MINOR LAYS CLAIM TO MAJOR RATING

American Association Chief Says Pledge to End Drafting Has Been Given.

HERRMANN MAKES DENIAL

Entry to Big League Cities Promised, Avers Chivington—Matter Is Up to Leagues, Asserts Head of Commission.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—The American Association has taken another big step—the biggest so far in its progress towards the high places of baseball—according to President Chivington, who said today that the association has gained from the National commission the promise that the major leagues' power of draft over it will be given up.

In addition, the commission has agreed to grant the association the right to enter certain cities now in the American or National leagues and will turn over a number of players.

The concession, which was first announced by President McGill, of the Indianapolis club, makes the association practically a major league so far as the draft is concerned. Mr. Chivington said: "What other differences it will make in interleague relations will be arranged by the National commission, though action is not expected until after a decision in the anti-trust suit," he added.

No information was given regarding the new territory and the places of transfer.

COAST CAN'T BE SLIGHTED

League Head Says No Other Minors Can Obtain Higher Rating.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—"The coast organization will ask and expect any privileges that will be granted to other minor leagues," said A. T. Baum, Coast League president, tonight. "When the Coast League re-entered organized baseball it was under an iron-bound agreement that no other minor league would be granted higher classification.

"Furthermore, the present National agreement for ten years, signed by the National and American leagues and the National Association of Minor Leagues, cannot be changed unless it has the unanimous consent of all parties to the agreement. Personally I do not know whether the American Association has asked the Minor League Association for that consent, but if it has not, nothing can be done.

"I had no inkling of the American Association's move for higher classification, but you can bank on it that the American Association or any other minor league will not be classed higher than the Coast League. I am inclined to doubt the report."

LIFTING OF DRAFTS UNLIKELY

August Herrmann Says No Concession to Minors Is Probable.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 28.—"The lifting of drafts in the American Association would automatically raise it to major league standing," said Chairman August Herrmann, of the National commission, here today.

"The National commission, however, has not taken up the matter of lifting the drafts in any of the minor leagues. The matter has been discussed several times during the last year, but no action has been taken and I don't think any will be taken in the immediate future."

Mr. Herrmann had no comment to make in regard to the report that a number of changes were contemplated whereby cities with major league teams would be placed in the American Association.

"This is purely a matter between two or more leagues," he said.

BOOST WOULD AFFECT COAST

League Here Becomes Major One If Any Other Does, Says McCredie.

"If the National Commission has granted this concession to the American Association it is simply a move to fight the Federals," said W. W. McCredie, president of the Portland club. "I think any boost of the American Association would automatically raise the Coast League to the same privileges.

"The Pacific Coast League had already affiliated with organized baseball when we bought the Portland franchise in 1905, so I am not familiar with the details of that agreement. But I think it provides that no other minor league shall be boosted to major ranking unless the same privilege is extended to this league."

DRAFT IS HELD UNIMPORTANT

International League Head Says Some Clubs May Offer Exceptions.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The American Association and the International League have wanted exemption for some time from the powers of draft exercised over them by the major leagues, according to a statement tonight by President Edward Barrow, of the International League.

"Last Winter," he said, "we joined with the American Association in making a request on the National Commission for exemption, which was turned down. The International League has not agitated the move recently, and at present I would not consider exemption for our league a matter of much importance. In fact, it is questionable whether under the circumstances all our members would care to have the draft eliminated."

Drafts Not Lifted, Says Tener.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—President Tener, of the National League, said today that the National Commission had not taken any definite action in reference to the lifting of drafts in the American Association.

New Basketball League Under Way.

The organization of a 115-pound basketball league has been made the reason for a special meeting of managers or captains of Portland teams in that weight, called for Saturday night at the Archer & Wiggins store.

