DERRICK IN CAMP; CARISCH IS, TOO

First Sacker and Catcher Arrive at Fresno After Strenuous Journeys.

NEW BACKSTOP PRAISED

Ex-Cleveland Man Will Be One of Best in League, Avers Derrick, Who Adds He Will Sign at Slight Salary Advance.

FRESNO, Cal., March 8.—(Special.)—Fred B. Derrick and Fred B. Carisch, first baseman and catcher, respectively, arrived in training camp today, and will be out for practice tomorrow. Derrick came from Clayton, Ga., and Carisch, accompanied by his wife, comes from Hudson, Wis. Both men report hard trips en route, both being on the road five days.

Derrick's arrival puts to an end a long series of negotiations between himself and McCredie. Derrick was to have figured in a trade with St. Louis, but through a misunderstanding could not reach an agreement with McCredie.

Derrick said today that he would sign a contract before the season opened at a slight increase in salary.

Carisch comes from the Cleveland Americans, with whom he played for the past three seasons. Carisch is a well-put-up man and is the largest of the squad with the exception of Leonard and Barnes. McCredie has already assured Carisch a steady position with the club. He will relieve Gus Fisher behind the bat. Carisch is expected to work in about half the games.

Two Are Old Pals.

Derrick and Carisch are old pals, having played on the Toledo American Association club for a season together. Carisch went from the Indianapolis American Association at the opening of the 1911 season, and was then traded to the Cleveland Americans. He went to Cleveland about the middle of the 1912 season. Derrick is enthusiastic in his praise of Carisch. He believes that the new catcher will be one of the best backstops of the league, and will have no difficulty in holding the base-runners of other clubs close to first.

Carisch is a quiet, unassuming sort of a young man and does not care to talk for publication to any great degree.

"McCredie seems to have a fine lot of ballplayers," said Carisch, "and from the way the men feel I should judge that the club will be right at the top fighting for the pennant every minute. What impresses me is the fine weather you have in this district. A player should have no difficulty in getting into condition in a short time."

Derrick's Trip Strenuous.

"The trip from Georgia to Fresno was a rather strenuous one," said Derrick.

"I left Atlanta last Wednesday and did not arrive in Los Angeles until late Saturday. I missed connections and consequently did not arrive here until today. We encountered considerable snow in the mountains, and on several occasions our train was delayed."

Both Derrick and Carisch have been working out at their homes and will be in condition in a week or so. Fine weather for Spring training has been experienced since the training camp opened, today proving the best day of the lot. The sun beamed down on the ballplayers, making it almost uncomfortably warm. The first real perspiration of the training season was produced.

Continuous sunshine has completely dried out the diamond, which was saturated by a three weeks' rain. Groundkeepers are having a tough job weeding out the California poppies that persist in springing up in the outfield.

Poppy Picking Is Fad.

From the grandstand the outfield presents a sea of deep orange and gold tinge. Poppy picking has become a fad of the players in training.

McCredie changed his mind again yesterday and decided that there would be one practice instead of two. Consequently the squad was out from 11 until 1 o'clock, when work for the day was discontinued.

"The boys have been at it rather steadily for the past week," explained Mack, "and I do not wish to overwork them."

A myriad of sore arms and legs have appeared as the result of strenuous workouts. These will disappear in a few days, however, as weather conditions are highly satisfactory. No rain has fallen since camp was opened.

SALT LAKE TRIMS WHITE SOX

Blankenship Uses Star Men and Succeeds in Winning, 5 to 3.

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 8.—(Special.)—Cliff Blankenship put his best foot forward this afternoon, anxious to win for the benefit of his Salt Lake constituency. He put into the game not alone his star twirler, Lefty Williams, but followed him up with the right-hander, by that same name. What is more, he had scattered in the outfield and closed in around the diamond pretty much the club that will represent Mormonville when the season gets to going.

It proved a successful twist, as the White Sox were licked, 5 to 3. The Mormon infield, and this was particularly true of Billy Orr's work around short, was anything but a sizzler, and the aggregation will have to do far better work to keep in the Coast League race.

Ed Walsh had so little on the ball the wonder is he escaped as luckily as he did.

Ray Demmitt, an outfielder by occupation, who pitched out the game, had nothing to conceal and no windup.

