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## RODGERS SURE OF PLACE IN MAJORS

 Few Recruits as Fortunate as ex-Beaver When Sent to Big League Teams.

### M'CREDIE TO BE THANKED

Sale of Lajoie to Athletics Makes Vacancy on Cleveland Team and Walt Fixes It So Bill Can Get It Without Fight.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. William K. Rodgers, bear hunter extraordinary and erstwhile member of the Portland Coast champs of 1911, 1912 and 1914, not to mention 1912. when the Beavers were not champs, occupies a unique position in the base-

occupies a unique position in the ball universe.

Of all the army of the unemployed recruits advancing to the majors this spring Bill is the sole candidate to have his job cinched already.

Charley Somers fixed it for "Cap" when he sold Larry Lajole to the Athletics for the price of a pair of galoshes. Of course, Bill can thank Walter McCredie, because it was Walt's indorsement that put Bill in right originally.

indersement that put but in recruits originally.

Few indeed have been the recruits who have not had to fight for regular big league jobs.

Bill Speas went up to the St. Louis Cardinals a couple of years ago and Huggins diont even give him one tryout as a regular. Bill was shipped back to Portland and all he did was to hit about .322 in the Coast League that hit about .322 in the Coast League that

Ping Bodie sat on the White Sox bench for months. One day a friend happened in from San Francisco and induced Comiskey to give him a trial. induced Comissey to give him a trial. Ping electrified everybody by nearly breaking down the fences and that gave him a regular job. It he had had a couple of bad days doubtless Ping would have been returned to San

Ping would have been returned to San Francisco months ago.
But to get back to the Clevelands. Terry Turner succeeded a bunch of mediocre shortstops when he joined the team in 1994 and Manager Armour simply handed him the Job. Almost 10 years later Ray Chapman received the same consideration, yet Ray had to show class over Olson and Peckin-paugh before he had his place cinched. Aside from these two and Joe Jackson, however, few minor leaguers have had

Aside from these two and Joe Jackson, however, faw minor lenguers have had such cinches with the erstwhile Naps. Ivan Olson had to fight it out with Knaupp before he became a regular. Good as George Stovall was, he had to chase such men as Schwartz, Carr. Hickman, Lister, Daubert, Hinchman and Hohnhurst. Doe Johnson had to oust Art Griggs before he grabbed a berth.

Jack Graney and Leibold and all that crew were forced to go the acid test, and hence Rodgers ought to consider himself an extremely fortunate person.

Patsy O'Rourke is in another row, this time with Wichita. Venice traded Patsy to Louisville last Winter and finally Joe landed at Wichita and was made manager. During the Winter a new boss took held of the team, made Cylde Wares, of St. Louis, manager, and the ex-Oaklander promptly sent the ex-Sacraments and Venice infielder a contract cut almost in two. Of course O'Rourke is sore and doubtless wil ask for and receive a conditional release. Patsy is wintering in Philadelphia.

If Walter McCredie were managing

Til beat him out."

Tyrus Cobb has recommended a college catcher to his brother financier, Henry Berry, owner of the Scale. His name is Ed Brennan. Here's what the famous Detroit pitcher says of him:

"Friend Berry: I just dropped into Detroit on business and met a college friend of mins. Ed Brennan, I want to recommend him to you as a swell catcher and a good hitter. I have played exhibition games against him and know what he can do. He has just decided to play professional ball and has retused offers to go South and he wants to play in the West. I feel sure you will make no mistake in signing him.

TY COBE."

CLUB FETE IS ENJOYED

### Three Organizations Have Merry Time With Boxing and Music.

The Oregon Yacht Club's "at home, held in the clubrooms Saturday night, was a "regular" affair, for from 8 until 12 o'clock there was not a dull minute. Boxing bouts, in which Dr. R. M. Einerson acted as referee, Judge, time-keeper and announcer, had a principal continuous that a principal continuous the secretary of the secret

position on the programme.

