PORTLAND DEFEATS AMERICAN GIANTS

Near-Fight Between Derrick and Bauchman Is Feature of Game at Fresno.

PLAY CLOSE THROUGHOUT

Beavers Score Two in First, Then Chicagoans Take Lead and Portland Ties It in Fourth and Goes Ahead in Fifth.

FRESNO, Cal., March 26.—(Special.)—A near fight was the feature of Portland's third baseball victory over the American Colored Giants here today. The Beavers won 4to 3.

Derrick and Bauchman, Foster's second baseman, were the principals in what threatened to be a real fist fight. It took practically the whole of both teams to get the matter settled amicable to all concerned.

The controversy arose in the first inning. Wickware hit Derrick with a pitched ball. Derrick threw his bat at the pitcher. Bauchman on second called it dirty work and Derrick walked down to first. Compliments were then passed by Derrick and Bauchman, who started toward first. They met half way, but both seemed disinclined to mix it and merely sparred around until they were separated.

Game Is Close One.

The game was a remarkably close one, the two teams standing within a point or two of each other throughout.

After tying the score, 3 all, in the fourth, Portland came back in the fifth and put across the run that eventually won the game. Davis singled to left, Speas and Derrick both laid down infield singles, filling the bases. Fisher flew out to Santop and Doane fanned. Stumpf walked, forcing in Davis with the winning run.

Portland scored two in the first. Davis walked, Speas fanned. Derrick was hit by a pitched ball and Fisher singled to right, scoring Davis. Fisher went to second on the throw-in and to third on a passed ball. Doane then singled to right, scoring the runner.

Giants Score Two.

A base on balls, errors by Derrick and Murphy and a double by Santop allowed Hill and Duncan to score in the third inning.

The Giants got their only other run in the fourth. Bauchman hit a fast one through Murphy, went to second on Wickware's single to left, third on an out and scored on Hill's single to center.

The Beavers tie dthe score in the fourth. Fisher singled to center. Doane walked. Santop threw to second to catch Fisher. The peg was bad and Fisher went to third, coming home on a bad throw to third by Duncan. The score:

Amer. Giants—	B	H	O	A	E	Portland—	B	H	O	A	E
Barber, l..	5	0	9	2	0	Davis, 3....	5	2	0	2	0
Hill, l....	4	2	2	0	0	Speas, m...	3	1	1	0	0
Duncan, m	5	2	0	0	1	Derrick, l..	3	1	13	1	2
McNair, c.	4	0	1	0	0	Fisher, c...	4	2	9	0	0
Santop, c..	5	2	8	2	0	Doane, r...	3	1	0	0	0
Hutson, s.	4	0	1	3	0	Stumpf, 2..	3	0	2	8	1
Francis, 2.	4	0	1	0	0	Murphy, s..	4	0	1	4	1
Bichman, 2	3	1	1	1	0	Lober, 1....	2	0	1	0	0
Wkware, p	2	1	1	1	0	Evans, p...	2	0	0	0	1
Whit'th, p.	2	1	0	1	0	Callahan, p	1	0	0	2	0
Gatew'd*.	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals..	39	9	24	10	3	Totals..	28	7	27	17	5

*Batted for McNair in ninth.

American Giants.....	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Hits.....	1	0	1	3	0	1	1	1	1	—9
Portland.....	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	*	—4
Hits.....	2	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	*	—7

Runs, Hill, Duncan, Bauchman, Davis 2, Fisher 2. Struck out, by Evans 2, by Wickware 3, by Callahan 5, by Whitworth 1. Bases on balls, off Evans 2, off Wickware 4, off Whitworth 1. Two-base hits, Santop, Duncan 2, Whitworth. Stolen bases, Davis, Speas, Murphy, Lober, Barber, Santop. Passed ball, Santop. Innings pitched, by Evans 4, runs 3, hits 5; by Wickware 4, runs 2, hits 3. Charge defeat to Whitworth. Credit victory to Callahan. Hit by pitcher, Derrick by Wickware. Time of game, one hour and 50 minutes. Umpires, Higginbotham and Coltrin.