Lefty Williams pitched good ball and never should have been scored against. The score:

Chicago—	B	H	O	A	E	Salt Lake—	B	H	O	A	E
Berger,2..	4	0	2	1	0	Shinn,r....	4	1	4	0	0
Hilkburn,s	4	0	4	3	0	Orr,s.....	4	2	1	3	2
Roth,m...	4	1	4	1	0	Zacher,m..	4	2	4	0	0
Fournier,1	2	1	0	0	0	Ryan,l....	4	2	3	0	0
Bohen,r...	2	1	3	0	0	Tennant,1.	4	1	8	0	1
D'mitt,lp	4	2	0	1	0	Harbourd,3.	4	0	1	2	0
Daly,c....	4	1	4	1	0	Gedeon,2..	2	0	3	4	0
Breton,3..	3	0	3	0	0	Hannah,c..	3	2	3	1	1
Kuhn,r,l..	4	1	3	0	0	C.Wil'ms,p	1	1	0	2	0
Walsh,p,l.	4	0	1	1	1	Gay.....	1	0	0	0	0
						L.Wil'ms,p	1	0	0	1	0
Totals..	35	7	24	8	1	Totals..	32	11	27	13	4

*Batted for C. Williams in fifth.

Chicago	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0—	3
Hits	0	1	0	3	0	1	1	1	0—	7
Salt Lake	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	*—	5
Hits	3	2	1	0	0	3	1	1	*—	11

Runs, Roth, Bohen, Kuhn, Shinn, Orr, Ryan, Tennant, Gedeon. Two runs and 4 hits off C. Williams, 19 at bat, in 3 innings; 3 runs and 9 hits off Walsh, 24 at bat, in 6 innings. Credit victory to J. Williams. Charge defeat to Walsh. Two-base hits, Zacher, Bohen, Hannah. Sacrifice hits, Berger, Demmitt. Base on balls, off Walsh 1, off C. Williams 1. Struck out, by Walsh 2. Double play, Demmitt to Daly. Runs responsible for, Walsh 3, J. Williams 1. Wild pitch, Walsh. Umpire, McArdle.

ANGELS ARE BACK AT WORK

Team Has No Game for Day and Regular Practice Is Resumed.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 8.—(Special.)—Back to their regular practice went the Angels today. Frank Dillon, manager of the club, was glad there was no game scheduled, as he wants to brush up some of the players' work.

Al Buemiller, the new shortstop, was in uniform and worked hard. He has not done any work and his wind is bad. Judging by the way he has been working he will be in shape in a week.

Dad Meek also reported and showed that he has not lost his batting eye by poling a few safe hits.

A soccer game wound up the practice.

Tomorrow the Angels open with the Indianapolis club. After Wednesday's game the Indians will move over to the old Vernon Park for the balance of the week.

MILTON REED SAID TO BE FED

Player Joins Brooklyn Outlaws Instead of Beavers, Is Story.

No longer is the reason why Milton Reed did not report to the Portland Beavers according to schedule shrouded by mystery. He has jumped to the Federals. At least that is the report that an Eastern paper sends westward. Reed has signed up with the Brooklyn club of the new league, the report avers.

Recently Reed wrote to Judge McCredie, president of the Portland Coasters, "that certain things had arisen that would not permit his signing with the Portland team."

McCredie has heard nothing further from Reed and was surprised when told that Milton had gone over to the outlaws.

Byron Houck, member of the Brooklyn Feds, residing in Portland, said that he had not heard anything about Reed signing with the team.

PORTLAND SHOTS FIFTH

REVOLVER ASSOCIATION UNOFFICIAL STANDINGS OUT.

Springfield Leads, With 19 Victories and No Defeat, and Local Club Has 16 Victories to Three Defeats.

The Portland Revolver Club stands fifth in the unofficial standings of the United States Revolver Association just issued by Secretary J. B. Crabtree. Sixteen matches have been won and three are charged as defeats. Pittsburg has won one more contest than the locals, while the Manhattan representatives have four setbacks marked against them.