Between rounds Andy Loney and his orchestra dispensed all forms of music for the invited guests of the Portland Rowing and Motorboat Clubs, Monoed, and plenty of "eats" were pro-

"It was a howling success from every point of view," said Dr. Emerson after the gathering had dispersed, "and it may be just the beginning of great limes between the three cluba."

MCREDIE SIGNS KID CATCHER

Two Philadelphia Shortstops Will

Surely Report, Says Message. After some hard siedding on the part of the Philadelphia club, Shortstops Reed and Murphy finally have come Reed and Murphy finally have come into camp and are ready to come West

lub, yesterday telling him that all was vell with his two recruits. Neal made a special trip to Atlanta to get Reed's came to a contract. Murphy is winter-

ing at Indianapolis.

"It was up to the Philadelphia club, not me," said McCredie. "I gave Eancroft to them and Reed and Murphy were to be given to me as part pay-

Manager McCredie announced that a Los Angeles kid catcher, Billy Widner, by name, would be with the Beavers at Fresno in March. at Fresno in March.
Widner has been catching for Munn's
Tigers, a Los Angeles semi-professional
club. Barth, the other young catcher
McCredie was after, has been signed by

HIGH GUN SCORES RECORDED

Bad Weather Holds Attendance Be low Mark.

Although only 19 shooters were out at the Portland Gun Club grounds at fenne Station yesterday, the scores for the most part were exceptionally high. McKean made the best showing with

C McKear made the best showing with an average of 94 per cent.

Because of the rain and wind the attendance was somewhat slim. Manager Mattilews was unable to tell last night just how much was obtained for the road fund. Four women were out, Miss Gladys Reid being the best among them with 52 per cent.

Following were the scores made yesterday: C. McKean 94, Blair 92, E. Morris 87, Rayburn 82, Strowger 73, Feller 84, J. Morris 73, Pollock 75, Seavey 59, J. Reid 82, A. Seguin 77, Eikenberger 70, E. Keller 86, Dennis Holohan 88, G. A. Keller 55, Mrs. O'Brien 42, Miss Reid 52, Mrs. Keller 40 and Mrs. Dolph 40. 40 and Mrs. Dolph 40.

### MORMONS GET YINGLING

CINCINNATI SOUTHPAW AND OUT FIELDER IS BOUGHT.

Blankenship Also Telegraphs That He Has Closed Deal for Purchase of Laroy From Indianapolis,

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 31.— (Special.)—Cliff Blankenship, manager of the Salt Lake City Coast League team, telegraphed tonight that he had closed deals for the purchase of Earl Yingling, southpaw and pinch-hitter of the Cincinnati "Reds," and Louis Laroy, pitcher of the Indianapolis club. Blank-enship added that he was leaving Cin-cinnati for Chicago, and would return to Salt Lake about Saturday. He said

to Salt Lake about Saturday. He said his team will be a sure enough Coast League pennant contender, and that everything is in readiness for the training season at San Jose.

Blankenship spent three days in Cincinnati angling for Yingling. While the terms of the deal were not told in Blankenship's telegram, the officials of the local club said that a good price would be paid the Cincinnati player. Yingling was with Brooklyn in 1913, and started with Cincinnati lats season. He was on the "Red" pitching staff until along in July, when he was transferred to the outfield and used as a ferred to the outfield and used as a

pinch hitter.

Laroy also is considered to be a pitcher of marked ability and a valuable asset to the local club.

Blankenship, it is expected, will remain in Chicago several days before

leaving for Salt Lake. Inasmuch as he has not as yet acquired the infelder that he needs, it is believed here that he will try to make a deal with one of the Chicago major league managers. As soon as Blankenship returns the board of directors will meet with him and go over the plans for the new ball park. This meeting is scheduled for

## PORTLAND BOYS ACTIVE

Saturday

DICK GRANT AND ROBERT KROHN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Only a point separates each of the first three class A clubs in the competition for the intercine gallery rifle shooting cham-pionship of the United States after the first six of the scheduled matches. Cleveland leads with 5948 points: Bridgeport is second with 5947; Kings Mills, O., third with 5945, and Warren. Mills, O., third with 5346, and Warren, Pn., with 5343 points, is fourth.
Class B.—Madison, Wis., 976, vs. Louisville (Swiss), 923; Hopkins, Minn., 957, vs. Milwaukee, 947; Youngstown, 974, vs. Tacoma, 948; Marion, 976, vs. Watertown, N. Y., 958; St. Louis, 871, vs. Indianapolis, 940; Bangor, 985, vs. Des Moines, 958.

