FEDERALS LURE 3 MORE BEAVER STARS

Third Baseman Bates Reports Partial Deal for Release to Play With Newark.

WARD, STUMPF INVOLVED

Chief of Vernon Tigers Is After Scalp of President Baum, but Move Is Opposed—Extension in Rodgers Deal Given.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

Unless the dove of peace lights in the rival camps of the outlaw Federal League and organized baseball rather soon, the Portland Coast League club is due to lose three more of its stars to the Federal circuit.

Ray Bates, stellar third baseman and the unanimous choice for all-star honors at third base in the league, held a conference with W. W. McCredie yesterday and announced his intention of jumping to the Newarks of the Federal League.

Bates also said that Chuck Ward, shortstop on the Portland club, intended to jump to the Brooklyn Feds, and that Bill Stumpf, second baseman, had an offer to play with the Baltimore Feds and expected to sign shortly. Baltimore is Stumpf's home town.

"I live at Patterson, N. J., only a few miles from Newark," said Bates last night. "I held a conference with W. W. McCredie yesterday, and partially put through a deal for the purchase of my release from Portland, because I do not want to get blacklisted if I can help it.

"My Newark offer is too good to pass up, however, and if the Newark folk will sign a three-year contract, drawn by my own lawyer and not theirs, I will accept the offer. I expect to leave Portland Friday night for Patterson.

"Ward and Stumpf also are pretty certain to go to the Federals, for both have had good offers."

Judge McCredie confirmed Bates' statement about his conference with his star third baseman.

"Ray is a clean, likeable fellow, and gave us good service this year," remarked the Portland magnate. "He wanted to go to the majors this Fall, and when nobody placed a draft against him I guess it hurt him. If he wants to buy his release I guess we can come to terms, although I told him I would have to consult Walter McCredie.

"Let them all go, if they can better themselves. We lost Krapp, Chadbourne and Berry in one year and came back and won the pennant in 1914. Perhaps we will be able to do it again, for we'll have the Piedmont Maroons left anyway."

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Eddie Maier, president of the Vernon Tigers, is out after the scalp of A. T. Baum, Coast League president, but W. W. McCredie, Portland director, isn't in favor of any move to oust the popular Baum.

Baum was appointed three years ago under a three-year contract calling for $5000 a year. His contract runs out this year, it is understood.

"There may be some reason for Maier's move that I am not aware of," said President McCredie. "But it seems to me that Baum has made us a good president."

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President McCredie received a letter from Cincinnati yesterday asking a further extension of time on Bill Rodgers. "Give us until December 20 to decide whether we will keep Rodgers or not," read August Herrmann's epistle. His request was granted, and Portland fans will not know whether Rodgers is to return or not until after the holidays.

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Elmer Lober and Rube Evans, members of the Portland Coast club, expect to leave today for Fossil, Or., where they will hunt and rusticate during the Winter months. Last Winter these two athletes, with Bill Rodgers and Buddy Ryan, comprised that near famous party which tried to navigate up the Columbia River in tiny motorboats. After being nearly sucked over Celilo Falls the party went into bivouac and left their boats stranded on the beach somewhere east of The Dalles.

3 MORE COASTERS MAY JUMP

Gedeon, of Bees, and Middleton and Prough, of Oaks, Dissatisfied.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—(Special.)—Jimmy Johnston, Oakland's malfstay in the outfield, already signed to a contract to play with the Newark club in the Federal League; Joe Gedeon, of Salt Lake, ready to accept an offer with the same team, if indeed he has not signed a contract; Roxy Middleton, outfielder, and Clinton Prough, pitcher, both of the Oaks, on the verge of jumping to the outlaws in baseball.

All this is said on good authority to be the result of the week-end visit that was made to San Francisco by George Stovall, manager of the Kawfeds and high in the councils of the independents.

Salary cuts in the new contracts offered by the Oakland management are said to be the cause of dissatisfaction so far as the players of that club are concerned.

When word came earlier in the year that the Cubs had refused to exercise their option on Johnston, Jimmy, so it is reported, was assured by Manager Rowdy Elliott that he would be handsomely treated. His 1916 contract, recently submitted to him, called for a cut of $500 on the season and this Johnston would not stand for.

