scores in class A of the intercollegiate rifle shooting competition were announced today as follows:

Massachusetts Agricultural 963, vs.
United States Naval Academy 950; Iowa

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SHECKARD MAY GO TO FEDS

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nets of any description are permitted near the island.

"But the Willamette River closed to net fishing will rival any fishing reaort in the world. We can then assure our visitors that there will be plenty of fish in the river, and sportsmen will travel from far and near to catch salmon of hook and line. Oregon will get the advertising as well as the sportsmen's money.

men's money.

"With all these facts before us, it is no wonder that the Sportsmen's League is determined to put an end to Willamette River net fishing."

. L. SULLIVAN GETS RELEASE National Commission Reverses Na

tional Board in Player's Case.

But less. Wholesale Use of Nets Is Blamed for Emptying Waters of Salmon is Dismay of Sportsmen.

League Leads Fight.

Whether to close the pools below the Oregon City Falls to the commercial fishermen and make of that spot one of the historic hook-and-line fishing resorts of the country is the question that the Oregon Legislature.

But less was reversed today by the National Gaseball Commission when it declared a freve agent to the International League a free agent.

Sullivan based his claim to be declared a free agent on the clause in the Players' Fraternity agreement which stipulates that on proof of the existence of an agreement of any kind between a club by its president or manager, if a minor league club, and a player, not incorporated in the contract between them, "such contract shall be null and void and the player uncondit to lonelly released." Sullivan's charge that Manager Kelley, of the Toronto Loub, of the International League a free agent.

Willamette University Is to Invade Eugene Saturday and Battle at Early Date With Multpomah Club Team Is Likely.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 18.—(Special.)—Coach Bezdek and his victorious team of basket tossers the manager to any kind between the player uncondit to lonelly released." Sullivan's charge that Manager Kelley, of the Toronto against the Salem "Methodists," the Between the Method of the historic hook-and-line fishing resorts of the country is the question that the Oregon Legislature.

by Decisive Score.

Stillettos Win at St. Helens, 21-20.

ST. HELENS, Or., Jan. 18 .- (Special.) ST. HELENS, OF, Jan. 18.—(Special.)

—In a fast game of basketball here
last evening, the Stillettoes, of Portland, defeated the St. Helens Fire Boys
21 to 20. A foul was called as time was
up, allowing Portland to throw a goal

training period around San Francisco. Its first game at San Francisco is booked for March 18. The second bunch will begin around the bay and will change places with the regulars because places with the regulars between March 14 and March 18. Second Balt of the sportsmen but heavy skiffs filled with sill have three open dates on the jump.

Happy Hogan has added three pitchers to his string—Roberts, Fair-field and Brown. Roberts pitched in the Texas League last year and the Texas League last year and the other two are Oxnard youngsters.

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We must admit that those scientific investigators at the Oregon Agricultural College are doing splendid work in the near future. He urged all members of the Could possibly do so to come to Baker to Cregon. When the Summer to attend the University of Oregon. Said Mr. Mc. Kilney. Teff that institution with a spouthful and somewhat limited idea of the value of the agricultural college. In the value of the agricultural college is d

"All night the army of netters kept at their work, and there was a steady procession of twinkling lights and silent, deadly still nets from the falls to the Clackamas rapids, while below the mouth of the Clackamas another detachment of fishermen raked the river clear to Osweso.

"With the first break of day the results were soon apparent. Every boat had salmon, not half a dozen or a deven, but hundreds of pounds of the finest chinook; fish which had reached the Willamette River because of the closed season on the Columbia, only to become easy prey in their resting pools below the falls.

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In reviewing the game at Salem, Bezdek said:

"The work of the boys was ragged. They missed many a shot at the basket which should have been converted into points. I was disappointed, even though the score was lop-sided in our favor. There has to be a whole lot of improvement along all lines if we intend to get far in the conference race."

Graduate Manager Tiffany has been attempting to schedule games for next week and if the Multnomah Club team, of Portland, will concede to an early season date, it is possbic that the winged "M" representatives will be brought to Eugene in the near future.

Sidelights and Satire.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Or., Jan. 18, — (Special.)—Basketball stock at the Oregon Agricultural College has taken a slight boost, following the Aggic victory over the fast Dallas team. In the second half rough tactics caused some of Stewart's players to become "riled," and there was a noticeable loss of efficiency as a result.

