# M'CREDIE OPPOSES GAMES AT VERNON

Judge Suggests Dropping Unprofitable Sunday Morning Play in Southland.

# BEAVER MAGNATE DEFIANT

Declaration Made That Portland Absolutely Will Not Stand for Donble-Headers Here on Sunday. Increased Salaries Assailed.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. Champagne corks have ceased pop-ping hereabouts, but the baseball lid is still clattering all over the top of the

day in the Coast League long-distance controversy over saiary limit and double-headers with a counter proposal to the two Los Angeles aposties leading the fight for double-headers in Port-land and Sait Lake City. Judge McCredic's suggestion is that

If the Los Angeles clubs think there is any advantage in playing only one game, why not drop the Sunday morn-ing games played in Vernon?

# Games at Vernon Tiresome

Every team that visits Los Angeles has to play on Sunday morning out at the Vernon park," said Judge McCredie. "Sometimes our share has been under \$20 for that game. Think of it; trotting our ballplayers out there for carfare and tiring them for the afternoon game

before the big crowds, "It is true that the California teams "It is true that the California teams have to play 12 more games than Portland or Sait Lake, because of the one-game-on-Sunday scheme in vogue here. But, even so, I cannot figure how Eddle Maier and Johnny Powers, of Los Angeles, see any advantage for us. Possibly I am wrong, but I have always accepted as an axiom of sport that the home team in any competition has a big percentage in its favor. Crowd, environment, psychology, all these favor the home team.

Double-Headers Not Considered. Double-Headers Not Considered.

"If play 12 fewer home games than the California teams, how then can this be construed as an advantage for us?

"We will absolutely not stand for double-headers in Fortland on Sunday, and Saturday morning games here wouldn't draw a quorum for a chess tournament. Were we to stage two games on Saturday afternoon I fear the double dose would kill interest in one Sunday game. Answay, we have enough postponements from rain to give us plenty of double-headers from July to November."

Magnate McCredie likewise relieved

MMINNVILLE FIVE TO PLAY

Pacific University Quintet Is to Be

Met Saturday Night.

Minnville, Or., Jan. 27.—(Special)—Two of the strongest teams of the valley conference are to meet and McMinnville quintet plays the basket tossers from Pacific University of the Saturday night, when the McMinnville durintet plays the basket tossers from Pacific University design, but Pac

Couragement From Baum.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—(Special.)
—Tyler Christian, ex-manager of the Oaks and before that a pitcher on the staff of that Coast League club, would like to be a Coast League club, would like to be a Coast League club, would like to be a Coast League the bailplayer no encouragement, telling him that it was the expectation to respectively.

By on unless the Australian makes the weight, which he never can do."

Who will be the next good fighter to meet Darcy?" was asked the pleasant Santa Rosa boy.

"I don't know, unless it will be Jack Dillon, for Darcy, will weigh as much as the Heosler in another year," replied he.

The foregoing throws some light on the middleweight situation and Murany's personal opinion is that Mike The foregoing throws some light on ballplayer no encouragement, telling him that it was the expectation to retain the six men who were working at the close of the 1915 season.

If there is no room for an extra indicator man he will try to get into shape to pilch for some club that needs his services.

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Bonds Red Watson, Billy Kramer, a

# Portland High School Five, Tired by Long Trip, Beaten, 35 to 14.

WALLA WALLA, Wash, Jan. 27,-(Special.)—Tired from their day's journey, which was prolonged two hours owing to washouts during the recent thaw on the O.-W. R. & N. line this side of Pendleton, the Jefferson High school basketball team, of Portland, was easily defeated by Walla Walla High here last night, 35 to 14. The lightning seam work of Walla Walla was unsolvable, the game cleanly played and the victory well earned.

It handicapped him greatly and he

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Norman Tabor, the former Brown athlete, has declined to compete in indoor meets this Winter, and he says it is his intention to retire from the track permanently.

Mascott the former Brown athlete, has declined to gether vesterday and agreed on Jack Helser as the referee in their bout tonight, which will headline the show at the Rose City Athletic Club, East First and East Morrison streets. There

FORMER MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP CONTENDER, WHO PORTLAND VISITOR FOR FEW DAYS.