SEALS RELEASE IRA COLWELL

Both San Francisco and Chicago Teams Have Day of Rest.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—(Special.)—Seals and Sox alike had a vacation today, the first of its sort the White Sox No. 1 club has enjoyed on the trip. The Recreation Park grounds were considered too wet for good baseball.

Pitcher Ira Colwell was released by Manager Wolverton, of the Seals, in the course of the day. Colwell will go to the Vancouver, B. C., team of the Northwestern League.

The Chicagoans took advantage of the day off to visit the exposition grounds. Comiskey's team has met with exceptionally good weather for the Spring training trip and since this is the first game postponed there was no kick coming.

In fact, the regulars have had a little more than their share of work and Rowland was rather pleased at the off-day.

Much the same thing goes for the Seals, who have been through a considerable grind in the last four weeks and they will undoubtedly be all the better off for their day of rest.

Weather permitting, the two clubs will be at one ranother tomorrow afternoon on the local grounds.

"STARS" DEFEATED BY OAKS

Christian Turns Outfielder Watson Back to Western League.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—(Special.)—Tyler Christian put his Oaks through a workout today on the home grounds against a picked-up team labeled the "Stars." The Oaks won, 5 to 3. Prough, Christian and Bromley did the twirling for the Coasters and Arbogast and Price the catching.

George Watson, the outfielder obtained by Oakland on an optional agreement with a Western League team, has been turned back to that club. With the acquisition of Mundorff and Jimmy Johnston, the Oaks had no use for Watson, particularly as he has never shown much class in the Spring practice games.

ANGELS SHUT OUT WHITE SOX

Dillon Gets Into Game and Slams Single Over Second.

LOS ANGELES, March 26.—(Special.)—There were two outstanding features in the humiliation of the White Sox today; one that they were shut out, 8 to 0, and the other that Pop Dillon hit .500. Pop butted in the game just long enough to get up to the plate twice. The second time he slammed a single over second and was so surprised that he stopped to watch the ball go.

Young Scoggins got an unmerciful drubbing in the fifth, the Angels hitting him six times for six runs. He asked to be permitted to work today, hoping to wipe out the last defeat, but his comeback was a fizzle. Lathrop went in after the fifth and did fairly well.

McMullen hit well and timely, his triple scoring two men in the fifth. Perritt had the Sox square on his hip and let them down for four singles in six frames. Kid Horstman, recovering from his nightmare, did fine in the last three. Jack Ryan was sick in bed and there is some doubt whether he will be able to pitch the opener Tuesday. He has a bad cold.

The Venice team had light pracaice today, the scheduled game with the University of Southern California law school team being called off. Hogan and his entire band will leave for Salt Lake tomorrow night.

The score today:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
White Sox.	0	6	2	L. A.	8	11	1

Batteries — Scoggins, Lathrop and Baldwin; Perritt, Horstman and Boles.

2500 FANS WATCH MORMONS

Squad Has Two More Stiff Workouts and all Men Cut Loose.

SALT LAKE, Utah, March 26.—(Special.)—The Salt Lake ball players had two more stiff workouts today. All the men cut loose, for the day was ideal. Eddie Faye was so much improved that he has permission to join his teammates tomorrow.

About 2500 fans saw the practice this afternoon. Harry Hannah hit a home run, which was one of the longest seen here.

All anxiety concerning the new baseball plant was set at rest when 2200 opera chairs for the grand stand showed up. Six hundred more are due tomorrow morning. The big stand is half under roof and will be entirely covered by tomorrow noon.

Cincinnati 12, Mobile 0.

MOBILE, Ala., March 26.—Cincinnati Nationals defeated the Mobile team, of the Southern Association, here today 12 to 0. Score.

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	12	17	1	Mobile	0	4	2

Batteries—Dale, Ames, Benton and Clark, Gonzales; Harkins, Covington and Brown, Berger.

Cleveland 4, Houston 3.