St. Helens 44, Dental College 12.

ST. HELENS, Or., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—The St. Helens Sunset Athletic Club defeated the North Pacific Dental College, of Portland, in a basketball game here Friday night by a score of 44 to 12. The dental college team had defeated the fast Stilettos, of Portland, who in turn had defeated the St. Hel-ens team two weeks ago. This puts the St. Helens boys into the recognition class and they should give the St. Johns team and Multnoman Club team good battle.

Marshfield High 12, East Side 10.

MARSHFIELD, Or. Jan. 31.— (Special.)— In the basketball games here stant following of these that is stant following of the stant following of the stant following of the stant following of the stant Walter McCredie received a telegram sided contest. The games were play from Billy Neal, of the Philadelphia in the new High School gymnasium.

# 'RUBE' AND EX-FOE NOW IN SAME CLUB

Christy Mathewson Recalls How Lobert Told Marquard He Was "Busher."

EXPRESSED | Time for 100-Yard Hurdles Also Is SORROW

McGraw, on First Real Vacation, Praised for His Great Optimism in Face of Defeats-Liberality Makes Him Poor.

BY CHRISTY MATHEWSON, The Giant's Pamous Pitcher, NEW YORK, Jan. 31,-(Special.)-It's a funny thing that Lobert, who was largely instrumental in giving "Rube" Marquard his bad start with the Glants, should have finally joined the same club. Lobert shot the words at Marquard which seared into his brain and heart when he pitched the opening game of his big league career for the giants. It was late in the sea-son of 1908 and Cincinnati was play-ing us a double-header at the Polo Grounds, a most critical double-header. Marquard had started the first game and hit a couple of batters and walked another, as I recall it. Lobert stepped up to bat.

"Now. you him 'Eube." he made for the giants. It was late in the sea

up to bat.

"Now, you big 'Rube,'" he said,
"we'll see whether you are a busher."

He bit one for three bases, and, as
he stopped at third, he looked at
"Rube" and mournfully remarked:

"Yes, I guess you are."

It cut, and Marquard always remembered it. for if the Giants had won that game, we would have won the championship. When Marquard hit his championship. When Marquard hit his championship. When Marquard hit his stride almost two years later, he caught it against the Phillies on the Fourth of July, and he made Lobert look bad that day.

"What do you think new? Am I a busher?" Marquard asked Lobert.
Honus was talking about this incident the other day while we were playing golf down here in Havana.

"I have always been corry," he declared, "that I took after Rube' that clared, "that I took after Rube' that since and certainly has fought his way back."

The European war has complicated matters and there is much doubt regarding the propriety of requesting international tennis contests while it is on. Similar challenges from the other nations represented in this city Friday. The question as to the advisability of challenging Australasia for the Davis cup in 1915 and the awarding of the National Lawn Tennis Association in this city Friday. The question as to the advisability of challenging Australasia for the Davis cup in 1915 and the awarding of the National Lawn Tennis association in this city Friday. The question as to the advisability of challenging Australasia for the Davis cup in 1915 and the awarding of the National Lawn Tennis association in this city Friday. The question as to the advisability of challenging Australasia for the Davis cup in 1915 and the awarding of the National championship tournament will occupy the attention of the delegates for two or three days.

The supporters of Newport and New York are waging a hot campaign for the privilege of staging the all-comers' tourney. With the selection of a club for the annual title play, the Davis cup situation will be carefully considered.

The European war has complicated matters and there is much doubt reading the propriety of requesting in the propriety of requesting in the propriety of requesting in the propriety of requesting in

Henrt in Every Task.

Heart in Every Task.

