

AUTOS READY TO GO

Best Race Cars and Drivers of Northwest to Compete.

THRILLING EVENTS SURE

Portland Men in Contests Have Big Following Who Are Confident They Will Win Honors—Machines Start at 2:30.

When Starter C. J. Cook gives the signal to go in the Portland special, for Portland-owned and driven cars, at 2:30 o'clock today there will be at the Rose City speedway the fastest cars and crack drivers of the Pacific Northwest. For actual racing contests there never was assembled in this city before so many class racing machines and crack Northwest speed kings.

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The Portland cars, after days and nights of constant work, are ready to have their trial, and their drivers feel confident of success. C. C. Clinton's Bluebird will carry the hopes of its owner, and his hosts of friends. William J. Smith's Marmon is fast and will be troublesome in all the races in which it starts. P. V. Forbes and C. N. Bankhead, are among the best of the Portland special.

The work of oiling the track was completed yesterday, putting it in good condition, machines being kept off the course until today, and with no more rain the track will be almost dustless and fast.

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TACOMA SHUTS OUT ABERDEEN. Only Run of Game Is Scored Off Concannon in Ninth Inning.

TACOMA, Wash., April 30.—Concannon's pitching in the locals today for eight and one-third innings. They scored the only run of the game through two bases on balls, an infield hit and a hit by Stokke. Iron Horse McGinnity held Aberdeen to three widely-scattered hits. Score: Tacoma 9, Victoria 8.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 30.—Vancouver outbatted Seattle today and won the game, 2 to 2. The visitors got 13 hits, but fast fielding kept the score down. Score: Seattle 2, Vancouver 3.

BAKER PICKS 12 ATHLETES. Contestants for Eastern Oregon Interscholastic Meet Chosen.

Amateur Athletics. Out-of-town games are wanted by the West-All Stars for any Sunday in May and June.

scholastic League will be played next Wednesday afternoon with Columbia University opposing Washington High school. The match will be played on the Multnomah field, and will be the third contest of the 1915 season.

RETURN OF KAUF EXPECTED. Attorney for Outlaws Denounces New York Club Owners.

DETROIT, April 30.—Obviously the New York club has no respect for the legal or moral obligations of Kauf's contract with the Federal League club, said Edwin E. Gates, general counsel for the Federal League.

TRACK MEET IS POSTPONED. Will Show on Ground at La Grande Athletic Sports Are Put Off.

LA GRANDE, Or., April 30.—(Special.)—Snow has frustrated the annual Union County track meet. There the meet will be held tomorrow, but it will drift of snow unless it thaws fast.

CLUBS OF OTHER CITIES REPORT WORK DONE IN CHAMBER. The Dales Already Is in Renovated Garb and Cottage Grove Prepares for Campaign.

While the Chamber of Commerce committee is carrying forward the Portland campaign for the observance of "Clean-up and Paint-up Week," May 4-11, the movement is being kept up with equal enthusiasm throughout the state and the committee here is receiving daily information from various other cities on the plans that they have made.

SHRAPNEL SUIT ACTED ON. Wilson Directs Federal Inquiry Into Wisconsin Case.

WASHINGTON, April 30.—President Wilson today directed Attorney General Gregory to make an investigation of the complaint filed yesterday in Milwaukee to determine whether the Allis-Chalmers Company has entered into a conspiracy with the Bethlehem Steel Company or others to ship shrapnel shells to Europe.

SALMON SEASON IS HERE. Army of Fishermen Are Ready to Begin Operations Today.

Lebanon Will Clean Up. LEBANON, Or., April 30.—(Special.)—This city will observe May 4 to 11 as "clean-up week."

KIRCHER IS LET GO

McCredie Gives Release Note to Little Comedian.

BARNES HERE FOR PLAYERS. Aberdeen Manager May Offer Jobs to Eastley and Reiger—Marionini Refuses Place and Will Go to Oakland.

Five days hence Happy Hogan will have the funny field exclusively monopolized. In order to get in under the 18-man limit prescribed for Pacific Coast League clubs, Portland yesterday doled out a notice of release to George Kircher, comedian outlander, secured from Atlanta during the winter in trade for Buddy Ryan.

BRIDE TO BE LOST YEAR. Beautiful Heiress Taken Home by Parents, but Youth May Visit.

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MANY DAILIES FACE SUITS. Lebanon Pioneers to Gather. Mrs. Upton Sinclair Asks Damages for Story Alleging Arrest.

Blood Risings Begin A Mere Speck. Stop Them From Growing Large and Dangerous.

Nearly everyone who uses S. S. S. for the blood recalls a friend who went through untold suffering as the result of a mere pimple or small blood rising.

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Masons Have Charge of Programme and City Takes Holiday During Most of Afternoon.

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CAT'S PAW RUBBER HEELS

CUSHION

That Foster Friction Plug Prevents Slipping

It stands between millions of people and dangerous, slippery sidewalks. It makes Cat's Paw Heels wear longer because placed right where the jar and wear comes.

Do you have weak ankles? Then you need the Foster Friction Plug. It gives you extra support when needed. Especially valuable to policemen, athletes, conductors, floor walkers and all who are on their feet a great deal.

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