

FIELDER JONES MAINTAINS LEAD IN NATIONAL

Despite Denial, St. Louis Fed Chief Is Seen in Role of Boss if Leagues Unite.

AID BY UNION EXPECTED

Proposed Combination Is Thought to Be Solution of Long-Standing Controversy Between Organized Baseball and Federals.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. Fielder Jones will not admit it, but it is almost a certainty that if the National and the Federal leagues combine, as now seems likely, the astute manager of the St. Louis Federals will be boosing a National league club in 1916.

"The warfare between organized baseball and the Federal League has been one of these causes; hard times also have contributed, and the unpopularity of the National league in Chicago, Brooklyn, St. Louis, Pittsburgh and some other cities of the circuit has added to the wood and tribulations of the National pastime.

"The New York Nationals appear to be due for another bad year in 1916, and unless some radical move is made the odds are heavy that the club will be sold before another 12 months. It would be the savior of baseball to consolidate the two leagues.

"Weighman in Chicago would be fully as popular with the Cubs as Comiskey is with the Sox, Phil Ball in St. Louis is a prince, and would strengthen the Nationals in that city, and H. F. Sinclair, backer of the Newark, has loads of money and has wanted to get into organized ball at New York for many years."

Cincinnati Reported on Market. Cincinnati is another National League city, which is said on good authority, to be on the market, and fact August Herrmann's admission in Cincinnati yesterday that something big is impending indicates that the Reds may be on the block.

Just what will be done for the International League and the American Association in the event of a settlement of the war will be the subject of these American Association leagues have stood by their guns in spite of heavy losses and some provision should be made for them.

The American Association needs Kansas City and this city undoubtedly will be abandoned to them in case of any consolidation. There is some talk of placing an American Association club in Weighman's plant in Chicago.

Havana Training Dispensed With. One thing is sure, reverting to Fielder Jones again, and that is that there will be no more Havana training trips for his ball tossers whether they be Federals or Nationals.

CLAREY AND STROWGER WIN Slow and Fast Targets Used in Gun Club Trap Event. Two styles of targets were released yesterday to the members who visited the Portland Gun Club grounds at Jenne Station.

ACADEMY WILL PLAY CADETS Hill Football Team to Be Seen Tomorrow Against League Eleven. Followers of the Portland Intercollegiate League football will have a chance to see the Hill Military Academy eleven in action on Multnomah Field for the first time this season tomorrow, when Coach "Spec" Hulbert comes his Portland Academy athletes against the cadets.

AGGIES NEAR EAST LANSING Michigan Players Coached to Meet Expected Aerial Attack. EAST LANSING, Mich., Oct. 28.—The Oregon Agricultural College football team which is traveling across the continent in a special car to play the Michigan Aggies on Saturday, is due to reach here early tomorrow morning.

ABERDEEN Not to See Big Leaguers. ABERDEEN, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special)—Plans to bring the All-Star American and National League teams here on November 13 have been abandoned by Aberdeen business men. The guarantee asked was only \$500, but Aberdeen men felt that the chances

OREGON WORKSHARPS Game With Willamette Will Be Played at Salem Tomorrow.

HUMILIATION SPURS TEAM Bezdak Eleven Is Grinding Hard to Run Up Big Score Against Missionaries in Retaliation for Defeat Two Years Ago.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Oct. 28.—(Special).—With the Willamette game in Salem Saturday a mere question of hours, Hugo Bezdak is sending his men through a pretty drill in preparation for the coming struggle with the Methodists.

Bezdak Eleven Is Grinding Hard to Run Up Big Score Against Missionaries in Retaliation for Defeat Two Years Ago. Last season Bezdak took delight in bringing the Salem eleven to Eugene and administering a thorough beating, as it were, for the chargin which was suffered from the unkindness of "Doc" Sweetland the year previous.

OREGON MAY HARE TRIP UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MAY BE MET. Proposal Made for Game at Los Angeles November 6—Conquerors of Berkeley Regarded as Strong.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Oct. 28.—(Special).—A. R. Tiffany, graduate manager, has been negotiating with the managerial end of the University of Southern California football team, and as a result there is a possibility that Oregon will meet the Californians in Los Angeles November 6, the former date of the Oregon-Washington contest.

MOVIE TO OUST MINOR LEAGUE MAGNATES IS OPPOSED. Beaver Manager Says Association Officers Pleased in Good Years, and This Is No Time to Object.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 28.—(Special).—There'll be a hot time in San Francisco when the minor league baseball magnates meet there a week from Tuesday.

MINNESOTA Takes 35 to Play Illinois. MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 28.—The University of Illinois football team had its final local workout this afternoon. The players reach Chicago tomorrow morning, where practice is to be held for the first time in the season.

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ARMY-NAVY TICKETS DISTRIBUTED WEST POINT, N. Y., Oct. 28.—Distribution of the Army's share of tickets for the football game to be played with the Navy in New York on November 27 is under way.

INDO EAGER FOR GAME ENTHUSIASM AROUSED FOR WASHINGTON COLLEGE CONTEST. Regulars, Heretofore Out of Play, May Be Able to Line Up Against Diets' Eleven Tomorrow.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, Moscow, Oct. 28.—(Special).—The whole student body is at this time with excitement over the coming annual game with Washington State College Saturday.

LA GRANDE FACES TEST TODAY Outcome With Pendleton Eleven Is Regarded as Dubious.

LA GRANDE, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special).—A team minus four of its chief players will go to Pendleton tomorrow to win the big test for the Eastern Oregon championship.

"MAC" BACKS FARRELL HARVARD Eleven Stronger. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 28.—Harvard expects to go into the Pennsylvania game many points ahead of the next Saturday than it was against Cornell.

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FIVE HORSES SOLD

Ballot, Son of Voter, Brings \$15,600 Under Hammer.

EARNINGS EXCEED \$150,000 Hessians Sells for \$3500, Imp Sain for \$2900 and Blush Rose for \$2100 at Big Auction of Elmendorf Stables.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 28.—Ballot, son of Voter, and reputed one of the greatest thoroughbred racehorses of modern times, today brought \$15,600 at the sale of stallions, brood mares and yearlings belonging to the estate of the late James B. Haggin and quartered at the Elmendorf farm.

JEFFS TO PLAY FRANKLIN JAMISON'S ELEVEN MUST WIN TO KEEP IN RACE FOR TITLE. Several Players of North East Side Team Will Be Out of Play Because of Injuries.

The third football game of the week in the Portland interscholastic league will be played this afternoon between the Jefferson High School and the Franklin High on Multnomah Field.

SHOE REPAIRING While You Wait. Knight's SAMPLE SHOE SHOP. CORNER FOURTH AND ALDER STREETS. Send Your Mail Orders Here.

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