Lobert is a hard player, but he would never do anything intentionally to hurt anyone. Whatever he tries to do, he puts his whole heart into, but he believes in giving the other fellow every chance. There were some field sports at the Polo Grounds on an off day, just before the world's series in 1914, and Lobert, being a fast man, ran "Jim" Thorpe, the great Indian athlete, a race acros the park. The night before the race, McGraw was "kidding" Lobert about it. Honus started to break away to go to bed.

"Are you training for the race, "Dutch'?" asked McGraw.

"I am going to get my rest if I have to run that Indian, because I want to beat him." replied Lobert. "I wouldn't go in it if I didn't think I was faster." "I don't." answered McGraw.

But Lobert beat Thorpe the next day, getting the jump on him at the start. When the two teams, which made the trip around the world last Winter, were traveling across the continent, I went along as far as California. In Texas, a race was arranged around the bases between Lobert and

tinent, I went along as far as California. In Texas, a race was arranged around the bases between Lobert and a cow pony. Honus took this just as seriously as he did a ball game and beat the pony, being faster on the turns. He is taking golf just as seriously down here in Cuba. It requires this quality of concentration to make anyone a star at any sport. That is why Lobert is good at almost everything he tries.

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If Walter McGredic were managing the San Francisco Seals the outfield would line up on opening day as follows: Fitagerald, right field is Bodic center field, and Sealier, left field.

"Meleon is a good little balk in the old short right field park next year and that will add 25 points to Schaller's average. Schaller is a heavier hitter than Meleon."

McGredic docent think Welverton McGredic docent think Welverton McGredic docent think Welverton and predicts that the men to go will be Coy, Mundorff, Baerwald and Tobin. Be Coy, Mundorff, Baerwald and Tobin. Blick Giant, who was placed in the 23d last year in the big meet has recovered from the injury he received at Stamper and is looked. Astoria last Summer and is looked. The control of the Meleon. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. Astoria last Summer and is looked. Astoria last Summer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. Astoria last Summer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer and is looked. The covered from the injury he received at Stummer

Happy Hogan has given to "Speck"
Harkness the privilege of placing himself the strong of the second of speed this work of the place. The Verlie pitcher thinks it is all a bluff on Hogan's part to bulkloze him into signing for a cut in salary. "Speck" is wintering in Portland.

If confidence counts for aught Bobby Cottrin will play short for the Portland Coasters this year. Nick Williams received a letter yesterday from Bobby, dated at San Jose, and among other things the tow-head scribbled, this paragraph appeared.

"I am down to weight aready and it is going to take the champion short steam next year. Even then I think I'll beat him out."

Tyrus Cobb has recommended a college freeder to his brother financies, Henry Berry, owner of the Scala, Ris name is Ed Brennan, Here's wint the famous Detroit pitcher says of him: "Friend Berry; I just dropped into Detroit on business and met a college friend of mine, Ed Brennan, I want to recommend him to you as a swell catched on mine, Ed Brennan, I want to recommend him to you as a swell catched on mine, Ed Brennan, I want to recommend him to you as a swell catched on mine, Ed Brennan, I want to recommend him to you as a swell catched on mine, Ed Brennan, I want to recommend him to you as a swell catched on mine, Ed Brennan, I want to recommend him to you as a swell catched to play professional ball and has relived offers to go South and he wants to play in the West. I feel sure you will make no mistake ke in significant him and know what he can de. He has just decided to play professional ball and has relived offers to go South and he wants to play in the West. I feel sure you will make no mistake ket he has just here in the compellition for the in the last two months and know what he can de. He has just decided to play professional ball and has relived offers to go South and he wants to play in the West. I feel sure you will make no mistake the significant her

within a few days.

STEVENSON TEAM WINS AGAIN

Basketball League.

umbia River League.

The standing of the league is as fol-

WHITMAN TO GO TO MOSCOW

Basketball Coach Says He Doesn's Expect Many Victories.

year."

And I don't doubt but that he was figuring on his team right then. He had passed up a \$200 supper in Boston, because he said he had no time to waste on trifles, but must get down to work. After his defeat for the National League pennant last Fall, he announced that he intended to spend his Winter at his desk in New York, strengthening his team.