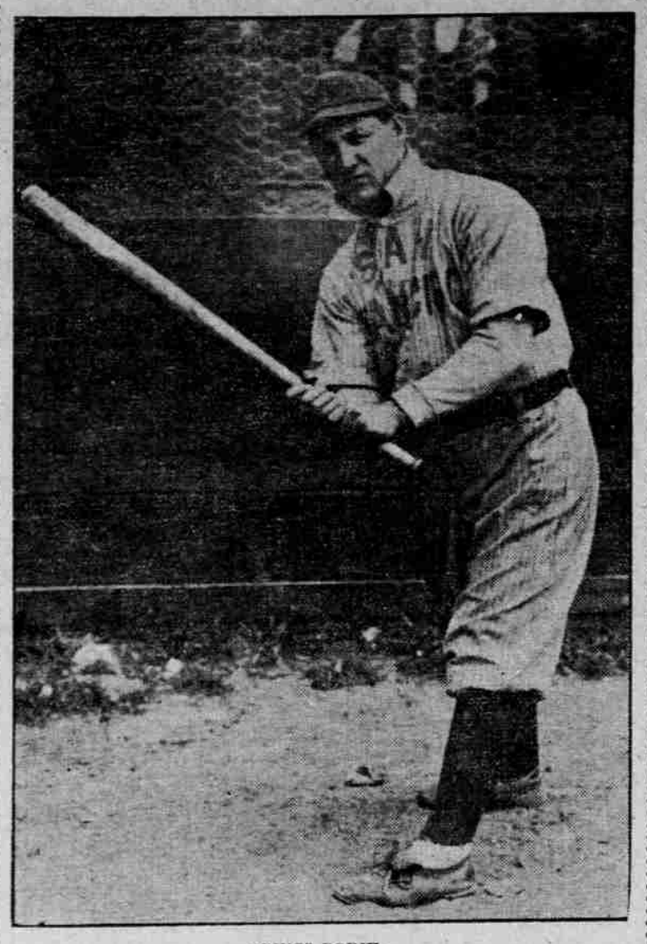
Dooin Signs With Cincinnati.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28.—Charles S. Dooin, former manager of the Philadelphia National League team, signed today a two-year contract to catch for the Cincinnati club. The salary is said to be $6000 a year.

Gunboat Smith to Meet Morris.

JOPLIN, Mo., Jan. 28.—Gunboat Smith and Carl Morris, heavyweights, have signed articles to fight 15 rounds in Joplin on February 22.

FAMOUS FENCE BUSTER OF 1910 WHO COMES BACK TO SAN FRANCISCO, AFTER FOUR YEARS IN THE AMERICAN LEAGUE.



"PING" BODIE.

ICE CARNIVAL DUE

Rare Treat at Hippodrome Set for February 12.

COSTUME IS NECESSITY

Kenny Mallen, Diminutive Forward of Vancouver Millionaires, Is Declared to Be League's Fastest Skater This Year.

Portland is to be treated to its first big ice carnival on the night of February 12. Officers of the Ice Hippodrome practically decided upon this date yesterday. It will be a masked carnival and, judging from the success of these ice masquerades in other rinks, the occasion will be a gala one in skating circles.

"Everybody will have to be masked and in costume to get on the ice," said J. George Keller, secretary of the Ice Hippodrome, yesterday. "Masking alone will not be sufficient. Skaters will have to be in costume to gain admission to the iced arena.

"At 9:30 o'clock or thereabouts the order will be given for masks to come off, and then everybody will be allowed to skate. Vancouver held its annual carnival 10 days ago, and Frank Patrick sent me a couple of large flashlight photographs of the scene. It must have been a howling success, judging from the photographs."

Suitable prizes will be given for the winners in the various costuming competitions. There will be no rise in the price of admission.

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If you were asked to name the fastest skater in the Pacific Coast Hockey League, who would it be? Cyclone Taylor? Well, you would lose; because Kenny Mallen, the diminutive forward of the Vancouver Millionaires, has it all over the others as a speed merchant.

Mallen is said to have followed racing to some extent. At any rate, he can run away from most of the hockey players in a regular race.

Ran McDonald, of Portland, and Cyclone Taylor, of Vancouver, are said to be about on a par. McDonald is the fastest skater on the Portland team, with Tobin and Harris said to rank next in order.

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Miss Margaret Kirkland, the fancy step skater, who delights patrons of the Ice Hippodrome at the hockey games, had never skated on ice before the Hippodrome opened. She was an expert on rollers, however, and when L. M. Roswell took hold of the dancing classes at the Hippodrome it did not take him long to recognize talent.

The two seldom practice together, yet they maneuver through exceedingly difficult dance steps in public as though they had been teamed up for years.

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Pete Muldoon, manager of the Portland Uncle Sams, attributes Portland's strong rally to the back checking of his forwards.