HOUSTON, Tex., March 26.—The Cleveland American regulars defeated the Houston club, of the Texas League here today. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland ..	4	8	2	Houston	3	8	4

Batteries—Steen, Morton and O'Neill, Billing; Edmonson and Allen, Query.

Athletics 6, Phillies 13.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 26.—The Philadelphia Nationals defeated the Philadelphia Americans here today, 13 to 6. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Nationals	13	11	2	Americans.	6	10	3

Batteries—Mayer, Oeschger and Adams; Bressler, Wyckoff, Myers and Lapp.

Braves 5, Atlanta 1.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 26.—The Boston Nationals won easily from the Atlanta Southern Association team here today, 5 to 1. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Atlanta ...	1	4	2	Boston	5	7	1

Batteries—Williams, Allen and Jenkins; Strand, James, Crutcher and Gowdy.

Cubs 5, Louisville 1.

TAMPA, Fla., March 26.—The Chicago Nationals defeated Louisville, of the American Association, 5 to 1, here today. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Louisville .	1	10	2	Chicago ...	5	6	2

Batteries—Perry, Scanlon and Clemens; Vaughn, Standridge and Hargreave, Bresnahan.

CLUB SHOOT IS TODAY

BIGGEST ONE-DAY EVENT OF ORGANIZATION PLANNED.

Prizes to Be Given to Four Men and Trophies to Three Women—All to Have Equal Chance to Win.

That the largest one-day shoot ever held by the Portland Gun Club at its Jenne Station grounds will be staged tomorrow, is the belief of Secretary Joseph A. Addleman and Manager E. L. Matthews. Prizes for the four high men and suitable trophies for the three high women contestants have been procured and all is in readiness to have the first gun fired at 9 o'clock in the morning.

President Everding has been busy with the preparation for the event, which will be the first shoot he will have attended since his return from a month's journey in Washington.

The closeness of the state shoot, April 26 and 27, makes tomorrow's affair an ideal one for those who figure on entering the big shoot, for it will give an opportunity for them to limber up and get into practice. Fifty-bird contests will be shot by the men and the women will be called on to shoot in only 25-bird affairs.

The past two or three Oregon state shoots have not been as successful as they should have been, according to many local trapshooters, and it is the desire of the members of the Portland Gun Club to arouse more interest in the annual tourney. Contestants from all over Oregon will be on hand to try for the many cash prizes.

Manager Matthews has decided to use the added bird system tomorrow to award the prizes, as by it everyone will have an equal chance to win the prizes. One 50-bird event has been placed on the programme in which no entry fee will be charged and 2 cents for each target shot at will be the only charge made.

To get to the Portland Gun Club take the Estacada car and get off at Jenne Station. Shooting will start at 9 o'clock in the morning and last all day.

Detroit 4, New Orleans 6.

NEW ORLEANS, March 26.—The New Orleans team, of the Southern Association, defeated the Detroit Americans 6 to 4 today. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	4	7	0	New Orleans.	6	10	1

Batteries—Boland, Ledbetter and Stanage, Peters; Frost, Bagby and Higgins.

FAIR CREDITED FOR TRAVEL

Hotel Clerk Says Record Number of Tourists Are Going South.

That the San Francisco Exposition is a heavy drawing attraction is vouched by C. D. Schreiter, a clerk at the Portland Hotel, who said that the travel south is heavier than the travel north. "Ordinarily there is heavier travel north at this time of the year, as the tourists who pass the Winter in Southern California go home about this time and many use the northern lines," said Mr. Schreiter yesterday.

"But this year is different. I don't think that the Winter tourists have started home and I look for heavy travel about May 1. The tourists at present are prosperous farmers, who have taken in the Exposition at San Francisco and are returning home to superintend planting their crops. The travel south has been unusually good for March."

New Orleans is to have a school of salesmanship for the benefit of clerks.

TIGERS' 1914 LOSS PLACED AT $28,362

Permission Obtained to Sell $75,000 Worth of Stock to Meet Deficit.