The Portlanders have contested in 21 matches, but two of them have not been settled one way or the other as yet. In match 21, St. Louis failed to send in its score on time. Portland made 1115 in that affair. Match 19 went to Portland over Manhattan, 1120 to 1101, and in match 20 the locals registered 1123 to Houston's 1099.

Since the last reports were issued Captain J. T. Moore, of the Portland Revolver Club, scored a possible, while George Wilson, M. Abraham, R. H. Craddock have 49 out of a possible 50. Wilson registered two near possibles.

Following are the unofficial standings:

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Club.	Won.	Lost.
Springfield...	19	0	Denver.....	11	9
Olympic.....	18	1	Columbus.....	9	11
Pittsburg.....	17	3	St. Louis	8	11
Portland.....	16	3	Manito.....	7	12
Manhattan...	16	4	Dallas.....	6	14
Seattle.....	14	6	Chicago.....	5	15
Boston.....	13	7	Beverly.....	4	15
Providence...	12	8	Osborne.....	1	14
Youngstown..	12	8	Portsmouth...	2	18
Spokane.....	12	8	Citizens.....	1	18
Belleville.....	0	19			

The following five-shot possibles have been scored since the last notice was issued:

J. P. Ross, Pittsburg, two; P. J. Dolfen, Springfield, two; W. E. Fennell, Boston; Dr. J. R. Brown, Pittsburg; Fred T. Moseley, Dallas; L. P. Castaldino, R. C. Warner, Dr. W. R. Russell, Springfield; Captain J. T. Moore, Portland; L. B. Rush, Spokane.

The following have 49's out of a possible 50 to their credit:

Two each—W. O. Brown, Youngstown; Dr. I. R. Calkins, Springfield; George Wilson, Portland; F. B. Raught, Manito; J. E. Wilburn, Spokane; P. J. Dolfen (consecutive), Springfield.

One each—H. M. Manchester, Providence; J. A. Dietz, Manhattan; Dr. Atkinson, Pittsburg; F. A. Wakefield, Springfield; J. P. Ross, Pittsburg; D. D. Drain and E. E. Young, Manito; R. H. Craddock and M. Abraham, Portland; W. R. Hinckley and J. J. Agguter, Seattle; George Libbey, Jr., and B. M. Hays, Manito; J. D. Miner, Spokane; George W. Rice, Jr., and L. P. Castaldini, Springfield; E. A. Krondl, St. Louis; Dr. Snook, Columbus; Dr. J. R. Brown, Pittsburg; H. R. Marshall, Boston, and C. D. Plank, Denver.

SEALS TAKEN ON 6-MILE HIKE

Wolverton to Switch Outfield and Infield in Practice Today.

BOYES SPRINGS, Cal., March 8.—(Special.)—The physical condition of the Seals has ceased to worry Wolverton. He says that if the pitchers were a little further advanced in their work the Seals would be ready for the opening of the pennant race tomorrow. The fact is the whole outfit is in such shape that the ball park was neglected and deserted today, save by two or three Seals. Instead, Wolverton led the squad over the hills for a six-mile hike. That it was strenuous was indicated by the way the boys limped back into camp.

Wolverton is going to inaugurate a new training idea tomorrow. His idea, briefly, is to switch the infielders to the outfield and vice-versa in the game scheduled between the regulars and irregulars. Wolverton does not plan a diamond hippodrome, but rather some healthful exercise that will come in handy when the championship season commences. He figures that infielders have many occasions to get under high flies and a berth in the outfield would give them some useful practice. The same holds good for the outfielders. They get chances on many grounders, and if they get the old eye trained to pick up hot ones it may develop at some later date in cutting off an important run at the plate.

OAK YANNIGANS TAKE GAME

Unconditional Release Is Handed to Chief Harry Sampson.

PLEASANTON, Cal., March 8.—(Special.)—Boss Christian sent the regulars and yannigans over the regulation route today. The yans won their first game, 3 to 1. The pitchers are putting something on the ball now and hits were pretty scarce.

Boyd is beginning to cut loose and looks like a great pitcher. He is a spit-ball artist and seems assured of a position on the Oaks' 1915 pitching staff.

Manager Christian is all smiles over the showing made by the Oaks Sunday against the White Sox. "Just wait until that bunch get their eyes on the ball, then watch them go," is about all you can get out of him, and he sure has the whole squad pulling together.