Fighting Billy Murray

'Fighting Billy" Murray Will Rest in Northwest.

# EYE INJURY HALTS CAREER

Pugilist Recently in Australia Says Darcy Will Never Again Be Able to Make Middleweight Poundage or Less Than 165.

Magnate McCredie likewise relieved himself of a few dissertations on the proposed galary raise from \$4500 to coming middleweight enampion of the

Bonds, Hed Watson, Billy Kramer, a Milwaukee weiterweight, and Jack Kearns, who managed the quartet, ac-companied Murray on the Australian

Experience of Other Leagues Gives.

The International League has a sailary limit under \$4900. I understand the American Association salary limit is \$3500. These are the only two leagues outside the majors, on a par with us. Why, then, cannot the Pariland ball owner.

It requires no great brilliancy in any lime of business to pay out more money than you take in. That is what the Los Angeles folk want us to do. The players who get the big money and boost the salary limit are such men of the salary limit are such men of the salary limit are such men on fat contracts.

"Those men are not a bit classier than the well-paid AA leaguers."

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Understand two Portland yesterday for two world, arrived in Portland yesterday from Eureka, Cal., where he visited contracts and friends for two weeks, the has a married sister here, Mrs. Emplies outside the majors, on a par with us. Why, then, cannot the Pariland ball owner.

"It requires no great brilliancy in any line of business to pay out more and two round-trip tickets for himself and manager, Jack Kearns.

"I am going to stay in Portland until swarthy Californian, who is a pocket sturday and go from here to Spokane, where I will visit friends," said the swarthy Californian, who is a pocket standing and brings it back to start all swarthy Californian, who is a pocket standing and brings it back to start all swarthy Californian, who is a pocket standing and brings it back to start all swarthy Californian, who is a pocket standing and brings it back to start all swarthy Californian, who is a pocket standing and brings it back to start all swarthy Californian, who is a pocket standing and brings it back to start all world and the provided color of the same spot. As a rule, Dietz cocked the football player and is now in baskethall; but after watching him the coming down from the majors, where the took part of the same and the coming of the world start here, Mrs. Emplies the took part of the backed the football was a flowing white sl

Headlines that will be missed this year:
Feds See Cobb in Secret.
Alexander Sure to Jump.
Gilmore Talks to Doyle.
Weeghman and Collins Confer.
Feds Acquire Sile in New York.
Frank Haker Jumps to Newark.
Feds Have \$23,000,000 to Spend.
Feds 10-Cent Ball to Win Fans.
Phil Ball Seeks Toney.
Ten Red Sox Stars to Jump.
Feds Get Star, Name Withheld.
These are anxious days for many baseball players. Prices in the game are governed by supply and demand, Just like anything clae in the world. Salaries must come down.
What is worse, competition will be so keen that many performers will find it hard to seil their services at any price. For three years owners have been carrying clubs that could always almost write their own tickets and were forced to pay the piper. They knew that they were being held up, but bowed to the incvitable. Now that the wartime prices have been pricked, it is no reason that the owners should go to the other extreme. The future of the game depends largely upon their fairness and farsightedness.

Percy D. Haughton will not sit back and see the Braves lose game after game. It be-hooves George Stallings to keep the Beston clib clattering along toward the top this year. In football, the Harvard coach was always the winner and it's a clich he won't have a loser in baseball.

# James John to Play Clatskanie.

in his right eye. He disregarded the mury at first, but it gradually became unsolvable, the game cleanly played and the victory well earned.

Leo Cohen Comes to See Bout.

Leo Cohen, who has been promoting boxing shows in Centralia, Wash., arrived here this afternoon. He came down to see the Mascott-Benjamin bout tonight at the Rose City Athletic Club, Cohen boxed here a few times last Winler.

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Mascott vs. Benjamin Tonight. Six big bouts, 36 rounds, 72 minutes' actual scientific boxing. Rose City

# WIN BASEBALL WAR

Baum Says 4 Votes Are Needed for Change and He Will Not Have to Decide.