FACTS BACK UP M'CREDIE

Light on How Clubs Drop Money Held to Show Necessity of Adhering to One-Umpire System. Rising Expenses Are Cited.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

Happy Hogan's Venice team in the Pacific Coast League lost $28,362 last year. This statement is the sworn affidavit of the club owners made to the Blue Sky Commission of California. The club owes $60,000, receipts last year being $90,760, and expenses $119,033. The Stockton team in the state league cost Venice $11,116.52, so the loss of the Venice team proper was only about $17,000.

The assets of the club were estimated at $176,000, of which $100,000 is the value of the Coast League franchise. Permission was given to Maier to sell $75,000 worth of stock to clear off the accumulated losses of the past two years.

This sworn statement of the Venice club owners gives some idea of the financial failure last year in the Coast circuit. It also backs up Judge McCredie's argument that the league should try to get along with one umpire until such time as all the clubs get on a sound basis again.

"They may reinstate the double umpire system," said he yesterday, "but they'll not get my favorable vote. We discussed the matter throughly at our annual meeting and I am sure that Ed Maier and Tom Darmody would not be boosting for the double system had they been present.

"Our expenses will be something fierce this year. We are paying $3000 per season rental on an abandoned park in Oakland that we took over to keep the outlaws quiet seven years ago. It was sheer nonsense because we had the outlaws licked and there was no necessity for assuming their obligations.

"A few years ago our individual club assessments for the maintenance of the league itself was about $195 per month. Now it is something like $600 per month or more than $4000 per season for each club. That gives you some idea of what we have to pay outside of our own club expenses."

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Pitcher Bishop, of the Portland club, is not destined for Spokane after all. Spokane wants Ed Barnes, the big soldier, but the Indians have no room for any more young pitchers. Bishop may be placed with Victoria. Spokane is hot on the trail of the Portland magnate for an infielder. Coltrin or Davis will satisfy the Northwestern leaguers.

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Tyler Christian has announced his Oakland batting order for opening day against the Seals. Mundorff will lead off with Manda in second and Johnston, Ness and Middleton in the cleanup holes. Here it is in full: Mundorff, right field; Manda, second base; Johnston, left field; Ness, first base; Middleton, center field; Lindsay, third base; Alcock, shortstop; Elliott, catcher; Klawitter, pitcher.

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Portland's Baseball Boosters at a meeting this noon at the Hazelwood will choose an official design for the buttons to be worn during the next few years.

Designs have been submitted by eight or ten of the cleverest artists in the city and these will be voted on.

Various committee reports are also on the tapis and further plans for a record-breaking crowd on opening day will be outlined.

President Higgins and Secretary Apleby report extraordinary interest in the opening this Spring, which knocks in the head the indigo predictions that this is to be an off year in baseball.

MILWAUKIE TEAM PRACTICING

Ball Squad Getting in Shape for Game With Orient April 10.

The Milwaukie High School baseball team is getting into shape for its game with Orient team at Orient April 10, which will be the first in the county championship series. Daily practice is being held at the Crystal Lake Park, with Principal Robert Goetz and Mr. Colton, of the school faculty, as coaches. The team this year is composed of the following: Captain, Lee Thiessen, pitcher; Edward Rigdon, catcher; Manager William Merriott, first base; Albert Gambel, second base; Herry Jett, shortstop; Louis Shindler, third base; William Miller, left field; Roscoe Kinsey, center field; Claude Buckner, right field, and Gordon Falk, utility outfielder.

The schedule for the Clackamas School League has just been announced by Secretary Fike, of Oak Grove. Teams from four places, Milwaukie, Orient, Oregon City and Molalla, have entered. The northern section will open at Orient April 10, with a returne game at Milwaukie April 17. Winners in the northern and southern sections will meet at Gladstone to play for the county championship.

PACIFIC TRACKMEN PROMISING

Many Old Men on Roster and New Talent Is Pleasing.

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY, Forest Grove, Or., March 26.—Track work began last week under Coach Yakel. Several men turned out, and from the material shown up the prospects are bright for a winning team.