Chief Harry Sampson, the Indian pitcher, received his unconditional release this morning. The Chief was one of the most highly recommended pitchers that ever tried out with a Coast League club, but his eyesight was bad and he needs more experience before breaking into class AA baseball.

Swimming Events to Be at Fair.

Word has been received in Portland that the Amateur Athletic Union indoor and outdoor swimming championships will be held at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Portland made an effort to obtain them and a report had it that they had been awarded to New York.

WALT NOW USES MAT

Wrestling Billed for Beavers in Spring Training.

IDEA PICKED UP IN FUN

Tussle With Higginbotham Shows Value to McCredie and Game Takes Well—Bishop on Mound Is Cast for Big League.

PORTLAND TRAINING CAMP, Fresno, Cal., March 8.—(Special.)—When it comes to novel ideas in Spring training, Walt McCredie has all Coast League managers up against the fence. First he decided that there would be but one training period each day, next he decided that ballplayers should only eat twice and then that a walk of six miles to and from the ball park was the right amount of exercise.

His latest innovation is wrestling as a means of getting his men in condition for the battle of the season.

McCredie started this off himself and as all great things, it was discovered by accident. Mack had on a brand new baseball suit. Higginbotham was romping about the park like a young recruit. All at once he decided to muss Mack up considerably. An attack was made. McCredie refused to go, declaring that he was out of condition.

Erve pushed the question, however, and was vastly encouraged by other players urging him to put a little stiffness in Mack's muscles.

Mat Introduced in Training.

Higginbotham continued his aggressive attitude and Mack clinched with him. It was a mighty tussle. Higginbotham got the better of the match while the two were on their feet, but when they went to the mat, McCredie secured a half-Nelson and put Erve's shoulders to the ground.

They went at it for a second fall but McCredie was winded and decided to postpone the bout until he was in better condition.

Such good exercise did the wrestling match prove that McCredie is now encouraging his men to participate in the sport. Every day some of the boys take a chance at the wrestling game. There is no lack of participants. A mere mention that a wrestling bout would be enjoyable and a match is on the next minute.

Bishop Cast for Big League.

R. C. Bishop, the University of Kansas football star, who is now in training camp as one of McCredie's pitching staff is due in course of time to make his bow in the big league, according to Mack.

Bishop is above medium height, of square build and adheres strictly to the laws of physical culture. On the ball field, he is strictly business and puts in his time working into condition. Bishop is going about it in a leisurely manner but is doing a good job.

Bishop has been in professional baseball only one year, but this one year was a period of inactivity. Directly after graduating from the University of Kansas, he was signed by the Cleveland Americans and passed the 1914 season with this club. He was started in several games but owing to regular pitchers having a good start and going well was not allowed to pitch a sufficient number of games to break into the record book.

Bishop was an active man in college sport, where he won a reputation on the gridiron. This was not his only line of sport as he went in for track, basketball and baseball. In the former he worked in the sprints and was a point winner for his college. In basketball he also occupied a prominent position.

Fisher Has Finger Injured.

Bishop was chosen regular pitcher in his freshman year and worked regularly on the varsity nine during his last two years in college.

His delivery is deliberate, although not slow, and he holds men close to first base. Good control and a change of pace seems to be his strong hold. As yet, he has not displayed great speed.

Fisher is the first of the Beavers to suffer a bad finger. While running bases, Fisher was struck with a batted ball, spraining his thumb. Yesterday he was catching Leonard, who cut loose with a fast one, taking Fisher squarely on the injured thumb.

So far, the Beavers have been fortunate in their Spring training work. No sprained ankles or broken fingers have developed as yet. Fisher is not in bad condition and his injury will not keep him out of the coming practice games. The injury rather impairs his grip on a bat, however.

LINCOLN TO PLAY COLUMBIA

Basketball Teams Battle Today for Third Place in League.

Columbia University and Lincoln High School will battle for third place in the Portland Interscholastic League 1915 basketball standings in the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon. This is the final match of the season, and originally was scheduled for next Thursday afternoon.

Coach Callicrate arranged with Manager Steele, of the high schoolers, however, to advance the date, as both aggregations want to get out for the early Spring workouts in track and baseball. Active work will start tomorrow on the track and diamond.