Taken as Suggestion That Views Might Be Colored-South Must Get Another Vote to Win.

Lineup Appears to Be Tie. Ordinarily this would make tie vote and it would be up to the president of the league to cast the deciding bal-

is quite a little feeling between the two boys and this adds spirit to the feague to cast the deciding ballot.

Indeed, McCredie and Murphy have hinted that such would have to be the feague to the little follows are soing to make the little follows are soing to the best make the follows are soing to the best make the follows are soing to make the follows are soing to the best make the follows are soing to the follows are soing to the best make the follows are soing to the follows are soing the follows are soing to the follows are so

O.-W. R. & N. SEPTET VICTOR

Rowing Club Hockey Team Beaten 2 to 1, in Snappy Contest.

Portland Amateur Hockey Association Standings. Pet 1000 .666 .233

The lineups:

O. W. R. & N. Co. (2).

Gray G.

4cLaughlin R. D.

Thomas L. D.

McGill C.

Jimmie Rilance R. Rowing Club (1),
Newburn
John Rilance
Herman
Robinson Heurie Lind Spare Hick Officials—Referse, Tommy Dunderdale judge of play, William H. Royle; time-keeper, Tommy Murray.

ELKS LEAD BILLIARD PLAY

Newton and Lyons Win Matches With Parker and Dennis.

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Two more games were played in the
inter-club 18.2 balk-line billiard tournament Wednesday night at the Elks'
Club. Fred B. Newton, Elks, beat A.
D. Parker, Commercial Club, 150 to 120,
while H. Lyons, Elks, defeated William
Dennis, Multnomah Amateur Athletic
Club, 150 to 135. Mr. Parker substituted
for Ed Brown.

Club, 159 to 150.

for Ed Brown.

Next Saturday night two more contests will be staged at the Muitnomah Club. Mr. Dennis will oppose Mr. Newton and William F. Walter, Muitnomah, ton and William F. Walter, Muitnomah. clubs house the matches in succession and two home players oppose visitors on each occasion.

# Bits of Sport

Tim Murnanc, who says that he is through with basehail, will probably have to wait some little time for his salary as president of the New England League.

The Boston Nationals will meet at least three major leasure clubs on their Spring training trip. Two games will be played with the Philadelphia Americans, on March all and April 1, both at Jacksonville. Fla. The Braves will meet Brooklyn at Palm Beach, and play against the New Tork Highlanders in several cities in Georgia and the Carolinas.

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The football teams of Dartmouth and Syracuse universities will meet next season at Springfield, Mass. November has been set as the day for the game, which in recent years has been the last on the Green team's schedule. It will be the first appearance of a Dartmouth team in Springfield in 10 years.

It is believed that the 75 clubs in the Metropolitan Golf Association spend more than \$1.000,000 on caddles each year. The price to the caddle for the round of the links varies between what the caddles themselves charge, which is about \$6 cents, and a crisp bill, depending on the generosity of the players.

a crisp bill depending on the general of the players.

Robert Priedrick, alias Strangler Lewis, and Wladek Zbyszko, the Cracow Pole, wrestled one hour and three minutes to a draw at the Manhattan Opera-House in New York recently. The two huskles are old enemies, their last match having broken up in a fight after they had severely punished each other.

Homer Baker, the Brooklyn boy who formerly held the National half-mile championship, has severed his connection with the New York Athletic Club. He visited

SPOKANE RESIGNS SALVESON

Pitcher Discarded by Wicker I Grabbed by Farr.

Wicker in 1915 has been signed by President F. C. Earr fog the 1916 in-dians. Some weeks ago Farr told young Elmer Leifer to fill in his own salary terms and today he announced that while he was in Butte he had signed EXECUTIVE RESENTS HINTS

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Case. He was with the Portland-Ballard club in 1914, and was considered a pretty promising young pitcher.

Nick Williams held him in high esteem. Toward the end of the season he began to come and he won five of Stand by McCredie and Murphy Is his last six games like a real cham-

JEFFERSON AGAIN DEFEATED

Walla Walla Takes Second Game of Portland Five's Trip, 17 to 6.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—(Special.)
—Efforts to put Drexy Allan T. Baum in the jam of the door, so far as the fight between the north and the south on the salary limit is concerned, will probably fall.