The old men of last year who are showing up in fine form are Ricker, Tupper, Dibble and Robinson, while Taylor, of last year, the pole vaulter, is the only loss from the team.

The new men are Clark, Livesay, Lucas and Wilcox. With this material Pacific University is looking forward to the coming track meets eagerly. Several contestants will be sent to the intercollegiate meet at Columbia University April 10.

Brief Bits of Sport.

Bill Rodgers, ex-Beaver captain, now with the Cleveland Indians, is certainly laying on that old pill for all he is worth. In every game played at the Cleveland training camp Bill connects for a couple of clouts. In a recent game he smashed out four hits in five chances and put over three tallies. One of the bingles went for two bases.

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The Athletics are jinxed. Louis Van Zelst, the little hunch-backed mascot, died recently. He was 20 years old, but his growth was stunted by an accident when he was 12 years old. The Athletics were in a slump back in 1909 when Connie Mack saw him watching a game and had him act as bat boy. Later he was appointed mascot and the players all gave him a cut of each world's series coin.

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Abe Attell, ex-featherweight champion, will soon be in Portland. Abe is now an actor and is doing a turn at Seattle this week. Reports have reached him of the cleverness of Abe Gordon, the local amateur, and he intends to give the boy the "once over" when he arrives in Portland.

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Josh Devore, one of the luckiest players in baseball, has taken a record drop, from the world's champions to the bushes. Josh recently purchased an interest in the Chillicothe, O., club and will manage that team this season.

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Walter Johnson is the biggest man on the Washington payroll. This goes both ways. The secret was let out recently when the Senators were measured for their new uniforms. Walt has a chest expansion of 46 inches. However, he is not credited with having the biggest head on the Washington roster. He and Joe Engle each wear a size 7⅞ cap.

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The City League fever has broken out all over the Northwest. Besides Portland, Seattle, Spokane and Tacoma will have a city circuit this season. The league will prove of great benefit to the bushers who would have been left out in the cold this year, as several of the small circuits have been dropped.

BURLINGAME TEAM WINS

PASADENA POLOISTS LOSE FIRST ROUND IN TOURNAMENT.

Game Under Auspices of Exposition at San Francisco Played on Slippery Field in Pouring Rain.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—On a slippery field, which made fast riding dangerous and with the rain pouring down the greater part of the time, the Burlingame Polo team defeated the Pasadena four today by a score of 4 goals to 2. The match was the first round for the Burlingame cups in the universal polo tournament being held under the auspices of the Exposition.

Burlingame was conceded one goal by handicap. In the first period Fleishman, of Pasadena, scored the only goal which tied the score. There was no change in the second chukkur. Carolan carried the ball half the length of the field for a tally in the third period. No scoring was done in the fourth chukkur. Paul and Carolan added a goal each in the fifth and sixth respectively, while Pasadena's second and last score came in the seventh period, through pretty riding by Le Boutellier.

Philadelphia Country Club and the Midwicks team, of Pasadena, will play tomorrow in the second round for the Golden Gate cups.

OBAKS WIN THREE STRAIGHT

Rainbow Bowling Team Defeated in Final League Match at Eugene.

EUGENE, Or., March 26.—(Special.)—The local end of the schedule of the Willamette Valley Bowling League came to a close last night, when the Obaks defeated the Rainbow representatives in three straight games. Hyland, of the Rainbows, with 234 pins, made the high game and Patton, of the Obaks, went away with high average of 209. Patton also made high average of the season with 192. The Corvallis and Salem Club teams have a match to roll and then the schedule for the season will be completed.

Following are the results of the game last night and the standings of the league:

The Obaks—	1.	2.	3.	Ttl.
Shaw	180	173	169	522
Reynolds	195	161	181	537
Baker	164	192	226	582
B. Eaton	232	213	167	612
Patton	202	201	225	628
Totals	973	940	968	2882
The Rainbow—				
Lynch	156	150	146	452
O'Brien	207	189	175	551
Hyland	234	190	202	626
Dillon	158	187	174	507
C. Eaton	158	174	169	501
Totals	891	890	856	2647

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Salem Electric	19	11	.633
Obaks Eugene	17	13	.567
Rainbow, Eugene	17	13	.567
Corvallis	15	12	.556
Albany	11	19	.367
Salem Club	8	19	.296

NILES AND PELL DEFEATED

Two Favorites Eliminated at Longwood Club Tennis Tourney.