Mike Bloch, one of the mainstay guards of the collegians, has not been out in a suit for some time, and may not be in condition to start the match. Coach Callicrate did not have him on the squad when the team played the Franklin High team last week.

The game will start promptly at 2:15 o'clock, and Charles Mackie will referee.

VALLEY LEAGUE IS PROPOSED

Salem Wants to Have Class D Organization in Willamette.

SALEM, Or., March 8.—(Special.)—John Turner, a lawyer, and several other prominent men of the city, have begun the organization of a baseball club here, which, it is believed, will result in the organization of a league composed of Willamette-Valley cities. Mr. Turner and his friends will raise $1000 for a site for a park. A meeting will be held Tuesday to complete the organization.

It is believed that Albany, Eugene, Oregon City and probably a Portland club will be the members of the proposed league. Mr. Turner said he would communicate with the National Commission with the object of having the league given Class "D" rating.

IDAHO CURBS ATHLETIC BOARD

Committee Is Named to Reconstruct Constitution Entirely.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, Moscow, March 8.—(Special.)—Radical changes will be made in the constitution of the associated students of the university within the next few days. After a stormy discussion over the rights and powers of the athletic board, John McEvers made the assertion that the board was using and has been using too much of a free hand. He introduced a resolution calling for a committee to reconstruct the constitution completely.

Motions introduced by various members of the athletic board to substitute the word "conference" in the granting of "I's" in intercollegiate games of all branches were carried. Hereafter "I's" will not be awarded to any athletes competing against Gonzago, Montana or other non-conference teams.

CYCLE JUMP TEST IS HALTED

Police Stop Contest of Two Motor Riders for Laurels.

Local motorcycle men are divided in opinion as to which is the best rider—Burt Hadderly or Archie Rife. Each of the men recently negotiated a jump at the head of the Caruthers-street hill at Front and Caruthers. Hadderly is credited with jumping his motorcycle 27 feet over the crest of the incline, while Rife, according to several eye-witnesses, did 22 feet.

The two riders went to the hill yesterday, intending to settle the question as to which could make the longest jump. Police Captain Moore heard of the plan, however, and sent officers to prevent it.

WILLARD SETS ARRIVAL

"HOPE" TO HASTEN TO CUBA FOR FIGHT WITH JOHNSON.

Cablegram Received by Curley Removes Last Obstacle to Bout at Havana. Negro Begins Training.

HAVANA, March 8.—A fight for the world's heavyweight pugilistic championship will take place at Havana Saturday, April 3, between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard.

The last obstacle in the way of having the fight take place here was removed late today when Jack Curley, who endeavored to have the men meet at Juarez, Mexico, received a cablegram from Willard saying that he would start immediately for Havana and would arrive here from New Orleans March 15.

The terms for the fight are identical with those which would have prevailed had the encounter taken place at Juarez.

Curley will act as the chief promoter and will be assisted by Richard Klegin as managing director. The site for the battle has not yet been selected, but several places are available.

Johnson began training today. Willard probably will have training quarters at Marianao.

HORINE NOW BENEDICT

FAMOUS JUMPER MARRIES SAN JOSE GIRL.

Romance Culminating in Wedding Has Inception at Palo Alto When Athlete Was Student.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—(Special.)—George Horine, until recently world's champion in the high jump and a member of the American team which represented this country at the 1912 Olympic games at Stockholm, stole a march on his many friends Saturday and married Miss May Van Thiel, of San Jose, in that city.

The romance had its inception in Palo Alto when Horine was a student at Stanford University, just prior to his world-beating performance in the high jump.

Horine, as captain of the Olympic Club track team, will compete during the present year and will endeavor to regain his laurels in the high hop, which were recently taken by Eddie Beeson. Recently at Palo Alto he was credited with clearing the bar at six feet, two inches. Horine's best record is six feet, seven inches, established at Palo Alto in 1912.

MULTNOMAH SWIM IS TONIGHT

Louis J. Balbach and Clair Tait to Give Exhibition at Club.

The regular monthly swim for the members of the Multnomah Club has been set for tonight by Swimming Instructor Jack Cody. Louis J. Balbach and Clair Tait, two of the best divers in the Northwest, who may represent the Multnomah Club at the meets in San Francisco this Summer, will give an exhibition.