The elements in the Aggic play, which to a certain extent aroused hope, a are the speed with which the local lade carried the ball down the field, which to Eugene in the near future.

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ASOTIN. Wash., Jan. 18.—(Special.)

The basketball team returned yesterday from a five days' victorious tour, playing at Cuidesac, Grangeville, Reubens, Nez Perce and Lapwal.

The games and results are: Tuesday, January 12, Cuidesac 13, Asotin 25, Wednesday, January 12, Grangeville 11, Asotin 18; Thursday, January 14, Reubens 21, Asotin 25, Saturday, January 16, Lapwal 7, Asotin 22; Saturday, January 16, Lapwal 7, Asotin 22; Saturday, January 16, Lapwal 7, Asotin 21, Saturday, January 18, Saturday,

to Portland for Speck Harkness.

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OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE,

WHEN the next Olympiad is held, why not arrange a race between Buddy Ryan's burn less and Dayled a good game until relieved by Mix.

Captain Billie King played a forceful ball from beginning to end, dribblins with speed and getting through the Dallas defense for baskets on five outside the Dallas defense for baskets outside the D

Seiberts will take over the burden of converting free tosses in place of Dewey, who handled that work last

Coach Stewart and Assistant May failed to see much hope for the locals in their Seattle games next week, although they admitted that more punch was to be seen in the Aggles' style of play than in any other preliminary

Happy Hogan once traded Al Carson o Portland for Speck Harkness.

Our letter denarrment.

games.

The Aggie squad which will make the Seattle trip will be composed of King. Dewey. Selberts. Johns, Mix, Blagg. Phillips and Ray.

Our letter department:
SHERIDAN, Or., Jan. 16.—(To the Editor.)—Dear Sir: I would like to correct through the columns of your paper various reports which bob up from time to time by some ignorant and concelted writers having no regard for the truth.

In Saturday's Oregonian an article from Corvallis says that the O. A. C. team defeated the Pallas team at baskets land that the Dallas team was composed mostly of members of the famous "Oregons" team, which toured the United States several years ago.

ICE HOCKEY

Portland vs. Victoria, B. C.

Tonight, at 8:30 o'Clock Fancy Skating-Music

Tickets 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50

Huntley Drug Co. | Schiller Cigar Store | Ice Hippodrome Fourth and Washington Sts. | Eleventh and Washington Sts. | 23d and Marshall Streets

Fans of Pittsburg are endeavoring to form a Winter stove league like the one that made Boston famous. The idea is to hold monthly get-together

meetings and boost the game. Roxey Roach, shortstop of the Buf-Roxey Roach, shortstop of the Bulght
falo Internationals, has signed a conwer
tract with the same club in the Federal
and League, according to reports from the
of
League will make an effort to keep
him from playing with the Feds.

As a result of the benefit indoor ball game played in Chicago for the widow of Jimmy Doyle and for Arnold Hauser, approximately \$2000 was raised and the money was divided equally between Mrs. Doyle and Mrs. Hauser. The

former Cardinal shortstop has had return of his mental malady and again in a sanitarium for treatment.

While the Major Lengues have expressed their disapproval of barnstorming, it does not seem to affect the Giants and White Sox. They will make several one-day stands this

Spring.

Sam Crawford has made 2331 hits during his 12 years with Detroit, and is now consumed by a burning ambition to boost his total to 3506. Sam realizes that he is almost 760 bingles short of the desired total, but figures he has five good years ahead of him.

Larry Lajole was the last survivor of the Cleveland teams of 1903 and '03. Tuck Turner is now the only Indian who was a Nap as far back as 1904. When Tuck broke in Charley Hickman was playing first: Lajole, second, Bradley, third: Lusb. Bay and Filck, the outfield: Lemis, Adams and Bustow were catchers, and Joss, Moore, Denohue, Rheades, Bernhard, Hess, Curtiss, Hickey and a few others were pitching.



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Change in Time

Effective Thursday, January 21, the following changes will be made on the Southern Pacific:

Roseburg-Divide Local (No. 19) Leave Portland2:00 P. M. Leave Woodburn3:40 P. M. Leave Salem4:20 P. M.

Shasta Limited (No. 12)

Arrive Portland 1:50 P. M.

No changes in leaving or arrival of other trains.

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