"Backchecking means skating back and checking the opponent's forwards before they have a chance to reach the last lines of defense," explained Muldoon. "I think our forwards as a class are the strongest skaters in the league and their backchecking is superb.

"Art Throop, in my judgment, is one of the best backcheckers in the circuit."

THREE HEADLINE BOUTS SET

Armory Club Manager Hopes to Have Nine Events on Smoker Card.

Three headliners have been procured by Manager Hansen of the Armory Club for his smoker scheduled for the Armory next Thursday night. The three bouts given equal prominence on the card will be furnished by Groat, of the Beaver Club, and Parslow, of Multnomah; Keppinger, of the Armory, and Sommers, of Mohawk, and Boatright, of Multnomah, and Wagner, of the Armory.

All these boys are well known locally. Manager Hansen is sure of obtaining eight bouts for his programme and is trying to procure a ninth.

MANHATTAN CLUB HAS LEAD

Portland Revolver Team Wins Nine and Loses One Match.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The official standing of the United States Revolver Association clubs in the Intercity League matches, showing contests won and lost, is as follows:

Manhattan 10, 0; Springfield 11, 0; Olympia 11, 0; Pittsburg 9, 1; Portland 9, 1; Seattle 8, 3; Spokane 7, 3; Denver 7, 3; Providence 5, 3; Boston 8, 4; St. Louis 5, 5; Youngstown 6, 6; Columbus 4, 7; Dallas 3, 9; Manito 2, 9; Chicago 1, 9; Portsmouth 1, 10; Beverly 1, 10; Citizens 0, 10; Osborne 0, 10; Belleville 0, 11.

SIX-DAY BICYCLE RACE IS ON

First Event Held in Chicago in 20 Years Is Started.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Three teams—Ivor Lawson and Eddie Root, of Chicago and Boston; Oscar Egg and Francesco Verri, the Swiss-Italian entry and Victor Linart and Marcel Dupuy, the Franco-Belgian team—apparently were singled out as favorites by the spectators tonight when Mayor Harrison started the first six-day bicycle race held here in 20 years.

The start was preceded by a programme of sprint events.

Hamlet, Lecture Topic.

"The Interpretations of Hamlet by Critics and by Actors" will be the subject of Professor Merriam's lecture to be given in Library Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

RACING REVIVAL LIKELY

IF BILL PASSES NEVADA MAY BE CENTER FOR GAME.

George Wingfield Lays Foundations for Breeding Establishment and New Jockey Club Is Planned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—If the bill calling for a racing commission and pari-mutuel wagering goes through in Nevada as introduced, plans are on foot to make that state the racing center of the West. There has been an active movement in Nevada for some time to rehabilitate the racing game and men interested are confident the bill will be passed.

George Wingfield has been laying the foundations for one of the biggest thoroughbred breeding establishments in the West. Recently Wingfield put through a deal for the acquisition of a number of famous runners formerly owned by the late "Scotty" Ferguson. In the lot are Montgomery, winner of a Burns handicap and many other rich classics while carrying Sam Hildreth's colors; Sugar Maid, Springly Maid, Alice Carey, Cassel, Rosy Posey and Spokane Maid. The horses have been sent to Nevada.

The organization of a jockey club in Nevada also is planned, it is said. The idea is said to be for the club to supplant the New California Jockey Club in the control of the thoroughbred game in the West. The New California Club has been sort of shifted in the background since the bars were placed against the runners in California.

Nevada sportsmen naturally are not discussing the details of their plans until they see how the racing bill comes out in the Legislature.

PENINSULA JUNIORS DEFEATED

Park Senior Basketball Squad Beats Bereans, 28 to 11, in Fast Game.

The Peninsula Park Juniors basketball team was defeated by the Columbia Juniors by the score of 25 to 23 at Peninsula Park before a good-sized crowd. All games at the park have drawn well.

The Columbia-Peninsula lineups follow:

Columbia Juniors.		Pen. Juniors.
Malone	F	J. M. Carr
Maloney	F	E. Hiatt
Purcell	C	F. West
Murcherson	G	Jack Welch
Foley	G	Harlow

The game between the Bereans and the Peninsula Park Seniors was a fast game and some splendid plays were made by both sides. The Peninsula team won, 28 to 11.