Gedeon is aggrieved because of the desire of the Washington club to send him to Minneapolis. The Senators held an option on Joe and recalled him at the end of the year. He insists that the management is sore because he didn't sign a contract calling for more money than he received with Salt Lake and now wants to punish him by sending him to Minneapolis. Also he is open to the assertion that he will not go to a minor league club.

Whether he has signed as yet with the Feds he will not state, but an authentic report says he has reached a thorough understanding with Stovall.

Middleton, so the story goes, has a minor financial difference with the Oakland club and has threatened that unless he is properly treated he will flock with the independents.

Prough wants more money than the Oaks seem desirous of giving him for the coming season.

MULTNOMAH TEAM OFF SUNDAY

Arrangements for Trip to Meet San Francisco Eleven Altered.

Because no return sailing date could be had on the Great Northern between November 10 and November 20, Manager Martin Pratt and Superintendent Dow V. Walker, of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club, had to cancel their reservations with that company yesterday. As a result of this action the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club football players will leave Portland for San Francisco on the Rose City next Sunday and will return November 19.

Word was received from the Olympic Club that all is in readiness for the 1915 club championship football game of the Pacific Coast. The contest will be played on the Marina at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, in San Francisco, November 14. The Portlanders will arrive in the Bay City November 9 and will work on the exposition field prior to the match.

Captain "Red" Rupert is more than ever anxious to have his athletes on the field at every practice from now on. He has issued orders that all must don their suits tonight and be on hand at Multnomah Field by 7:15 o'clock. The final session before sailing will be held Thursday night, after which the 20 members of the club who are to make the journey will be selected.

Wallace de Witt, one of the stellar backfield men, has not been out of late, but he will be on hand tonight. Open plays will be practiced tonight and Thursday, in order to have the heavy clubmen in condition to put up a great game against the Olympic Club aggregation, of San Francisco.

Ray Bates, Who Wants to Buy Release From Beavers in Order to Sign With Feds.

THREE TIE GAMES ARE PLAYED

Columbia Parks and Oregon City Battle ot 6-to-6 Score.

Close and hard-fought games were played Sunday in the Intercity Football League and the Spalding Football Circuit. Two tie contests were staged in the Spalding division, while the Columbia Park first squad battled to a 6-to-6 tie with the Oregon City aggregation at Oregon City in the Intercity Heavyweight League.

The Brooklyn-Nob Hill affair, which resulted in a no-score match, was witnessed by one of the officials of the Spalding League. The Nob Hill team is said to have used two or three ineligible players, and if this is the case the game will be forfeited to Brooklyn. South Portland walloped the Junior Moose 13 to 0 on the South Portland Bottoms, mainly through the efforts of Rolly Jones, Sam Graham, Bauer and Harding. Holladay and Columbia Park second failed to score a point in their game on the Columbia Park gridiron.

EARL'S MEN TO USE OPEN PLAY

Washington to Meet Portland Academy Tomorrow Afternoon.

The next game on the Portland Interscholastic League programme is slated for tomorrow afternoon with Washington High battling Portland Academy on Multnomah Field. Between halves of this contest the Oregon Aggies are slated to workout for 15 or 20 minutes so that they will not have to go back to Corvallis until Thursday morning.

Coach Earl, of Washington High, has been working in a different manner with his athletes since his 6-to-3 defeat at the hands of the Lincoln High last week, and several new plays have been brought up to be used against the private school lads. Coach "Spec" Hurlburt worked with his proteges on the Portland Academy field yesterday afternoon and, if arrangements can be made, he will hold his final workout on Multnomah Field this afternoon.

ALL-STARS BEAT SEALS, 13-3

No Game to Be Played Today Because of Presentation of Pennant.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—The All-Stars made it two-all today by defeating San Francisco 13 to 3. The major leaguers fell on the offerings of Brown and Cavet with great relish, poling out 18 safeties—every player on the team getting at least one. The Seals were erratic, furnishing six bases on balls, while the All-Stars fielded perfectly.

There will be no game tomorrow, as the Seals will receive formally the 1915 Pacific Coast League pennant during the San Francisco day celebration at the Panama-Pacific Exposition: Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
All-Stars..	13	18	0	San Fran....	3	7	6

Batteries—Coveleskie and Stanage; Brown, Cavet and Sepulveda, Schmidt.