This will be the first opportunity for the members to see the two stars in action this season. Many different dives will be performed, according to Jack Cody. The swim will start at 8 o'clock and will last until 10 o'clock.

Norman Ross, holder of several Pacific Coast swimming records, will be in the water and will race a few times for the benefit of the onlookers.

CHAMPIONS SCHEDULE GAME

Jefferson and Vancouver High Basketball Teams Will Meet.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 8.—(Special.)—The Jefferson High School basketball team of Portland will play the Vancouver High School team in the local High School gnynasium Wednesday evening. Jefferson is champion of the league in Portland and Vancouver claims the championship of Vancouver, having recently defeated the Loyal Berears and the Washington State School for the Deaf.

This will be the last game of the season and the athletes in the team will turn their attention to track work. Already the Vancouver High School has organized a big crosscountry run squad and a contest will be held within a week.

BIG BOWLING TEST ENTERED

Multnomah Club to Try for Cup in National Telegraphic Tourney.

Multnomah Club bowlers will enter the "ocean to ocean" telegraphic bowling tournament for the Colonel Robert E. Thompson trophy. The tourney was arranged by the New York Athletic Club, and will be held Saturday, April 24. It is necessary for a club to win the trophy twice before it becomes its personal property. The cup now is held by the Cleveland Athletic Club, of Cleveland, O.

In order to pick a team for this tournament a house bowling tournament will be started tonight. Each Tuesday night hereafter members will meet in handicap events.

Kalamazoo Purses $21,000.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., March 8. — Six early closing purses with a total value of $21,000 were announced today for Kalamazoo's Grand Circuit harness meeting, August 2 to 6 inclusive. The $10,000 paper mills purse is for 2:07 trotters, while the $3000 Burdick Hotel purse is for 2:09-class pacers. There are also four $2000 purses for 2:18 and 2:11-trotters and 2:17 and 2:06 pacers.

In addition to these events the Recreation Park Association will offer 14 class purses of $1000 each as late closers.

EIGHTH TEAM PLAN

Trades School Would Enter Interscholastic League.

SPRING MEETING IS NEAR

Applicant Will Put Baseball Nine in League If Admitted; Belief Is Expressed New Club Would Make Competition Keener.

Admittance to the Portland Interscholastic League will be asked by the Portland School of Trades at the coming meeting of the directors of the league. President Hill, of the Hill Military Academy, is out of the city, but before his departure he announced that the annual Spring meeting of the league would be held in Multnomah Club, presumably next Friday afternoon.

The Portland School of Trades did not enter the basketball league, although it had one of the strongest of independent teams. The first sport that will be taken up, should the Trade Schoolers be admitted, will be baseball, and that will not start until next month.

This is the first season of the Franklin High in faster company, and although the team did not finish among the leaders, it clearly showed that with a little more experience big things can be expected. The Franklin High will take up baseball and track along with the other sports of the Interscholastic League.

Baseball practice for the most part will be started at the various institutions some time this week. Only batting practice will be held for the first three or four days, until the weather becomes warmer and there is less chance for sore arms.

The Portland School of Trades will have to use Multnomah field to practice on, for both baseball and track, should it receive admission to the exclusive circle. At present there are seven schools represented in the Portland Interscholastic League, three on the West Side of the Willamette and four on the East Side. With the advent of the Trade School the league will be equally divided.

Several important matters are scheduled to come up at the next meeting of the league directors. The proposed revision of the rules governing the body will be taken into consideration. Some provisions in the rules are too cumbersome and are out of date for the present circuit. The rules are to be printed in pamphlets and distributed among the various schools interested.

A committee composed of faculty managers will be appointed to arrange for the 1915 baseball schedule as well as the track meets. The season will start about April 10, and will be completed about the middle of June.

The representatives of the league are as follows: Joseph A. Hill, of the Hill Military Academy, president; H. H. Herdman, Jr., of the Washington High School, secretary; Father Boland, of Columbia University; S. F. Ball, of the Franklin High School; Hopkin Jenkins, of the Jefferson High School; James F. Ewing, of the Portland Academy, and T. T. Davis, of the Lincoln High School.