Not that Baum would dodge the issue if it should be put up to him squarely, but he avers that it will not be in the least necessary.

Henry Berry, without consulting his own preferences, has been counted as siding with Johnny Powers and Edde Maier for the higher limit.

Likewise McCredie, of Portland; Murphy, of Salt Lake, and the Leavitt-Cook combination of Oakland have been ranged as voting no—most decidedly no.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Jan. 27.—

A switch has been made in the lineup of the Multinomah Amateur Athleic Club basketball. The visitors, who arrived late last fight to the gymnasium when they lost, expected to game in the local club's gymnasium to be at Walla Walla tonight, but the locals proved too fast for them. At the end of the first half tonight the score was 4 to 2 in Walla Walla's favor.

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Billy Lewis, former all-around athleto at the Lincoln High School, was larger Harry Fischer announced last night

TIGERS HELD PRIOR RIGHT TO

Fielder Jones took all sorts of liberties with Federal League umpires last year, but it will be different next season. Ban B. Johnson has a regular staff of officials.

Vincent Campbell, whom some will remember as a member of the Aberdeen Black Cats of several years ago, and who jumped the Pittsburg club to play with the Newark Feds, is trying to refire from the game, according to the statements of Pittsburg friends. Vin drew down something like 47000 from Newark last season, but now that the Gilmore organization has thrown up its hands he has decided to stick to his automobile business.

"Rowey" Elliott was that all the Cake."

\* \* \* Clarke Griffith was disappointed at hearing the news of Joe Gedeon's going to the New York Association, Gedeon jumped to the Teds last year from Sail Lake and came to the Utah city from Washington and was Griffith's property.

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The report that the St. Louis Nationals will probably release Outfielder Jack Smith, who was with Scattle last zeason, is hard for Seattle fans to believe. Smith is only a youngster and seemed to have great possibilities. He is as fast as Vincent Campbell, a natural hitter and has only one weakness in fielding. This weakness is catching a bail close to the ground. He does not seem to be able to get on to the trick of keeping his slove hand on the ground and to keep the sphere in the glove by using his other mit. He likes to catch the ball above his waist. There is plenty of time for Smith to cradicate this defect, but even if he does not wipe it out entirely the fact remains that several other major league outfielders are just as weak on this particular play. Many Northwestern League fans think that Smith is just as good an outfielder as Vincent Campbell was when he first went to Pitizburg.

# headquarters in Manhattan resummenced that he will compete in herafter. The news came as to his many friends, as his with the New York institution **FIVE READY TONIGHT**

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 27.—(Special.)

—Another pitcher discarded by Bob Wicker in 1915 has been signed by Rig Game With University Big Game With University of Washington Team.

PRELIMINARY IS ON CARD

Newsboys and Lincoln Quints to Start Play at 7:30, Yielding Floor to Seniors at 8:30. Basketball Play Lively.

tonight. John R. Rossman, one of the regular forwards, will be in the lineup. He was injured in the match with the Washington st., in the Pittock block.

sult was kept out of the game with Dalias, Or., last Saturday night.

Billy Lewis, former all-around athlete at the Lincoln High School, was used at forward last week, but Manager Harry Fischer announced last night that Rossman would likely be in condition to appear in the first five against the Seattle boys tonight.

A preliminary contest between the Lincoln High School quintet and the Portland Newsboys will be staged. The first contest will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock, that everything may be ready to start the main event at 8:39 o'clock tonight in the winged "M" symnasium.

