

U. OF W. GOES TO SMALL SCHOOLS OFF LIST

Washington Severs Relations With Pullman, Whitman, Idaho and Gonzaga.

FRESHMAN RULE IS CAUSE

Basketball Games and Track Meets, Already Scheduled, Canceled. California, Oregon and Oregon Aggies Only Recognized.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 16.—The board of control of athletic affairs at the University of Washington tonight voted to sever all athletic relations with members of the Northwest Intercollegiate Conference which do not also belong to the newly organized Pacific Coast Conference.

The institutions affected by Washington's action are Washington State College, the University of Idaho, Whitman College and Gonzaga University.

PIRATES SIGN CALLAHAN

FORMER WHITE SOX LEADER TO MANAGE PITTSBURGH.

Dreyfus' Announcement of Successor to Fred Clarke Comes as Surprise. Contract is for Year.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16.—President Dreyfus announced today that James Callahan, former manager of the Chicago White Sox, has been appointed manager of the Pittsburgh National League team, to succeed Fred Clarke, resigned.

LOS ANGELES IS ASTOUNDED

Dillon Believed to Be Through for Good; Roles and Wolter Mentioned.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 16.—The announcement that James J. Callahan has been chosen as manager of the Pittsburgh National club astounded baseball men here who had supposed that Callahan would take charge of the Los Angeles Coast League team in 1916 as successor to Frank Dillon.

MASCOTT IS MAKING WEIGHT

Boxer Who Will Meet Bennett Expects Little Trouble Tuesday.

Portland boxing fans seem inclined to believe that Billy Mascott will have trouble in making the required 116 pounds for his match with Jockey Bennett next Tuesday night at the Rose City Club.

TEX VERNON DEFEATS HOUCK

Bout at Tacoma Said to Be for Northwest Featherweight Title.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 16.—Tex Vernon, of Aberdeen, received the decision in a four-round bout fought here tonight with Leon Houck, of Seattle, for the featherweight championship of the Northwest.

FIVE-YEAR-OLD ORPHAN, WHOSE GUARDIANSHIP IS CAUSING A LEGAL BATTLE BETWEEN HIS TWO GRANDFATHERS.



Clifford Graves.

FIGHT FOR LAD LAGS

Grandfather No. 1 Loses Bout No. 1 for Orphan.

\$100,000 SUIT IS ISSUE

Judge Cleeton Sets Aside Order Appointing Levi Hathaway Guardian of Clifford Graves and Habeas Petition to Be Heard Today.

was one of the best seen here in several years and much more satisfactory to the fans than the main event. It was called a draw.

SALEM SHOT HIGH AMATEUR

F. J. Holohan Leads Field in Turkey Shoot at Woodburn.

WOODBURN, Or., Dec. 16.—(Special.)—Mark Siddall, of Salem, was high amateur at the annual Christmas turkey shoot held today under the auspices of the Woodburn Rod and Gun Club.

JAMES JOHN FIVE IS FAST

Jefferson Wins, 22-20, in Hard-Fought Practice Game.

James John High School made a great showing yesterday in its first real test to see if its basketball team is capable of giving competition in the Northwest Intercollegiate League. A practice game was played against Jefferson High School on the Jeff floor and it resulted in a 22 to 20 score, Jefferson winning.

DOVES DEFEAT ROOSIANS

Allies Check Swedes in Indoor Baseball at Multnomah Club.

Frank E. Watkins' Doves were too much for Milton Penfield and his Roosians in the opening game of the indoor baseball league at the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club.

BAKERSFIELD

Field Trials on at Bakersfield. Conditions were good today for the beginning of the field trials of the 23rd annual meet of the Pacific Coast Field Trials Association.

DUFUR DEFEATS THE DALLES

DUFUR, Or., Dec. 16.—(Special.)—The Dufur Athletics defeated The Dalles High School basketball team here last night, 21 to 16. It was the first game of the local season.

Red Sox Buy ex-Vernon Player.

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—The purchase of Sam Agnew, a catcher, formerly of Vernon, from the St. Louis Americans, was announced by President J. J. Lannan, of the Boston Americans.

Colorado Elects Spring Captain.

BOULDER, Colo., Dec. 16.—Walter Spring was chosen captain for 1916 for the University of Colorado football team tonight.

DEALERS PROTEST SCHOOL BOOK PLAN

Revocation of Rights Given Pupils for Co-operative Sales Is Demanded.

BIBLE PLEA TO BE HEARD

Franklin High Administration Building to Be Completed and Drafts for Capital Hill and Terwilliger Structures Approved.

In an attempt to get the School Board to reconsider its action, taken December 2, when it granted the Washington High school chamber of commerce permission to sell books and stationery to students on the co-operative plan, several Portland merchants and druggists appeared before the Board at its regular meeting yesterday.

EGYPT AGAIN MENACED

RAILWAY LINE FROM DAMASCUS CONSTRUCTED RAPIDLY.

Concentration of Million Troops in Month to Be Made Possible—300,000 Ottomans Drilled.

ROME, Dec. 16.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The Turco-German threat against Egypt is becoming more grave daily, in the belief of military men here.

FOOD IS NEW YEAR'S GIFT

Two Shiplads Are Being Assembled for Belgium.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The assembling of two New Year's shiplads of foodstuffs for Belgium was announced today by the Commission for Relief in Belgium.

FOURNIER FUNERAL TODAY

Woman Resident of City for 25 Years Will Be Buried.

The funeral services of Mrs. Henry Fournier, who died suddenly Wednesday at her home at 1494 Vancouver avenue, will be held this morning at 9:45 from the Church of the Holy Redeemer.

VILLA DISCUSSING PEACE

End to Resistance Is Live Issue at Council of War.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 16.—The question of terminating Villa's opposition to the Carranza de facto government today became a live issue at a council of war now in progress at Chihuahua, at which Villa and his staff are in attendance.

ASHLAND CAR SHEDS BEING BUILT

ASHLAND, Or., Dec. 16.—(Special.)—The Southern Pacific is erecting commodious car sheds here. The dimen-

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\$18

Ray Barkhurst

Portland's Leading Tailor Corner Sixth and Stark

sons are 56 feet wide by 300 feet long, sheathed with corrugated iron. They are to replace the ones blown down by the fierce gale last February. The sheds will accommodate four trucks, sheltering more than 20 cars, and are extra strongly braced, to prevent a repetition of last winter's experience.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Table with columns for Marriage Licenses, Births, and other city statistics.

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