First Vacation Taken

"I'm not going to give them a chance to trade me out of any more players this year," he declared. "I came back from my trip last Spring to find Herzog traded to Cincinnati and Shafer sulking in Los Angeles and I had no seasoned third baseman."

This trip to Havana is McGraw's first real vacation. When McGraw gets knocked down, he is on his feet again a minute, fishling all the harder.

think you are.
Although McGraw has been success-Although according to the money he has baid in baseball, his success cannot be measured by the money he has laid by. Always he has befriended the "broke" ball player, and he has a constant following of these that he stakes "I guess he's got a little money." I have heard him make that answer.

"Mac" has made big money in base-ball—bigger than any other manager or player—but he is extremely liberal. Unlike "Connic" Mack and many other managers, he is not well fixed, outside of what he actually earns. I'll waser that "Connic" Mack could almost get a rating in Bradstreet. Any number of

Jefferson Basket Tossers Derating in Bradstreet. Any number o rating in Bradstreet. Any number of ball players are worth more in actual cash than McGraw. Some time ago, there was talk of a fund to buy a plot in a cemetery where ball players, who died "broke," could be buried. McGraw was one of the prime movers in the feat McMinnville High.

proposal.
"If I were to die tonight," he de-clared, "I guess you would have to bury me there." SCHEDULE IS STRENUOUS

TWO-MILE WALK RECORD SET Lincoln and Franklin High Socces Teams Meet This Afternoon on Multnomah Field in Interscholastic Contest.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—An American record for the two-mile indoor walk, 13 minutes 35 2-5 seconds, was made last night by George H. Golding, of the Toronto Y. M. C. A., at the games of the Diocesan Union, in Brooklyn. This Coach Jamison and his Jefferson High Golding bettered his former i, made March 30, 1912, by 3 1-5 John J. Eller, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, New York, made a new American record in the 100-yard hurdles, covering the distance in 11 4-5

Jefferson (18)

CHALLENGE FOR DAVIS CUP. A strenuous basketball schedule has been arranged for the Jefferson High School team by Manager Maurice. The squad will leave Portland for Tillamook Thursday and will play two matches in the coast town. The first against the Tillamook High, will be played Friday night, and the second affair the night following. ustralians Drilling Team to Replace Soldler Champions, but Play May Not Be Forced During War. NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Business of far more than usual importance will be discussed at the annual meeting of

The first amateur baseball team The first amateur baseball team and Portland to start operations this season is the John S. Beall nine, which won the city championship in 1912 and 1913. New suits for the boys, ordered by Mr. Beall, will be here about the middle of the month. If the boys show up to good advantage during the season, Managed advantage during the season, Managed and the season, Managed and the season, Managed and the season of the season the National Lawn Tennis Association in this city Friday. The question as to the advisability of challenging Australasia for the Davis cup in 1915 and the awarding of the National champlonship tournament will occupy the attention of the delegates for two or ager Ankelis says they will be taken ager Ankelis says they will be take to San Francisco to play the Newsboys at the fair. Abe Popick, one of the best third basemen among the amateur teams of the city, is stated to try out with the Beall team, and several other promising players also will get trials.

ment are out of the question.

Advices from Australasia would appear to indicate that the opinion prevalls in Australia and New Zealand that one or more such challenges will be received. Apparently the Antipodean floor in a long time. The lineups fol

Columbia (15)
Capt. Schmi
William
F. Jacobberge be received. Apparently the Antipocean association is not counting upon Wilding and Brookes, who won the trophy for defense, since both are serving with British regiments of home guard corps. A new quartet is being drilled for the cup play in the persons of Arthur O'Hara Wood, Geraid Patterson, J. O.