Daniels was the star for the Bereans, shooting three baskets and one foul. Leipold, Hiatt and Pfaender were the stars for the Peninsulas, Pfaender making five baskets.

The lineups were:

Bereans (11)		Pen. Seniors (28)
Daniels	F	Leipold
White	F	Burns
MacMullen	C	Hiatt
C. Davis	G	Campbell
Martin	G	Pfaender

Kramer Wins Fast Mile Cycle Race.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—The one-mile match bicycle race at the International Amphitheater was won last night by Frank Kramer, of East Orange, N. J., defeating Ivar Lawson, of Chicago. The time was 2:32 1-5.

SEALS IN NEED OF ONE MORE PITCHER

Walter McCredie Thinks San Francisco Team May Be Contender for Pennant.

BODIE GOOD ACQUISITION

Purchase of Heilmann Also Likely to Prove of Great Benefit—New Orleans Finally Wants Smith and McCorry.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Ping Bodie, outfielder, has been offered a place on the Chicago team of the Federal League and has replied asking salary terms, Charles Weeghman, president of the Chicago Federals, announced tonight. Bodie was sold by the Chicago American League team to the San Francisco Club of the Pacific Coast League, it was announced two days ago.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

"Give San Francisco one more reliable pitcher and it will be a pennant contender," remarked Walter McCredie, manager of the Portland champs, yesterday, ruminating on Wolverton's recent purchases.

Mack, presumably, has in mind one Ping Bodie, ex-fence-buster of the Seals, and Harry Heilmann, his erstwhile Portland Colt first-sacker. Wolverton bought Bodie from the Chicago Sox and Heilmann from Detroit on an option to repurchase.

The acquisition of Heilmann to the infield completes the Seal roster, and, surely, Wolverton would not have the temerity to scramble any more outfielders into the mess on his list. Already he has eight gardeners, the new men being Meloan of Venice, Baerwald of Galveston and Bodie.

Coy, Tobin and Mundorff likely will be disposed of elsewhere, because Wolverton plans to start with Meloan in right, Fitzgerald in center and Bodie in left. Biff Schaller will be retained as spare gardener, and either Baerwald or Mundorff may land, if Wolverton keeps five men.

The infield shows Heilmann on first base, Leard on second, Corhan at short and young Jones at third. This leaves Downs, Charles and O'Leary to scrap it out for the utility berth.

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Of the new Seals Bodie is by far the most picturesque and most-widely exploited throughout the country. Ping was with the Seals in 1910 and gained great fame as a fence-buster by knocking out 30 home runs, a record since excelled by Cy Swain.

Bodie hit only .263 that year, which was the season of the slow balls on the Coast. On the strength of his extra-base clouts he was sold to Chicago and he remained there, growing fatter and fatter, until his sale to San Francisco early in the week.

Bodie batted .288 in 1911, his first year in the big leagues; increased that to .294 in 1912; dropped off to .265 in 1913, and last year slumped to .229 and three circuit swats. If Bodie gets in and trains he will help the Seals, because he is a heavy hitter, without question.

His last year with the Seals in 1910 showed as teammates: Sutor, Browning, McArdle, Eastley, Madden, Tennant, Williams, Mohler, Vitt, Berry, Stewart, Henley, Lewis and Shaw. All these erstwhile stars are now gone, and Ping will find himself in the same setting amidst a cluster of newer gems.

With Schmidt, Clarke and Sepulveda to do the catching, and Baum, Pernoll, Fanning, Barham and Reisigl in the box, the Seals don't look so bad, do they?

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After nearly a month's somnolency, New Orleans finally has awakened to the realization that it wants Pitchers Smith and McCorry from Portland. A telegram from New Orleans yesterday brought tidings that the Pelicans had accepted Walter McCredie's offer for these two flingers.

"They wrote me they wanted two pitchers so I gave them Smith and McCorry some time ago, and announced it to the public," said Manager McCredie. "My offer was not even acknowledged, however, so I thought the deal was off and sent Smith a contract the other day at Los Angeles.

"I don't know whether they can have Smith now or not, but I will fix New Orleans out with pitchers, all right enough."

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Portland's training schedule is almost full, with 13 games on the list and a couple of California colleges clamoring for dates.

The Beavers likely will assemble at Fresno, Cal., about March 4 or 5, spending the next 10 days conditioning.