BOSTON, March 26.—The elimination of N. W. Niles, of Boston, and T. R. Pell, of New York, was the feature of the second day's play in the annual indoor invitation tennis tournament of the Longwood Cricket Club today. The summary:

First round, Irving C. Wright, Boston, defeated B. S. Prentice, New York, 2-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Second round, J. D. Edones, Providence, defeated T. R. Pell, New York, 7-9, 6-0, 6-3.

R. N. Williams, II, Philadelphia, defeated J. S. Pfaffman, Boston, 7-5, 6-3.

H. C. Johnson, Boston, defeated N. W. Niles, Boston, 6-2, 6-2.

Irving C. Wright, Boston, defeated H. G. M. Kelleher, Seattle, 7-5, 7-5.

Doubles, first round, N. W. Niles and A. S. Dabney, Boston, defeated A. J. Veysey, Montreal, and H. G. M. Kelleher, Seattle, 6-3, 6-3.

Second round, R. Norris Williams II., Philadelphia, and H. C. Johnson, Boston, defeated T. R. Pell and B. S Prentice, New York, 6-1, 6-2.

100-TO-8-SHOT WINS CHASE

Ally Sloper Takes First in $15,510 Steeplechase at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, March 26.—The Grand National steeplechase, run here today, was won by Ally Sloper. Jacobus was second and Father Confessor third. Twenty horses started, but only nine finished.

The betting was 100 to 8 against Ally Sloper, 25 to 1 against Jacobus and 10 to 1 against Father Confessor.

The steeplechase, a handicap, was worth $15,510 to the winner. The race was run over a course of four miles and 856 yards.

BOWLING RECORD IS BROKEN

Coloradoan Rolls 711, Highest at Any American Congress Meet.

PEORIA, Ill., March 26.—The score of W. H. Pierce, of Pueblo, Colo., who last night rolled 711, is the highest ever rolled in the singles at any tournament of the American Bowling Congress.

Walter Cook, of Philadelphia, with 697, is in second place.

Winner Is to Be Named.

The board of directors of the Portland Soccer Football Association will decide at a meeting to be held tonight which team is to be declared winner of first honors for the 1915 season. The meeting will be held at 8:30 o'clock in the offices of John D. Dwyer, in the Chamber of Commerce building. The contest appears to be between the Multnomah Club and "Scotty" Duncan's Weonas, but several protested and forfeited games are to be awarded.

Iowa Retains Coach Hawley.

CHICAGO, March 26.—Jesse B. Hawley, for three years coach of the University of Iowa football team, today signed a contract here to drill the team for one more season, that of 1915.

BIG PARADE TONIGHT

City Leaguers Are Ready to Make Their Turnout.

AGGIE GAME IS TODAY

West Side Club Is to Meet College Team at Recreation Park—Ed Rankin Chosen as Umpire and Lineup Announced.

All is in readiness for the parade of the City Leaguers tonight. The brass band heading the procession will start from Second and Oak streets at 8:30 o'clock. The four teams of the league, as well as the East Side Redmen, will be out in uniform. The lodge members will turn out in their Indian togs and war paint. The parade will move up Washington street to Tenth and then down Morrison and over the bridge to Grand avenue. It will then go north on Grand to East Broadway and back over the Broadway bridge to the West Side and disband.

Several autos will be in line, conveying the players of the four teams.

The Archer & Wiggins Company withdrew its support from the Sellwood club yesterday, but as several other firms have come to the front with offers, the team will retain its place in the league.

Ed Rankin, the veteran umpire, will officiate in this afternoon's contest between the Oregon Aggie team and the West Side club of the City League. The game will be played at Recreation Park and will start at 3 o'clock. Bicky Williams will be Dr. Stewart's choice on the mound, opposing Bert Fitchner for the West Siders.