O'Hara Wood, Gerald Patterson, J. O. Anderson and A. B. Jones.
Wood recently won the singles championship of Australasia and Patterson and Ashley Campbell are the doubles champions for 1914. Patterson, who is not 29 years old, though beaten in the final singles contest in 1914 by Wood, has the distinction of having defeated Heath in straight sets. Wood's ground strokes on the forehand are clearly modeled after those of Wilding Captain Tannensee and his Lincoln High School soccerities will be seen in action for the first time this season in a regularly scheduled Interscholastic League game, when his team hooks up with the new Franklin High eleven. The contest will be played on Multnomah field and will start at 2.45 o'clock this afternoon. Such well-known stars as Lowell Paget, Captain Tannensee, Harold Wellyerton, Busch brothers and Fret Holt are slated to appear in the Lincoln High lineup. ground strokes on the forehand are clearly modeled after those of Wilding and are full of force, and he employs rising ball shots more frequently than any other Australasian player, except Brookes. Patterson's strength lies in his service, which is one of the best in the world. The tennis experts of Australia are calling him a second Mc-

> No basketball game will be played in the Portland Interscholastic Lengue this week because of the holidays be-tween terms. Two were scheduled, but were switched. The only activity slater s the three soccer games and Columbia vs. Portland Acad day and Columbia vs. Fortiand cade-emy Wednesday afternoon, and Jeffer-son vs. Washington Friday afternoon. All will be played on Multnomah field, which has been declared the official gridiron of the circuit. No admittance fee will be collected from students in god standing in the athletic associa tions of the various institutions.

> ORIGINAL DRILLS TO BE SEEN

Original gymnastic drills and dan will be featured in the annual exhibition of the Portland Social Turn Verei be held in the Heilig Theater nex Sunday. Professor Genserowski, who is in charge of the work, has had his classes out each day, and the coming event is expected to be one of the best performances over given under the aus of the Portland Social Turn

Eighth Victory Secures Leadership of STEVENSON, Wash., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—The Stevenson High School basketball team won its eighth consecutive victory on its floor Friday, when it defeated The Dalles High School team by a score of 35 to 14. The game was the fourth in the Control of North Acade.

ST. LOUIS FED TRIP ARRANGED

Team Will Leave for Havana February 27, Jones Announces.

The Dalles 0 1 000
The visiting team played an excellent game and exhibited some splendid team work. Manager Ginder, of the locals, said today that he would like to schedule a game with Jefferson High School, of Portland. nounced upon his return here last night from Havana, Cuba, that his team would depart for Havana February 27, and would complete its training there April The Federals will play the f Havana on Saturdays, Sundays, Mon-

of Havana on Saturadys, Sundays, and thursdays.

Branch Rickey, manager of the St. Louis Americans, left for Houston, Tex., to complete arrangements for the Spring training of his club near that city.

sog traded to Cincinnati and Shafer sulking in Los Angeles and I had no seasoned third baseman."

This trip to Havana is McGraw's first real vacation. When McGraw gets knocked down, he is on his feet again in a minute, fighting all the harder. That has been his record all the way, and that is largely accountable for his big success in baseball. You can't keep him down, and it is not a bad rule to follow in any pursuit in life. Try it. You are never kicked as hard as you think you are.

Although McGraw has been success.

Monday morning for Moscow, where the moscow, where the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the first conference series of the season for the missionaries will be played the the University of Idaho.

Coach Applegate said today that he does not expect to win many games on the trip north.

The men had their last hard scrimming at 10 o'clock.

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Mil Waukie, this morning at 10 o'clock.

Red shafted flickers are protected with killing red shafted flickers. He will be tried before you with killing red shafted flickers are will be tried before you with killing red shafted flickers.

M. C. A. quintet. Many shifts were made in the lineur, Those who will be tried before you with killing red shafted flickers are will be tried befo

ASHLAND, Or., Jan. 31.—(Special.)—
In the fourth game of the high school series played here last night, Ashland defeated both of Central Point's basketball teams, the boys by a score of 3s to 12 and the girls 13 to 2. In the fifth game teams from Willamette points will be invited to participate.

Pigeon Club to Meet.

