

UNCLE SAM'S WILL DEFEND TOMORROW

Hockey Season to Open Here When Governor Withycombe Tosses Puck on Ice.

VICTORIOUS TEAM RETURNS

Portland Spect Rated as Fast and Furious—Vancouver Millionaires Outplayed in Opening Game. Game to Start at 8:30.

He wants all managers of basketball teams to get in touch with him immediately. He wants to hear from Vancouver, Oregon City and several other teams in the vicinity of Portland. No weight limit has been placed, and for this reason, if a sufficient number of teams are listed, several leagues with weight divisions will be organized. Call Anderson at Main 718, between 8 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock at night.

H. R. EVERINGDING SCORE HIGHEST Wind and Rain Keep Marks at Traps Below Usual Run. H. R. Everding, president of the Portland Gun Club, with a mark of 87 per cent, was the high man at the mid-week shoot at the Jesse Station grounds of the Portland Gun Club, held yesterday. The wind and steady down-pour caused the pigeons to jump, and

TOD SLOAN IS EXILED EX-JOCKEY FORCED FROM ENGLAND AS CARD SHARP. Fashionable Quarters Closed Under Defense of Heals Act and Tod Is Housed to United States.

NO PLACE TO GO BUT OUT. Once more James Todhunter Sloan is back home. The once famous jockey of international repute arrived in New York last night and is quite indignant over his forced departure from England for the United States.

SEVERAL HORSES INELIGIBLE Warnings of Harness Events at Various Meets Ordered Returned. CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The board of appeals of the American Trotting Association today declared the following horses ineligible and ordered their winnings redistributed:

REED "DORM-DWELLERS" WIN Football Season Closes With 12-6 Victory Over Day Students. The Reed College football season ended yesterday afternoon when the "dorm-dwellers" defeated the "day-laborers" in a 12 to 6 hard battle. This marks the third consecutive annual victory that the dormitory students have won from their brothers who live off the campus.

MIKE GIBBONS III; FIGHT POSTPONED

Match With Young Ahearn for Title Now Scheduled for December 17.

PNEUMONIA IS FEARED

St. Paul Fans Expect to Find Great Improvement in Boxer, Whose Tour Abroad Is Said to Have Done Wonders.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 8.—Postponement for at least a week of the Mike Gibbons-Young Ahearn 19-round contest originally scheduled to take place here the night of December 16, was announced by the promoters tonight, because of the illness of Gibbons, who is suffering from a severe cold that threatens pneumonia.

SOCCER SCHEDULE MADE INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE IS TO HAVE 15 GAMES. Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln, Columbia, Franklin and Portland Academy to Compete.

WINTER FISHING ARGUED OREGON SPORTSMEN'S LEAGUE TO DISCUSS MANY TOPICS. Whether Anglers of Various Districts Shall Determine Seasons in Own Locality or Not to Be Taken Up.

BASEBALL SLAVERY ASSAILED Judge McCredie Says Shaw Poorly in Hope of Release. "Baseball slavery" wherein a player is knocked down to the highest bidder, and can be punished by his "owners" is the only form of slavery now existing, declared Attorney Paul S. Morrow before a jury in Judge Morrow's court yesterday on behalf of Royal N. (Hunky) Shaw, the third-sacker who was suspended by the Seals for indolent playing in 1911.

THE SIX-DAY EPOCH. Dear Sir:—The annual six-day bicycle race in Madison-Square Garden is upon us again and the usual hue and cry has been raised in certain quarters again about the severe tax on the riders. Can the calamity howler point to any one disabled by the physical strain in a way that long, healthy sleep does not repair?

STANLEY COVELSKIE IS PROUD DAD. Stanley Coveliskie, the Beaver pitcher who will sign with the Cleveland Americans next Spring, was receiving his congratulations of his friends yesterday. It is a boy, weighing 7½ pounds. The mother is doing nicely at St. Vincent's Hospital.

America over the 45-round distance. White looks to be a sure bet. Welsh has the margin in skill, but over the long haul the two main ingredients are the stamina and the wallop. And it is here that the Cook County entry has both sides of a broad edge.

What is nerve? We've seen many a slashing football player hit a line with out a quiver—and then some months afterward curl up and quit before a three-foot putt.

Harvard and Next Year. "Harvard lost her football team," says an exchange, "when the Crimson lost Mahan."

FOOTBALL COACHES WHO HAVE SEEN MAHAN, COY AND THORPE WILL AWARD THE MAJORITY VOTE TO THORPE AS THE MOST EFFICIENT ALL-AROUND PLAYER THAT EVER TOOK UP A FOOTBALL.

ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE FOR THE VACATION WEEK BETWEEN THE FALL AND SPRING TERMS OF SCHOOL. NO GAMES WERE SCHEDULED BETWEEN JANUARY 21 AND JANUARY 23 BECAUSE DURING THAT TIME THE STUDENTS WILL BE EITHER TAKING EXAMINATIONS OR WILL BE OUT OF SCHOOL.

It was decided to give all candidates for the position of official referee a chance to work out before the various coaches before the season actually opens. H. H. Herdman, secretary of the circuit, will receive all applications, and W. A. Fenstermacher, also of the Washington District, will be the applicant handle several practice games.

January 14—Columbia University versus Franklin.
January 15—Washington versus Jefferson.
January 16—Lincoln versus Columbia.
January 17—Portland Academy versus Franklin.
January 18—Washington versus Lincoln.
January 19—Columbia versus Portland.
February 1—Jefferson versus Franklin.
February 2—Washington versus Columbia.
February 3—Portland Academy versus Jefferson.

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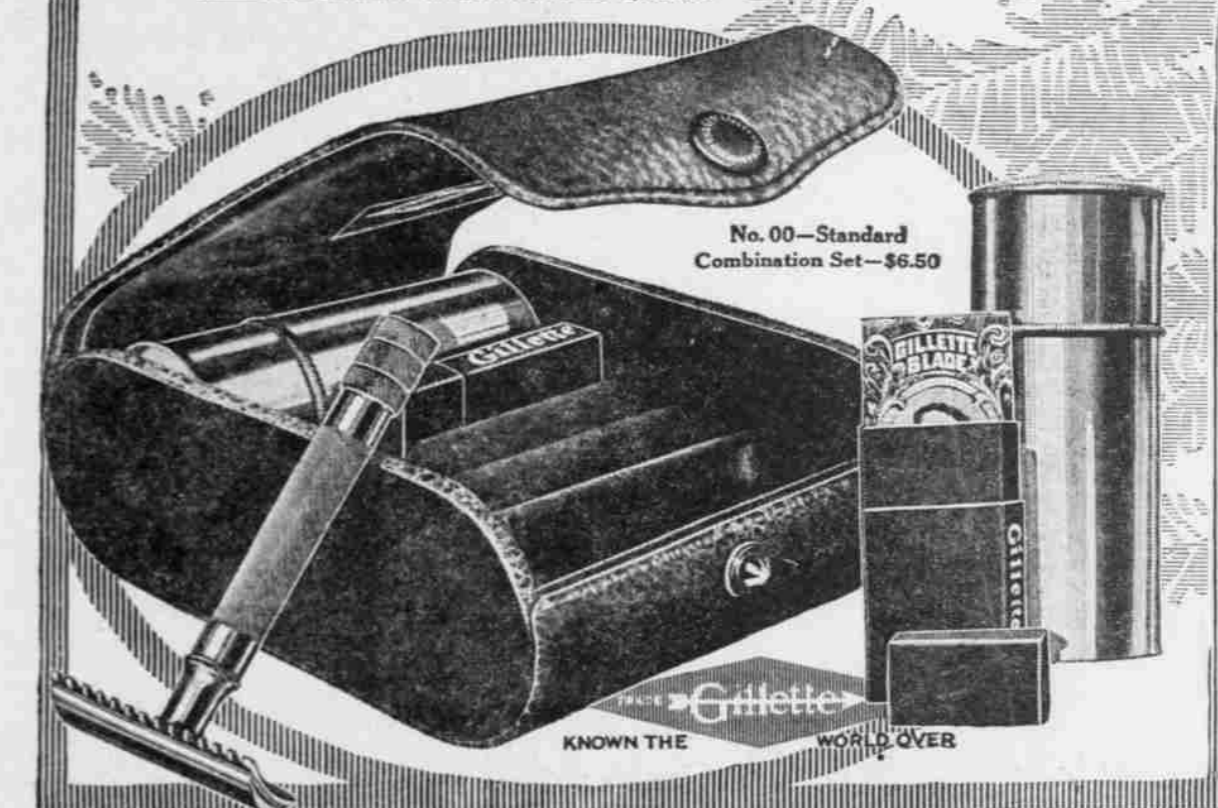
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and secure legislation agreeable to all sides? SALE OF INDIANS PROPOSED Ban Johnson Goes to Cleveland to Discuss Baseball Transfer. CLEVELAND, Dec. 8.—President Ban B. Johnson, of the American League, accompanied by John E. Bruce, secretary of the National Commission, came here today for a conference with President Charles W. Somers, of the Cleveland club and bankers who are in charge of its affairs. It was admitted that the sale of the Indians would be discussed.

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