Al Lodell, the former Pendleton manager, will be seen on first for the West Side club. Fred McKeem will be out with an injured knee. The City League club is figuring on using Wolfer, the interscholastic star, in the outer garden. The lineups:

Aggies—	West Side—
Williams, p.	Fitchner, p.
Siberis, p.	Murphy, p.
Weller, c.	Druhot, p.
Hayes, c.	Irvine, c.
Goble, 1b.	Lodell, 1b.
Smith, 2b.	Yeit, 2b.
Hutt, 2b.	Childers, 3b.
Fryer, 3b.	Watts, ss.
Morgan, ss.	Wolfer, rf.
Loof, lf.	Murray, cf.
Baldwin, cf.	Lind, lf.
Groce, cf.	
Seely, rf.	

BOXERS ACCEPT WELSH

JOHNSON AND WILLARD LIKE CALIFORNIAN AS REFEREE.

Battling Nelson's 25-Round Bout Talk of Camps and Negro Calls It Tip on Result of Big Battle.

HAVANA, March 26.—Jack Johnson and Jess Willard put in several miles of road work this morning. The weather was threatening and the pugilists worked indoors in the afternoon.

Both men expressed satisfaction with the selection of Jack Welsh, of San Francisco, as referee, and said they hoped he would agree to serve. Welsh is accustomed to long fights, such as the Johnson-Willard bout is likely to be. He has knowledge of in-fighting and clinching which would be valuable. The fighters evidently are planning on close work when they meet.

Battling Nelson's 25-round fight last night with Jimmy Freyer is the talk of both camps. Johnson says that Nelson's victory gave "a tip on the result of the big battle."

WELSH SAYS HE WILL ACCEPT

San Franciscan Will Leave Today for Havana to Referee Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—Jack Welsh, named as referee of the Johnson-Willard fight for the world's heavyweight championship at Havana, Cuba, April 4, said today that he will act.

Welsh will leave here for Havana tomorrow.

RING TEAM TO BE CHOSEN

Northwest to Send Only Amateurs to San Francisco.

T. Morris Dunne, secretary of the Pacific Northwest Association, the local branch of the Amateur Athletic Union, will leave Portland for Seattle today.

Mr. Dunne while in Seattle will confer with the president and vice-president of the association regarding the boxing and wrestling teams that will represent the Pacific Northwest Association at the Panama-Pacific Exposition championships. Mr. Dunne said the selection of the two teams probably would be made at Sunday's session in Seattle. A. S. Goldsmith, of Seattle, president of the association, and H. S. Bordwick, vice-president, of Spokane, are the other two officials.

Another meeting of the Pacific Northwest Association officials will be held at a later date, at which time the various other teams will be chosen.

"The greatest care will be taken in selecting the boxers," said Mr. Dunne before his departure. "None but simon-pure amateurs will be chosen. The boys who have become professionals by appearing in unsanctioned meets will lose out entirely."

SWIMMING POOL WORK BEGINS

City Expects Tank on Old Multnomah Site to Be Finished Soon.

Workmen, employed by the city, began work yesterday on a swimming pool on the site of the old Multnomah clubhouse at Chapman and Yamhill streets. The officials of the Multnomah Club, when apprised of the situation, donated the grounds where the old clubhouse was destroyed by fire.

James O. Convill, City Superintendent of Parks, visited the site yesterday and said the old swimming tank could be utilized. It is the plan to build the tank with a sloping bottom and about 20 by 30 feet.

The swimming pool will become the property of the city and will be run on the same plans as those in the parks at Sellwood and Peninsula.

The work of construction will take about two weeks.

Bescher Undecided About Trade.

SHERMAN, Texas, March 26.—Bob Bescher, New York National outfielder, reported last night as having been transferred to the St. Louis Nationals, said here today he had not decided definitely to accept the change.

That mosquitoes detract some $200,000,000 from New Jersey farm values was the remarkable statement made by a New Jersey doctor.

ICE SKATING
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