The Northwest Squab and Pigeon Club will meet in its rooms, 527 Chamber of Commerce tonight at 8 o'clock. It is the regular monthly meeting. The question of obtaining trademarks and labels for squabs will be discussed thoroughly. C. A. Warren is president and H. J. Hamber of the president and H. J

School basket tossers returned from McMinnville, Or., yesterday, after having given an 18-to-10 defeat to the McMinnville High School quintet Saturday night. Bennie Calvin was the big star for Jefferson High and his opponent, Pearson, was the best for McMinn.

ville:
A return contest will be played in Portland, February 26, according to Manager Maurice, of Jefferson High. Following are the lineups of Saturday wight? night's game

Shawver (S. Pearson (7. Wood 

Columbia University's basketball tea Columbia University's basketball team lost to the Sellwood Swastikas, 39 to 15 in the Sellwood Y. M. C. A. Saturday night. The guarding of Captain Wetle and Steinhauer was the feature of the contest. The collegians were permitted to make only four field baskets. The free throwing of Captain Schmitt, of Columbia, was about the best that has been seen on the Sellwood Y. M. C. A. floor in a long time. The lineups fol-

Steinbauer Referee, Trumble. Substitutions, L. for Williams, Waltz for Jacobberger, Entee for Bloch.

Captain Tannensee and his Lincoln

Manager John D. Dwyer, of the sec-ond Multnomah Club basketball team and Manager Trumble, of the Sellwood and Manager Francis, or the Sawastikas, finally have agreed to match their teams. The game will be played in the Multnomah Club gymnasium as a preliminary to the University of Oregon-Multnomah Club match Thursday night. The first game will start at 15th Collock. :45 o'clock.

Turn Verein Will Give Exhibition a

Heilig Theater Sunday. varieti, a well-known spoans to bail official, who has been the owner of the Fort Wayne club for a number of years, today gave an option on his holdings to Charles L. Biederwolf, secretary of the Fort Wayne Commercial Club. It is expected that the deal will be completed

Verein.

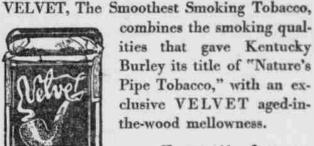
A special flag drill will be an added attraction, as well as the young men's classes which won honors at the meeting in Los Angeles and Denver during the last two seasons. Most of the Turners to participate Sunday will represent the local society at the coming games at the San Francisco fair.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—Fielder A. Jones nanager of the St. Louis Federals, an

KILLING FLICKERS ALLEGED

Boring Man Arrested on Charge of Shooting Protected Birds.

LIKE th' Irishman sez: "One man's ez good ez another an' a durn sight better." Anyway, one man can't get no better tobacco 'n another ef they both get VELVET.



Liggette Myers Tobacca Ca.

TOBACCO

Late J. E. Sullivan's Charts Tell Story of Records.

TIME SINCE 1888 COVERED

Figures for 100-Yard Dash, Hurdle and Distance Runs Cut and Improvement Made in Nearly All Other Lines, Too.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—An excellent idea of the progress made in athletic competition during the past 20-odd years is given in a series of charts prepears is given in a sullivan just pre-pared by James E. Sullivan just pre-vious to his death. The founder of the Amateur Athletic Union worked out the advance in each track and field event since the organization of the Amateur Athletic Union in 1888.

Athletic Union in 1888.

The 100-yard dash figures were reduced from 10 seconds flat to 3 4-5 seconds by J. Owens, Jr., in 1896. For 15 years they remained there, seven sprinters tying the time in that period. In 1806 D. J. Kelly cut another one-fifth of a second off the record, and last year Howard P. Draw causied In 1906 D. J. Kelly cut another one-fifth of a second off the record, and last year Howard P. Drew equaled Kelly's figures. The, 220-yard record, held at 22 seconds by Wendell Baker in 1898, was cut to 211-5 seconds by Bernle Wefers in 1898, and five run-ners have tied these figures since that date.

Haker also held the one-fourth-mile figures of 47% seconds from 1888 to 1990, when Maxey Long cut the record to 47 seconds flat. This time has stood for 14 years without being equaled.