Berlin Hill Has Racing.

BERLIN, Nov. 1, by wireless to Sayville.—Pech, of the Klausner stud, won the Berlin trotting derby of 50,000 marks ($12,500).

Northwest Football to Date.

Oregon Aggies.			
Oregon Aggies	3	Alumni	0
Oregon Aggies	60	Willamette	0
Oregon Aggies	34	Whitman	7
Oregon Aggies	0	Washington State	29
Oregon Aggies	20	Michigan Aggies	0
Totals	126	Totals	36
Washington University.			
Washington	31	Ballard	0
Washington	61	Washington Park	0
Washington	21	Gonzaga	7
Washington	27	Whitman	0
Totals	140	Totals	7
Whitman.			
Whitman	13	The Dalles	0
Whitman	0	Multnomah Club	6
Whitman	7	Oregon Aggies	34
Whitman	0	Oregon	21
Whitman	0	Washington	27
Totals	20	Totals	87
Oregon.			
Oregon	7	Multnomah Club	16
Oregon	3	Washington State	28
Oregon	19	Idaho	7
Oregon	21	Whitman	0
Oregon	48	Willamette	0
Totals	98	Totals	51
Idaho.			
Idaho	3	Montana	15
Idaho	7	Oregon	19
Idaho	0	Washington State	41
Totals	10	Totals	75
Multnomah Club.			
Multnomah	16	Oregon	7
Multnomah	6	Whitman	0
Multnomah	32	Washington Park	0
Totals	54	Totals	7

TRAPPING NOW IS ON

Furs Obtained Last Year Net About $10,000.

BEAVERS HAVE NO SEASON

Warning of Sentence and Heavy Penalties Attached to Violations Is Given—401 Wildcats Ensnared During 1914.

Trapping, that is perhaps the most remunerative of all pastimes for the hunter, opens in this state November 1.

There are a number of animals in the state that are fur-bearing and have enough of a commercial value to warrant time and pains in their capture. Predatory animals also have a commercial value, since there are bounties for their hides.

A report of last year's trapping, made to the State Game Warden, show that of all the trappers that turned in reports of their work for the Winter, a number that represented about 60 per cent of the total number that took out licenses, $10,000 was realized from the sale of the furs and pelts.

Beavers Have No Open Season.

Of the fur-bearing animals the following list shows the number of the animals reported trapped in this state and their approximate values for each skin:

Mink, 1673, $2; muskrat, 17,681, 12 cents; marten, 266, $3; otter, 94, $7.25; fisher, 1, $15.

According to information gained at the office of the State Game Warden there seems to be a belief that there is this year an open season for beaver. There is, however, no open season for these fur-bearing animals, and there is both a fine and a prison sentence attached to a violation. Heavy penalties are attached to violations of any of the game laws.

The southwestern and southeastern parts of the state are the most fruitful fields for the mink, otter and marten, and in the eastern part of the state are found most of the predatory animals.

401 Wildcats Killed Last Year.

Last year there were reported killed 401 wildcats, 25 cougars, 1 wolf and 28 bears. It has been estimated by officials of the Game Warden's office that the average number of deer that are killed by these four mentioned animals is 120 a year. The cougars and wildcats kill more than that, and it is easily seen what the state has gained by having these animals killed.

The laws governing the trapping of fur-bearing animals follow:

51. (a) Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person over 16 years of age, in the State of Oregon, to hunt or trap on lands other than his own premises, for fur-bearing animals of this state, unless such person shall have first obtained a state trapper's license from the State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners, paying therefor the sum of one dollar $1); provided, that any money derived from the sale of any state's trapper's license, as provided by this act, shall be forwarded to the State Treasurer, who shall deposit same in the game protection fund.

(b) For the purposes of this act the following shall be considered fur-bearing animals: Otter, mink, fisher, marten and muskrat.

(c) For the open season for the trapping of fur-bearing animals shall be as follows: Otter, mink, fisher, marten and muskrat from November 1 to February 28 of the following year.

(d) No flesh of any game bird or animal shall be used for trap bait in trapping fur-bearing animals.

(e) It shall be unlawful to disturb or remove the traps of any licensed trapper while trapping on the public domain or on lands where he has permission to trap.