Three games were won by the three quintets of the Young Men's Hebrew Association in the B'nai B'rith gymnasium Wednesday night. Featuring Al Schilt and Meyer Cohn, the first aggregation walloped the Christian Brothers' Business College athletes 36 to 14. Following are the lineups:

Auribaca Shenker Marvin Cohn (4) Spare N. Cohn (2) Spare Referee—Al Bartholemy

The second team representatives of the Y. M. H. A. secured a 26-to-16 vic-tory over the Overlook basketshooters. Louis Herns and Sanford Sichel were the heroes for the winners. Following are the lineups: sre the lineups.
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Sichel (7).
Herns (6).
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C. Hafter G.
Krause (6).
S. Cohn.
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Referee—Clifford. Overlook (16). (2) Walby Clarm (12) Dooling (2) Wagner Capt. Murnane

The easiest win of the night in the B'nai B'rith Hall went to the Y. M. H. A. thirds by a 32-to-5 count over the Y. M. C. A. Swastikas. The Swastikas are not the same players who made such a sensational record last year. Nusbaum and Margulis featured for the winners, with Lake and M. Thompson doing the scoring for the losers.

Following are the lineups: Third (12).
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F.
Levin (2).
Abrum (6).
C.
Marzulis (10).
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V. Hetflich.
D. Hoetflich (2).
Spare.
Hochfeld.
Spare
Referee—Josef Celestine. Johnason
Bombford
Elliott
...(2) M. Thompson

The Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club indoor baseball team walloped the Monarchs 20 to 19 in the club gymnasium Wednesday night. J. E. Davidson and Harry Fischer worked for the winged "M" in the points, while J. Knowles and Bob Manning did great work for the losers. work for the losers. The Newsboys' second team defeated the Reed College Juniors 44 to 12 in the Neighborhood House gymnasium Wednesday night. There were sup-

Just who will appear against the Multinomah Amateur Athletic Club quintet on the local floor February 12 has not been definitely decided. Vincent Borleske and his Whitman College athletes are billed to oppose the Portlanders, but word has been received that Whitman has stated a match with the Oregon Aggles for that night. The University of Idaho has been in communication with Manager Harry Fischer asking for the Lincoln's birth-

have a big advantage over those who pay cash for their clothes, for this reason—the men who make use of their credit and buy their clothing on installments look well-dressed all the time, because it doesn't require a big outlay to get a new Suit er Overcoal. Get the point? Suppose you yourself have \$10 tomerrow to spare for new clothes. Where could you go and get a Suit half-way decent for that money? You couldn't do it. But you can go to CHERRY'S CREDIT STORE, at 389-391 Washington street, and use your ten Washington street, and use your ten dollars as the first payment on a \$25 or \$30 Suit. You would have your new clothes at once. You would pay the rest of the price by the week or month, whichever suits your income better. It's worth trying out, don't you think? Cherry's store has an enormous patron-Therry's store has an enormous patron-age. It has been established several years and has grown steadily until te-day it is one of the most popular shops in town. Let alone the fact that you can buy your clothes up there on in-stallments, you can make your choice from as up-to-date a stock as any store in town can show you in town can show you.



BIG PRELIMINARIES

ADMISSION 200 Scats 50c—500 Scats \$1,00—114 Scats \$1.50—96 Box Scats \$2.00. Reserved Scats on Sale at Rich's, Sixth and Washington.

day date, but nothing definite will be done until word is received from Coach Borleske at Whitman. "February 12 was offered Whitman, who accepted last December, and it would not be fair to schedule a game with someone else on that date," said Manager Fischer last night.

OUTDOOR SWIM IS ARRANGED

Special Event at Honolulu to Be for Kahanamoku Alone.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20 .- The Amateur Athletic Union is going to grant a 100-yard swimming championship for an out-of-doors straight-away to Hawaii. This is really for the benefit of Duke Kahanamoku, the greatest dash swimmer in the world. A record is ex-pected by him that will stand the rav-

pected by him that will stand the ravages of time.

Although this championship has not been granted. Wallie Robb said recently that it might just as well be. He received a letter from Secretary Rublen, of the Amateur Athletic Union, asking him to vote on the Hawailian race, and strongly recommending it. Robb says that he will vote "Yes."

The Hawailians have consented, if they get the meet, to pay the expenses of three water sprinters to the laland. They are to be the fastest 100-yard swimmers in the East, in the Midhle West and Far West.

PIPAL MAY SUCCEED DOBIE

Younger Said to Have All but Signed Coach of Occidental College.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 27,-(Spe-