Hurdles Time Reduced. The 120-yard hurdles was set at 15
2-5 seconds by S. Chase in 1895. Three years later Alvin Kraenzlein cut a —The Sunset Athletic Club bassball fith of a second off these figures, which team defeated the North Pacific Dental

only one hurdler, J. I. Wendell, has equaled 23 3-5 seconds. In the distance runs W. G. George held the mile record at 4 minutes, 21 2-5 seconds from 1882 to 1895, when Tommy Conneff did 4 minutes, 15 2-5 seconds. In 1911 John Paul Johns cut the time to 4 minutes, 15 2-5 seconds from 1882 to 1895, when Tommy Conneff did 4 minutes, 15 2-5 seconds. In 1911 John Paul Johns cut the time to 4 minutes, 15 2-5 seconds and two years later lapped another second off the record and that time still stands as the best ever made in the event.

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Eddle Carter set the five-mile fig-ares at 25 minutes, 23 2-5 seconds in 1887. This stood for 29 years. In the 1887. This stood for 20 years. In the past seven years the record has been lowered thre times, the present holder being H, Kolchmainen, who ran the distance in 24 minutes, 29 1-5 seconds in 1913. Carter and Willie Day In turn set the 10-mile record, the former at 52 minutes, 58 3-5 seconds, in 1885. and the latter at 52 minutes, 28 2-5 seconds, in 1895. Not until 1909 did George Bonhag surpass Day's time. Kolchmainen set the present time of 51 minutes, 3 2-5 seconds two years ago.

High Jumpers Make Gains, In the field events advancement has been along similar lines. W. B. Page set the high jump figures at 6 feet, inches in 1887. Mike Swenney raised them to 6 feet, 5 5-8 inches in 1895. George Horing did 6 feet, 7 inches in 1912 and Ed Beeson added 5-16 of an inch to Horing's record hast season. In the broad jump there was a gain of 1 foot, 414 inches hetween 1886, when Malcolm Ford did 23 feet, 2 inches, and

1990, when Myer Prinstein cleared 2s feet, 73; inches.

In the hop, step and jump Ford set the record at 44 feet 1% inches in 1885 and D. J. Ahearn holds the record to day with 5e feet, 11 inches.

In the pole vault eight have held the record since 1887, when Hugh Bakter cleared the bar at 11 feet. 5 inches. Today the record is 13 feet 2½ inches and is held by M. S. Wright.

The giants who tons the 5s-pound weight have gained 14 feet. 2½ inches since 1884, when C. A. J. Queckberner's throw of 26 feet 2½ inches was considered remarkable.

The shot-put record in 1887 was held by G. Gray at 42 feet, 11 inches. Today Raiph Rose is credited with 21 feet flat, made in 1995. This gain was made by three performers, Gray, Rose and Con. Rose is dead but it is flight their that

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WEONAS TAKE SOCCER GAMES

Beavers Are Shut Out in Contest on Columbia University Field.

"Scotty" Duncan's Archer & Wiggins Weonus defeated the Beavers in a one-sided soccer gams on the Columbia. University campus yesterday. The score was 6 to 0. Five of the scores were made in the first half, two by Sam Duncan, two by McNamara and one by Wright. The other score was one by Wright. The other seure was made in the last half by Sam Duncan. For the Weonas, both Duncans, Riggs and Wright starred, while for the Beavers. Inkster, Stevenson and Young did the best playing.

The lineups:

DENTISTS LOSE AT ST. HELENS

Sunset Club Team Beats North Pacific College, 44 to 12.

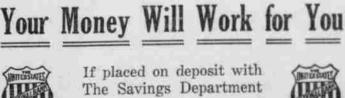
WALLACE, Idaho, Jan. 31.—(Special.)
—Frank Barrieau, the Vancouver welterweight, knocked out Joe Swain, the
'hattling butcher" of Portland, last
night in the 11th round of a scheduled

15-round contest.
Only Swain's recuperative powers, ability to take punishment and his covering saved him from an earlier defeat Pool Champ to Give Exhibitions. Roy Le Due, claimant of the Pacific

coast pool championship, will give ex-bitions and meet all corners at the white House billiard parlors, 163 courth street, in February. ICE SKATING HIPPODROME

Dully, 19 A. M., 3 P. M., 8 P. M.

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