The first practice games will be with the Indianapolis team of the American Association, March 13 and 14. Three games will be played with the Chicago Sox, March 15 at Fresno, March 16 at Hanford and March 17 at Bakersfield, Visalia or Fresno. Three days later, Sunday, the Beavers will inaugurate an eight-game series with the Chicago Colored Giants.

This will close Sunday, March 28, just two days before the official opening date of the Pacific Coast League.

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Rube Ellis is said to be holding out on the Los Angeles club for more money, yet Rube admits that Coast League salaries have nearly doubled since he first accepted money from the Angel management.

"When I left the Los Angeles club to join St. Louis four or five years ago $225 a month was the topnotch salary out here," said he in Los Angeles. "Returning to Los Angeles in 1913 I figured the same conditions prevailed. I asked for $325 a month and was much astonished when my terms were accepted without a word.

"Later I found that $350 salaries were not at all uncommon."

Rube had an off year in 1913 and did not ask for a raise, nor did he get cut in salary, but he had a good year in 1914, so, of course, now is out after a boost in his stipend.

Brief Bits of Sport.

Heinie Zimmerman carried his fiery temper into his home two weeks ago and the great Cub thirdsacker's wife immediately sought solace in the divorce court. She asked for $200 a month alimony and $500 court fees. Heinie called on her the other day and effected a reconciliation. They were married last Spring.

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Washington State College hopes for a championship basketball team. Glover's work in the defeat of Idaho gives him the call on the troublesome center position. Captain Anderson and Hildebrand are the forwards and Bohler and Moss the guards.

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Cincinnati folk are protesting against the Gunboat Smith vs. Jim Flynn fight, yet they stand for the Reds. 'Tis a strange world.

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Frank Mohler, son of the veteran "Kid," wants a trial with Spokane this year. He played semi-pro ball around Kamloops, B. C., last Summer. His father is employed by the Pacific Electric at Los Angeles.

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The Western Skating Association at Chicago is handling a campaign for outfitting all the poor youngsters of the city with skates. The Chicago Herald has fallen in line with a skate editor to help the cause, but the skate editor's name was not Larry McLean.

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Gonzaga College is endeavoring to arrange a game with the Oregon Aggies for February 1, following the Oregon Aggies-Washington State basketball series at Pullman January 30 and 31.

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An enterprising insurance company in the East is sending out literature to sporting writers warning them of the dangers encompassing a trip to Juarez for the Willard-Johnson fight. Moral: Take out a little more insurance, of course.

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Organized baseball is entitled to some credit, at least. It has done away with the old-time parade preceding the opening games.

Spalding's Basket Ball Bookings.

Today—Trade School vs. Gresham High School, at Gresham, at 8; Baracas Club vs. Holmes Business College, at Oregon City, at 8; Hillsboro High School vs. Portland Academy, at Hillsboro, Or., at 8.

Tomorrow—Swastikas vs. Columbia University, at Sellwood Y. M. C. A., at 8; Stilettos vs. Willamette Athletic Club, at Newberg, at 8; Orient High School vs. St. Johns High School, at Orient, Or., at 8; St. Johns girls vs. Orient High girls, at Orient, Or., at 7:30; Deaf School Juniors, Vancouver, vs. Christian Brothers' Business College, at Vancouver, Wash., at 8; Dallas vs. Weonas, at Dallas, Or., at 8; St. Helens vs. North Pacific D. C., at St. Helens, at 8; McMinnville High School vs. Jefferson High, at McMinnville, Or.

Hoquiam Makes Football Schedule.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Coach J. D. Ehrhart, who last year piloted the Hoquiam High School football team to the championship of the state, already has been arranging for the 1915 schedule, and expects to have the heaviest list of games ever arranged for a Hoquiam team. The first game to be scheduled is one with The Dalles, Or., team. This game is set for October 30.

American League Owners to Meet.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—A meeting of club owners of the American League has been called for New York on next Wednesday, President Ban Johnson, of the league, announced today. The 1915 schedule will be adopted and other minor schedules in regard to the coming season will be settled. President Johnson will start East tomorrow.

AGGIES ON TOUR AGAIN

BASKETBALL TEAM MEETS IDAHO AT MOSCOW TONIGHT.