(f) The traps of any person trapping without a license off his own lands, except as provided in this section, shall be siezed by the State Game Warden or any officer charged with the enforcement of the game laws, and may be sold, and the money derived from such sale shall be deposited in the Game Protection Fund and used as are other moneys in this act provided.

(g) It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to destroy or injure any muskrat house at any time, except where such muskrat house is an obstruction to a private or public ditch or water course.

(h) The State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners shall be furnished with a verified report in writing from any person holding a trapper's license, at the termination of the trapping season, of the number and kinds of fur-bearing animals caught and killed during the open season, and where sold and amount derived from sale. Any trapper failing to make such a report shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

(i) It shall be lawful to keep fur-bearing animals at any time for the purpose of propagation and sale only; provided, that a permit so to do shall first have been obtained from the State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners. No fur-bearing animals shall be kept which are caught wild during the closed season for such. Any fur-bearing animal so kept shall not be disposed of in any manner during the closed season. The State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners shall be furnished with a verified yearly report showing the number of animals kept in captivity, the number sold and the number remaining on hand.

(j) Nothing in this act shall be construed to prohibit the buying or having in possession, at any time, of fur-bearing animals or hides taken or killed within or without the state; provided, that the burden of proof shall be with the trapper or dealer to prove that the hide was taken at such time as such killing or taking was lawful.

(k) Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent any person from protecting his own premises from the depredation of any fur-bearing animals enumerated in this section. (Laws 1913, chapter 232.)

Harness Notes.

STAKES and purses aggregating almost $100,000 is the magnet that is drawing horsemen from all parts of the country and Canada with their pacers and trotters to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco. The big race meeting of the year on the Pacific Coast commenced yesterday, and racing will be indulged in for 12 days.

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Because he said that he couldn't get the speed out of his horse and the next day the same animal won the feature race at Latonia, Ky., Jockey Small has been given an indeterminate suspension by the stewards of the track. The suspension is equivalent to a ruling off.

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Thomas W. Murphy, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., said to be the leading harness man of the United States, will be an interesting figure at the exposition meeting in San Francisco this week. Murphy has a string of horses that compare with any and no doubt will have entries every day. Peter Scott, Murphy's star trotter, which won the $30,000 stake at Lexington, Ky., will be on hand this week.

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The 2 and 3-year-old trotting and pacing events which ordinarily are held at the State Fair in Sacramento, Cal., have been switched to San Francisco this Winter and will be featured there.

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The three biggest contests of the California meeting this week and next will be for the Pacific Futurity, the Stanford and the Occident stakes. These were among the first futurity stakes for harness horses ever given.

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San Francisco day has been set aside for today, and the main event for the day will be for the Occident stake. Hal Boy, the former Oregon horse, will be entered in the 2:12 pace for the $2000 stake and will be driven by Dick McMahon.

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Some of the leading horse experts in the East are picking Hal Boy to win the $20,000 race for 2:06 pacers. Hal Boy was purchased for $12,000 by S. A. Fletcher, of Indianapolis, Ind., but soon after his change of ownership he went rather poorly, but he soon picked up. At Lexington recently he clipped the mile off in 2:01¼ and for this reason he is to be feared in the big race of the meeting according to those who have seen him work.

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Because the cattle show was in progress the stables at the exposition track could not be used by the visiting horsemen until last night. Everything has been turned over to the horsemen by Superintendent Maxwell, of the exposition stables.

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C. K. G. Billings, who owns more champion pacers and trotters than any other horseman in the country, has purchased, in partnership with Frederick Johnson, of New York, a dozen English yearlings that are being quartered at Belmont Park, N. Y. Mr. Billings is one of the biggest boosters in the idea of breeding Army horses and he is a staunch believer in adequate preparedness in case of war.

AGGIES DUE TOMORROW

HEAVY SCHEDULE CAUSES INABILITY TO ATTEND BANQUET.

Extension Plans for Entertainment of Victors Are Called Off, But Hope of Longer Stop Here Is Held.

Word was received in Portland last night that Coach Dr. E. J. Stewart and his victorious Oregon Aggies would be unable to remain in Portland as had been planned on by the Chamber of Commerce. Arrangements had been made whereby the Corvallis athletes would remain in Portland all day tomorrow but Dr. Stewart telegraphed last night that because of the strenuous schedule that was before him it would be impossible to allow his proteges to attend the banquet.

