

BETTERS OFFERING ODDS ON QUAKERS

Wagers Made Giving U. of O. 15 Points--Pennsylvania Grads Seem to Be Confident.

MANY TO VISIT PASADENA

Howard Berry and Henry Miller, Both on All-American, Make Up Most Dreaded Parts of Bob Folwell's Attack.

Although Oregon football players and enthusiasts are not going to be defeated by Pennsylvania without a Herculean struggle, the bettors are making Penn a substantial favorite in the wagering, both in California and in the Northwest.

This big inter-sectional affair of the year is set for New Year's day at Pasadena. Although the game is still 12 days away, quite a number of Oregon backers are already preparing for it.

Odds Given on Quakers. Yesterday, at a local betting stand, a Pennsylvania graduate laid odds to 40 and gave Oregon 10 points.

Berry Has Able Successor. This new phenomenon is Sherman Landers, who entered Penn this Fall from the Oregon, Illinois, High School.

His most notable feat was his victory in the pole vault in the National senior championships last year. Landers won the event with a leap of 12 feet 9 inches.

MITCHELL TO VISIT CHICAGO

Evers to Take New Pilot to Meet Cubs, but Johnny Won't Stay.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Johnny Evers, member of the famous infield of the Chicago National League champions of several years ago, may come to Chicago with the new manager of the Chicago National League.

HOLLADAY'S LOSS EXPLAINED

Manager Says The Dalles Eleven Was 18 Pounds to Man Heavier.

Manager Dixon, of the Holladay football team, is somewhat angered at accounts sent out of The Dalles, Or., regarding the 20-to-9 victory secured by The Dalles athletes over the Holladay delegation Sunday.

OREGON CITY TO SEE BOUTS

First Smoker to Be Given by Falls City Athletic Club Thursday.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The card for the first smoker of the Falls City Athletic Club, comprising 38 rounds of boxing and one wrestling bout, has been announced.

CLATSKANIE 5 BEATS RAINIER

Playing of Harry Van Big Feature in 20-14 Contest.

CLATSKANIE, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—In a closely contested game Rainer Saturday, Clatskanie defeated Rainer by a score of 20 to 14.

FAMOUS TRACK ATHLETE AND ALL-AMERICAN FOOTBALL STAR WHO IS PENNSYLVANIA'S SUPERMAN IN THE OREGON GAME NEW YEAR'S DAY.



HOWARD BERRY, INTERCOLLEGIATE PENTATHLON CHAMPION. Berry plays fullback on the football team and shortstop on the baseball team, of which he is captain.

JEFFS NAME LEADER

Gordon Thompson Is Elected 1917 Football Captain.

TITLE PLAY YET UNDECIDED

Washington High Captain Fears Game Cannot Be Played for Lack of Notice, but Jamison's Boys Are Hopeful.

Jefferson High School elected Gordon Thompson as 1917 football captain yesterday. Thompson proved to be a real find this year when he went into the field for Coach Jamison and played the position like a veteran.

Captain Gordon Giebisch, of the 1916 eleven, is still hot on the trail of the Washington High athletes for a post-season game to decide the official 1916 winner of the Portland Inter-scholastic League.

"Let it be understood that there are no hard feelings connected with our challenge," said Captain Giebisch last night. "It would be better for all concerned if we could settle the title right here."

The Jefferson High monogram players will go out for practice this afternoon on Jefferson Field under the direction of Coach Jamison. Signal work will be held in the gymnasium.

CORONER'S INQUEST AWAITED

No Arrests Made Following Death of 'Young Joe Rivers' After Bout.

DENVER, Dec. 19.—No arrests were made today pending the verdict of the coroner's inquest, it was said, into the cause of death of Young Joe Rivers (Joseph Romero), of Albuquerque, N. M., who died last night two hours after a boxing contest with Jack Bratton, of San Francisco.

CRAVATH OFFERED FOR \$3000

Phillies Willing to Let Slugger Go to Vernon Club.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Clatskanie slugger, is on the block for \$3000. Mair, former owner of the Vernon club, received a letter today from Moran, manager of the Phillies, in which Moran offered Cravath to the Vernon club for \$3000.

ANGEL OUTFIELDERS RAP BEES

In 3 Years Ellis, Maggert and Wolter Fatten on Two Clubs.

Whatever argument the fans may raise about the batting slump in the last three years of Ellis, Maggert and Wolter, the veteran outfielders of the 1915 Los Angeles Coast League champions, the fact remains that Salt Lake and San Francisco have not contributed anything towards the slump and that the Venice and Vernon clubs have done the most to hold this champion outfield trio down to low batting averages.

Counting in the records of 1914, 1915 and 1916 for each of the three outfielders, there have been only two occasions out of the nine when the highest batting average has not been against Salt Lake, or in 1914, its predecessor, the Sacramento club.

In the last three years Rube Ellis has never batted .300 against the Venice or Vernon clubs. Maggert batted .329 against the Tigers in 1914, but has fallen below .300 in each of the two years since. Wolter nosed in with .301 against the Tigers in 1914 and has batted only .286 in 1915 and .287 in 1916 against Venice.

LETTER MEN TO BE GUESTS

Washington High Athletes to Entertain Alumni 'W' Wearers.

The annual complimentary dance and regular good time given to the alumni monogram athletes of the Washington High School by the present letter men were held in the school gymnasium Friday night. The committee in charge is made up of Frank Norman, captain, George Borman, of the 1916 football team, Robert Vial and Earl Johnson.

FRANKLIN SOCCER MEN OUT

First Practice Takes Entire Squad of Last Season to Football Field.

The Franklin High School soccer football team was out for the initial workout of the 1916-17 season yesterday in the new Franklin platter. Practically the entire squad of last year was out with Captain Beyers for an hour's practice. George Dewey is watching over the team as much as he

Give him a Gillette for Christmas. THE wonderful thing about giving a Gillette is that such a simple, inexpensive gift could mean so much to him—both in comfort and the saving every day of small expenses. Christmas Gillettes now in the stores—\$5 to \$50. About the nicest "little gift" for the Gillette User is a packet of Blades—50c. or \$1. NO STROPPING NO HONING. GILLETTE SAFETY RAZOR COMPANY, BOSTON.

JACK WHITE LOSES

Knowlton Has Easy Time With Chicagoan's Brother.

BLACK QUILTS IN ONE ROUND

Fans Voice Displeasure at Way Decisions Are Given and Express Disappointment—Big Crowd Attends Smoker.

Jack Anchowitz must have felt like sending out an S. O. S. for brother Charley while boxing Walter Knowlton in what served as the main event of the Rose City Athletic Club's boxing bill last night. Anchowitz, who is Jack White in the fistie world, looked like a selling platter stacked up against the Portland fireman who beat him in every one of the six two-minute rounds, earning an easy decision.

SEATTLE HOCKEY TEAM WINS

Spokane Unable to Get Shots Past Holmes in 3-to-1 Contest.

J. R. MUNROE BEATS G. L. MERK

Handicap Three-Cushion Billiard Match Results 25 to 17.

SEATS HELD FOR YALE GRADS

Sons of Eli to Be in Special Section at Pasadena Game.

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THEATER CLOSING THREATENED

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