Squad Will Play Washington State Saturday, Gonzaga Monday and Walla Walla Y. M. C. A. Tuesday.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Coach Stewart, of the Oregon Agricultural College basketball forces, this afternoon led his cohorts on a second pilgrimage for honors on the court. The team this time will visit Pullman, Moscow, Spokane and Walla Walla. Eight men were carried—"Billie" King, guard and captain; Seiberts, forward; Dewey, forward; Blagg, center; Phillips, forward; Jordan, guard; Ray, forward; Mix, center or guard.

The squad will reach Moscow tomorrow afternoon and will mix with the strong University of Idaho quintet in the evening. Saturday the Aggies will shift over to Pullman, where a mingling with Coach Bohler's team is scheduled. Monday night Gonzaga College will be the opponents of the locals, at Spokane, and Tuesday the Walla Walla Y. M. C. A. team will be met at Walla Walla.

Final examinations have interfered somewhat with basketball practice. With the exception of two men, however, the Aggies are in good shape.

Johns, who has been laid up for a fortnight with a felon on his foot, is still unable to play. Jordan, substitute guard, has been out of a suit for a few days with a bad charlie-horse, but limbered up a bit yesterday and will be carried for use in case of need.

Dr. Stewart has a healthy regard for the class of the Eastern division teams, and according to his lights chances for an Aggie victory are no brighter than they were last week against Washington.

HOCKEY PLAY ON AGAIN

MULTNOMAHS AND HARRIMANS BEGIN CITY FINALS TONIGHT.

Winner of Contest Will Do Battle With Rowing Club Team Next Tuesday for Portland Championship.

Multnomah Club and the Harrimans, the two strong teams of the City Hockey League, will battle tonight at the Ice Hippodrome for the second time this season. Multnomah won the qualifying series by defeating all other teams. Tonight marks the first game of the finals between Multnomah, Harriman and the Rowing Club.

The winner will play the Rowing Club next Tuesday for the city championship. Rink officials tried to induce the Rowing Club and the Harrimans to meet tonight, giving the Winged Ms the "bye" in the title series, but the Rowing Club refused to diverge from the drawings.

The game will start at 7:45 o'clock and the rink will be open to skaters at 8:45 o'clock.

When the Winged M and the Harrimans met in the qualifying series Multnomah won easily, 8-1. Manager Cremere, of the Harrimans, has added J. W. Robinson to his staff and may spring another surprise player.

15 CITIES SEEK OUTLAW CLUBS

James A. Gilmore Goes East to Attend Organization Meeting.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal League, left for New York today to attend a meeting of the promoters of the proposed new minor league in the East, which is to be affiliated with the Federal organization.

"There are 15 cities in the East which will be represented at the meeting," Gilmore said, "and all want a franchise in the eight-club league."

Jay Gould and Partner Win.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28. — Jay Gould, New York, and Wilson Potter, Philadelphia, defeated George H. Brooke and P. K. Casaatt, Philadelphia, four games to none today in the first round of the National doubles raquet championship tournament, which opened here yesterday. The scores were: 15-11, 15-12, 17-16, 15-12.

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JEFFERSON MEN WIN

Washington High Basketball Team Loses, 9 to 25.

CAPTAIN BONNEY IS STAR

Interscholastic League Leadership Goes With Victory—Hill Academy and Franklin High to Play This Afternoon.

Interscholastic Basketball Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Jefferson	2	0	1000	Hill	0	1	.000
Lincoln	1	0	1000	Franklin	0	2	.000
Columbia	1	0	1000	Port. Acad.	0	2	.000
Washington	2	1	.666				

Captain Laman Bonney, of the Jefferson High School basketball team, for the most part was responsible for the 25-to-9 walloping administered to the Washington High quintet in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium yesterday afternoon. Five field baskets and three fouls were scored by the winning captain, all but three of his points coming in the second period.

The result of the contest makes the Jeffersonians the undisputed leaders of the league, with two victories and no defeat. At the call of half time the score stood 11 to 5, and in the last canto the Jefferson High team added 14 scores to Washington's 6.

Only two field baskets were made by Coach Fenstermacher's squad, and out of 18 attempts at converting fouls only 5 were registered by Roth and Peterson.

The Jefferson High squad plays purely a passing game and there was at not time of the match a chance for the Washington High team. Coach Jamison, of Jefferson, did not alter his lineup, while two changes were made in the Washington squad during the intermission.