After arrival in Portland early tomorrow morning the local officials of the Chamber of Commerce may prevail on the much-talked of football mentor to permit his team to remain in Portland until late tomorrow night. Plans had been made to allow the Oregon Aggies the use of Multnomah Field between halves of the Washington High-Portland Academy contest for their daily workout.

The University of Idaho is slated to form opposition to the Aggies at Corvallis next Saturday and because no opportunity has been had to work out since the memorial 20-to-0 defeat of the Michigan Aggies at Lansing, Mich., last Saturday by the Corvallis contingent, Coach Dr. Stewart says that he needs all the remaining time to whip his boys into shape.

Even though many of the extensive plans have been called off, quite a delegation of followers will be on hand at the Union Depot to greet the Oregonians. The train is due to arrive in Portland around 7 o'clock tomorrow morning, and before leaving for the East last week Coach Dr. Stewart announced that he was going to take his aggregation immediately to Corvallis, leaving here an hour after his arrival.

Gridiron Gossip.

"OREGON Plow Boys Spring Surprise," is the way the Seattle Times "played" the story of the Aggies' victory over the Michigan Aggies.

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Add to Joe Miller' collection:

Gilmour Dobie, coach of Universiey of Washington football eleven, in Seattle Sunday newspaper:

"Washington will have to play a lot better football than they played against Whitman to hope for a victory over California. Personally I doubt if they can do it."

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Washington State gained 349 yards by scrimmage in the Idaho game and Idaho gained 136 yards. First downs were 30 to eight.

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Coach Frank Hinkey, of Yale, and "Hurry Up" Yost, of Michigan, are being panned in the East for going out upon the field of play in recent games to protest against decisions of the officials. Both of them were fortunate in that the officials did not enforce the rule which calls for the infliction of an additional 15 yards for jumping out onto the field that way without the necessary permission. It is not only undignified, but a distinct step backward for the coach of a big college team thus to lose his head. Little wonder there is agitation for relegating the coaches to the grandstands.

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Columbia University may not win the world's championship this Fall, but one thing sure, the team is progressive. Coach Metcalfe has ordered that the players wear numbers on their backs, like Pennsylvania, Dartmouth, Cornell and most of the other big Eastern teams.

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This surely looks like an indigo year for Yale. In the past 44 years of football Yale has been defeated only twice in one year on five different years and never before has Old Eli been licked thrice, as is the case this year. Harvard and Princeton have never beaten Yale in the same Fall. The teams which have accomplished the feat are:

1899—Columbia 6, Yale 0; Princeton 11, Yale 10.

1910—Army 9, Yale 3; Brown 21, Yale 0.

1911—Army 6, Yale 0; Princeton 6, Yale 3.

1914—Washington and Jefferson 14, Yale 7; Harvard 36, Yale 0.

1915—Virginia 10, Yale 0; Washington and Jefferson 16, Yale 7; Colgate 15, Yale 0.

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P. J. O'Dea's 62-yard drop-kick record, established in 1898 in a game between Wisconsin and Northwestern, was broken a few days ago by Mary Payne, of the Dakota Wesleyans. Payne dropped a goal from the 63-yard line in a game against the normal school. At Mansfield, Pa., Orson Wilcox, a high school boy, kicked a field goal from the 55-yard line, whihc is a preparatory school record.

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Never before in the history of the two institutions has so much interest been shown in the University of Oregon-Oregon Agricultural College football game as the one scheduled for two weeks from next Saturday, November 20, at Eugene. One big reason for the excitement is the fact that home-coming day is to be featured at the same time.

At present plans are being formulated to have 10,000 alumni and former students of the University of Oregon on the campus at one time. The "big game" will have a tendency to draw an exceptionally large crowd from Portland and vicinity, as this is the first time the two schools have met in Eugene for several years.

Don Orput, last year's auburn-haired yell leader at the state institution, is leading the movement in Portland to have several special trains leave early on the morning of the state championship battle, that the visitors may be able to get around and see old-time scenes, as well as renew acquaintances. Definite plans of action will be taken up this week and everything will be done by Orput to have the 10,000 visitors on hand November 20 in Eugene.