The committee which arranges the baseball schedule will report to the league directors some time next week for ratification of the games and dates.

James Goes to Join Braves.

CHICAGO, March 8.—"Bill" James, pitcher of the Boston Nationals, left here last night for Macon, Ga., with the intention of working out the two years his contract with Manager Stallings called for.

LYLE BIGBEE IS CAPTAIN

OREGON BASKET TOSSERS NAME LEADER FOR 1916 TEAM.

Man Chosen Is Active in Football and Baseball Also—Year Success in Seasoning Basketball Squad.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, March 8.—(Special.)—Lyle Bigbee, a junior in college, has been chosen by his teammates of this year's squad to lead the 1916 basketball team. The election marked the close of the 1915 season of the indoor game.

The newly-elected captain has been active in collegiate athletics since his arrival at the university from the Albany High School some three years ago. During his freshman year he turned out for football and baseball and won his "letter" in the latter sport. Last Winter he played his first season of basketball, although not a regular on the team, and also helped Bezdek to bring home the title in baseball. The past football season the busy Bigbee served time on the varsity team as a halfback and an end. On the basketball floor he starred as a defensive man.

Although the basketball season was not replete with victories, it was a success in one standpoint, namely, that it seasoned a squad of basket tossers, all of whom will return to college next year. It is this fact that makes the new season bright in its outlook and promises well for the Oregon team in the race now far distant.

A 50-50 split with Dr. Stewart's Aggies is the way the season's records will go in books, there will be no fifth game to settle the state championship, as both squads are tired of the game and there is a yearning to be out of doors and on the track or diamond.

"I am tired of basketball," said Bezdek, "and I don't want to be in the gymnasium again until I have to; we will let things rest as they are."

EUGENE HIGH BALL SQUAD OUT

Turnout Large for Sport Dropped Several Years Ago.

EUGENE, Or., March 8.—(Special.)—With the first baseball practice in years and the first meeting of the track team, Spring athletics at the Eugene High School were formally begun today in good shape. Baseball at one time was a leading sport, but seven or eight years ago it was dropped.

A large squad turned out and C. J. Johnston, the coach, says prospects are good for a fast team. Hugo Bezdek, the University of Oregon baseball coach, has promised practice games with the college teams, and the South Willamette-street grounds have been leased for the season. Leonard Knight is manager.

Battleground 73, La Center 5.

LA CENTER, Wash., March 8.—(Special.)—In a one-sided game of basketball the local high school freshman team was trampled on by the Battleground quintet, 73 to 5, on the winners' floor, Saturday night. Stroeh and Dixon starred for Battleground, while Borst and Bryee featured for the locals. Following are the line-ups:

Battleroun (73)		La Center (5)
Dixon	F	Borst
Anderson	F	Bryee
Stroeh	C	Shellpart
McCarty	G	Heady, Hughes
Wilson	G	Meaney

THE RANCHMAN GREETS THE GOOD JUDGE

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MONARCHS PLAY PRACTICE GAME WITH COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY.

Redmen, Sellwoods and Maroons All Take Kinks Out of Arms and Have Men in Line for Season.

Four City League clubs made a like number of parks resemble the Fresno training camp Sunday, as each team was getting in shape for the opening day, March 28.

Rupert's West Side Monarchs caverted at the Columbia University campus and lined up against the university team. Rupe has many old heads. Following is the list of those who took part for the Monarchs: Johnny and Lonnie Shea, catchers; Telford, Murphy, Hyronimous and Goddard, pitchers; McKeen, first base; McConnell, second base; Childers, third base; Yett and Watts, shortstops; Murray, Druhot and Lind, outfield.

Claude Schmeer's Redmen, who will represent East Portland, worked out at East Twelfth and East Davis streets. Claude is stuck on his squad. Catchers Therion and Herschler, Pitchers Galvin, Grady and Moreland, Infielders Currigan, Hughes, Tauscher and Brown, and Outfielders Hinkle, Luckey and Kennedy were in uniforms.