Following are the lineups:

Jefferson (25)		Washington (9)
Capt. Bonney	F	Tourtellotte
Burke	F	Peterson
Calvin	C	Kincaid
Maurice	G	Roth
Cooper	G	Capt. German

Officials: Charles Mackie, referee; H. C. Livingston, umpire; A. M. Burton, timer. Substitutions: Roth for Peterson, Parsons for Roth.

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The next affair of the Portland Interscholastic league basketball schedule will be played this afternoon in the Washington High School gymnasium, with the Franklin High opposing the Hill Military Academy aggregation. The admittance fee has been reduced from the usual 25 cents to 10 cents. The game will start at 3 o'clock.

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The Lincoln High School basket tossers trimmed the Second Multnomah quintet 26 to 22 in the club gymnasium Wednesday night. Even with Rossman, Edwards and Toomey in the lineup the club players were unable to cope with Coach Borleske's men. Howard McKay, a member of the 1912 Lincoln basketball team, was back in harness for the school.

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The soccer game between the Jefferson High and the Hill Military Academy slated for this afternoon will not be played, as the cadets were unable to procure enough players for a creditable eleven, according to some of the students of the academy. The next soccer game of the Interscholastic League will be played next Monday, with Lincoln High opposing Franklin High, the new member of the circuit.

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The Multnomah Club soccer team will hook up with the Columbia University eleven on Multnomah Field Saturday afternoon.

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Manager John D. Dwyer, of the Stilettos, will send his team against the first quintet of the Christian Brothers' Business College in a preliminary affair to the Multnomah Club-Alumni game next Saturday if plans of the league directors materialize.

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The Christian Brothers' College Juniors were too much for the St. Johns High School midgets and the latter went down to a 72 to 11 defeat in the local gymnasium last night. Captain McEntee, with 25 points to his credit, was high man of the match, with his teammates, Clifford and Dooling, next with 16 points each. The lineups follow:

Juniors (72)		Midgets (11)
Clifford (16)	F	Phillips (8)
Capt. McEntee (25)	F	Capt. DuPuy
Dooling (16)	C	Larson (1)
Houck (6)	G	Hawkins (2)
Nygren (10)	G	Swisher

Ben Chappelle, referee.

Junction City to Play Eugene.

JUNCTION CITY, Or., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The Junction City High School team will play the Eugene team here Saturday. A game was scheduled with Harrisburg but was canceled because the Harrisburg team was disabled. The locals have played five games. Their schedule follows: February 5, double-header with Pleasant Hill in Junction City; February 12, double-header with Creswell, Junction City; February 20, double with Creswell at Creswell; February 26, no game. The managers are endeavoring to schedule a game with the Albany High School team.

FEDERATION TO GET HALL

State Societies Asked to Aid in Entertaining Club Delegates.

At the meeting of the board of governors of the Federated States Societies held last night in the Library it was decided to obtain the use of a hall as a location for all state society meetings. A committee will investigate and the hall selected will be announced shortly. Phil Bates presided.

Mrs. Bertha Taylor Voorhorst, who represented Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs, asked the club presidents for the co-operation of their organizations in entertaining the National Council of the Federated Women's Clubs that will meet here next June.

The City Beautiful committee asked the state societies to plant flowers representing their states for decoration during the Summer.

LINCOLN DAY PLANS MADE

Addresses to School Children and Armory Programme Decided On.

Plans for the celebration of Lincoln's birthday were discussed at the meeting of the Lincoln Memorial Society held in room 575 of the Courthouse last night. It was decided to celebrate in the same way as heretofore with addresses by the various members of the society to the school children of the city and by a programme at the Armory. A committee on arrangements was appointed.

The society has about 100 members.

The meeting last night was a short one, only important business matters coming before the body.

Sisterhood Lunch Today.

The regular P. E. O. luncheon will be held today at 12:30 o'clock in the Olds, Wortman & King tearoom. All visiting members of the sisterhood are invited.

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Th' man that starts out with a candle to find a leak in th' gas, gets quick results, but they ain't satisfactory!

Velvet Joe

VELVET, The Smoothest Smoking Tobacco, is the *slowly acquired* result of more than 2 years' curing of Kentucky "Burley de Luxe."

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