2 PLAYERS HOBBLE

Spellman and Monteith Hit by Water on Knee.

TEAM LEAVES TOMORROW

Aggies' Great Victory Over Michigan Aggies Nearly Causes Panic in Lemon-Yellow Camp, Where Hard Work Results.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Nov. 1.—(Special.)—It was a somewhat stiffened squad which reported to Coach Bezdek on the lemon-yellow gridiron this evening yet there was no let-up in the work of preparation for the game with the University of Southern California at Los Angeles next Saturday. The Willamette contest had its toll in a list of two injured—Spellman and Monteith are hobbling with water on the knee.

Tomorrow the Oregon mentor plans to send his men through a final scrimmage prior to the jaunt south and it is this work which will determine the personnel of the corps which is to travel. Wednesday evening Oregon leaves.

The Aggies' great victory at East Lansing caused a panic in athletic circles here and at the same time has given birth to a new feeling towards Dr. Stewart's men from the Agricultural College. Following their defeat at the hands of Washington State, the attitude of the Oregon squad smacked little of fear concerning the state championship scrap on November 20. It was figured that an apparent even break would constitute the worth of the two elevens on that day. Now all that has changed and there isn't an Oregon man who will volunteer a safe prediction.

"They all are sacred and it's a good way to have 'em," said a member of the Eugene coaching staff.

Hitherto Oregon generally entered the Aggie fracas with firm confidence in the ability of the lemon-yellow "jinx" over the Aggies to pull them out of the tight places and records show that in many instances that it was just this "physic something," which has given Oregon an even break and a win on many occasions.

When Bezdek heard of the Aggie victory Saturday all that he would say was, "I am surprised."

Saturday's battle with the California eleven is causing no little amount of interest. If Oregon brings home a victory the crowd, which will attend the Aggie game, is estimated well above 10,000 and already Eugene people are making ready to entertain on that day.

CHESS CHAMPION TO PLAY

Former Title Holder to Meet F. J. Marshall for $5000 Wager.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 1.—Frank J. Marshall, of New York, chess champion of the United States, and J. W. Showalter, of Georgetown, Ky., former champion, have agreed to play a series of games for a side wager of $2000, it was announced here today.

According to the agreement, games will be played in New York, Chicago and Lexington.

Olympic Bouts Set for Next Tuesday.

Officials of the Olympic Athletic Club announced yesterday that they were lining up a boxing card to be staged next Tuesday. An effort is being made to have Billie Mascott meet Jockey Bennett in the main event. It was also reported that workmen would be started remodeling the club's headquarters at Fourth and Yamhill streets immediately. It is the intention to put in another exit in order to comply with the fire ordinance.

Cincinnati Lightweight Matched.

Victor Wright, a likely looking lightweight, who claims Cincinnati as his home, has been matched with Jack Allen as one of the preliminaries to the Denny O'Brien-Ralph Gruman bout to be staged Friday at the Rose City Club. Wright recently arrived in town and has several clippings that speak well of his past performances. He is confident of winning.

Doble Won't Play Washington State.

SEATTLE, Nov. 1.—Coach Doble, of the University of Washington football team, said today that there was no possibility of the University of Colorado game, scheduled for Thanksgiving day here, being cancelled and a game with Washington State College substituted. Doble said that Washington had been beating Washington State College for seven years.

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EX-CUB WINS $2944 SUIT

Salary Guarantee of $5000 a Year to Hoffman Is Upheld.

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—A verdict of $2944, obtained by Arthur Hoffman against the Chicago National League club, was confirmed today in the Appellate Court. Hoffman was with the Cubs under a contract dated February 23, 1911, which provided for a salary of $5000 a year.

On May 29, 1912, he was notified by telegrams that he had been transferred to Pittsburg, and that the Pittsburg club would be responsible for the salary. The evidence showed that during the remainder of the season Hoffman received only $697 from the Pittsburg club, and that he did not enter into any contract with it, relying upon the telegram from the Chicago club.

BARNETT IS VICTOR FIRST DAY

Purse of $2000 Captured in Meet at Panama-Pacific Exposition.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1.—Virginia Barnett, owned and driven by W. G. Durfee, today won the opening race of a 12-day harness meeting at the Panama-Pacific Exposition track. It was a 2:10 trot for a purse of $2000 and the winner, who finished second in the $20,000 trot at the exposition meeting last Spring, won two of the three heats handily.