Archer-Wiggins' Sellwoods limbered up at Sellwood and Manager Heales waxed optimistical, saying: "Our boys will go to San Francisco as Oregon's representative, and don't you forget it." Bill will stick to the same bunch that has carried his Weonas through four seasons, to-wit: Catchers Wentworth and Messinger, Pitcher Scott, Infielders "Crabby Claude" Dixon, McHale, W. Hargreaves and Nelson, Outfielders "Young Bub" Gardner, Joe Dixon, Taylor and Campbell.

Piedmont's pride, the Maroons, took out the kinks at Peninsula Park. Manager Grayson has lots of timber and will have a hard time picking his regulars. Nine fast innings were played in which the "Regulars" defeated the "Yannigans" by a close score. "Curly" has weeded his crew down to the following: Catchers Bartholemy, Rodda and Mullen, Pitchers Moeller, Webb and Wintherbotham, Infielders Doty, Grimm, Leopold, Lake, Hornby and Cohen, Outfielders Jack Hargreaves, Stepp and La Reau.

MOUNT ANGEL WINS, 96-17

Season Ends With Victory Over Molalla and Only One Defeat.

MOUNT ANGEL COLLEGE, Mount Angel, Or., March 8.—(Special.)—Mount Angel College defeated Molalla Saturday on the local floor, 96 to 17. At the end of the first half the game stood 56 to 9. To keep the large excursion audience entertained a little comedy was mixed in with clever team work, men changing places at will and muddling things up so far as even to score points for the visitors.

This game closes the season for Mount Angel College. Twelve games with one defeat and 429 points to their opponents' 176 marks the record for the year. The lone defeat, administered at San Francisco February 22 by Wittier College, of Southern California, is accounted for by the Mount Angel manager, who says the game was lost to a native team before it was ever played. Seventeen fouls were called on the Angels and only four on Wittier. Though outweighed more than five pounds to the man, Mount Angel secured more field baskets in each half than did the winner.

DOG SUIT TO BE APPEALED

Salem Leash Ordinance to Be Tested in State Supreme Court.

SALEM, Or., March 8.—(Special.)—Circuit Judge Galloway having overruled the demurrer to the complaint in the case to test the constitutionality of an ordinance prohibiting dogs from the streets unless under leash, City Attorney Trindle said yesterday that he would file an appeal to the Supreme Court at once. George L. Rose, who owns a dog valued at $250, filed the suit, asking that the City Marshal be enjoined from enforcing the ordinance. A temporary restraining order was granted by Judge Galloway and dogs have been running at large the past 10 days.

The ordinance is the most stringent one in Oregon and dog fanciers have fought it from the start. A number of them have contributed to a fund to make a fight for their pets. Mr. Rose, a wealthy hopgrower, says he is willing to take out a license for his dog under the provisions of the city charter and that the ordinance is in conflict with the charter and the state constitution.

NEGRO TEAM ELECTS MANAGER

Hugh Harper to Lead Giants and Expects Victorious Season.

Hugh Harper has been elected manager of the negro baseball team, known last season as Hubbard's Giants, while Gus Williams, Charles Brown and Louie Parker are directors. Herb Lewis, the crack first baseman, was chosen as the 1915 leader.

Harper played second during the 1914 campaign and he was the heaviest sticker on the squad. He has had considerable experience as a manager and captain, having piloted for two successful seasons the State College team (negro), of Texas. Several surprises are going to be sprung, according to Manager Harper.

FEDERALS ATTACK INJUNCTION

Motion to Dissolve Order Against Franchise Transfer Argued.

CHICAGO, March 8.—Argument was begun today on a motion to dissolve the temporary injunction issued recently restraining the Federal League from transferring the Kansas City franchise to Newark, N. J. E. E. Gates, counsel for the Federal League, contended before Judge Baldwin in the Circuit Court that ample time was given to the Kansas City men to protect their franchise.

"It was agreed that the club should raise $100,000 by December 10," said Mr. Gates. "If it had raised this money it should have redeemed the franchise. This it failed to do."

Idaho Votes More Track Letters.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, Moscow, March 8.—(Special.)—An amendment to the constitution by the associated students grants the college insignia to all cross-country men winning first in dual, second in triangular or third in the annual conference cross-country race. This amendment was introduced because of the situation in cross-country last Fall, when both Campbell and O'Rourke were entitled to "I's," but did not receive them.

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