Thomas W. Murphy, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., won the second and third races easily with Major Ong and Mirthful who won respectively the 2:09 pace, for a purse of $2500 and the 2:15 trot, purse $2000.

Bits of Sport.

EDWARD B. M'LEAN, of Washington, D. C., has entered his $10,000 hunter. Alarm in the horse show which opens Saturday at Madison Square Garden, New York City. Alarm is probably the largest hunter in this country, standing 17.3 hands high and weighing 1375 pounds.

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Fencing has started at Columbia University. A call for candidates has been sent out.

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The Washington students are practicing a batch of new songs to be sung when Dobie's team takes on the California eleven.

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Dartmouth has probably the only one-armed football player in the country. George Neeley, whose right arm is cut off above the elbow, is playing guard on the freshman eleven, and coaches say he will make the 'varsity regular next season.

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Those who admired Leach Cross as a boxer are wondering why the battling dentist does not appear in the ring as regularly as before. The answer is that Leach is now dabbling in Wall street and has cleaned up a pile sufficient to retire on.

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Lindsey Murray, one of California's best tennis products, will play next season in the East. He now has a good position in New York and intends remaining there. He is a graduate of Leland Stanford.

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The latest sportsmen's club to make a bid for popularity is the National Sportsmen's Association, organized recently in New York. This club has for its objects the protection, preservation and propagation of birds, animals and fish in North America. It will also issue a regular bulletin, giving valuable information on the condition of different districts.

Season for Pheasant Is at End.

Duck and geese will have the call now with the hunters. The pheasant season for 1915 went out of existence in Oregon at sunset Sunday. In a couple of weeks the season forgeese will be good and in another month will be at its best, according to those who make a yearly practice of bagging water fowl. The duck season has not been all that the sportsmen hoped for, due to the long Summer dry spell. Eastern Oregon, especially the district around Arlington, will have the call when the geese begin to come south.

Big Leaguers at Colorado Springs.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Nov. 1.—The All-American baseball team defeated the All-Nationals 7 to 6 here today. The teams are on an exhibition tour.

Louis H. Heyde Is Dead.

BAKER, Or., Nov. 1.—(Special.)—Louis Augustus Heyde, aged 71, died at St. Elizabeth's Hospital today from pneumonia. Mr. Heyde was born in Munich, Germany, November 23, 1842, but spent the greater part of his life in America. A pioneer of California in the early days, he removed later to Baker County and was in business here. He was a member of the German Verein and of the Catholic Church. Three children survive.

The first ironclad was the British Warrior. Constructed in 1858, she was, in 1861, still on the active list.

ROSE CITY ATHLETIC CLUB 1915

Friday Nov. 5

Big Double Header
2 Main Events

Gruman vs. O'Brian

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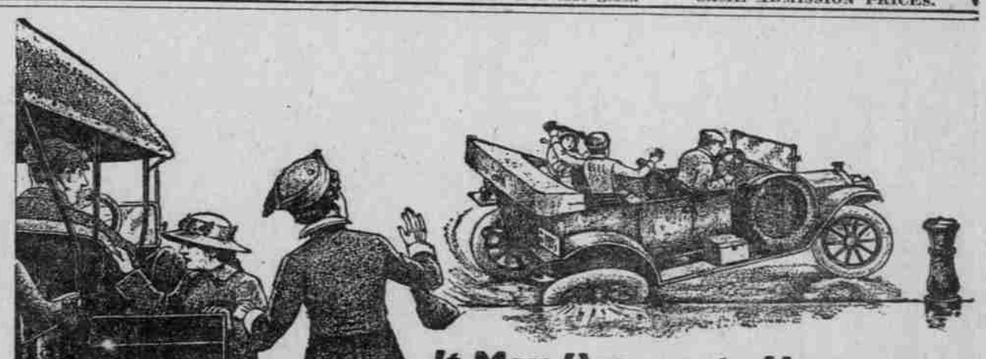

It May Happen to Yours
—whirled on skidding tires into a disastrous crash

Stop endangering your life as well as the lives of others. When streets are wet, always "chain your car to safety." Take no chances. Equip all four tires with

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