PIRATES GIVE DUO FOR "CHUCK" WARD

Floyd Farmer, Outfielder, and Paddy Siglin, Infielder, to Be Beavers.

NEW MEN LOOK GOOD

Farmer Played Last Season at Second and in Outfield for Pittsburg, and Siglin Is Former Star for Rochester, N. Y.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The Pittsburg baseball club of the National League announced tonight that Outfielder Floyd Farmer and Infielder Paddy Siglin had been released to the Portland club of the Pacific Coast League in exchange for Charles W. Ward, known as "Chuck" Ward, a shortstop, who comes to the local club. Ward already has signed a contract to play with Pittsburg during the coming season and will be taken on the training trip.

Ability Vouched For by Doyle.

The new player was recommended to the Pittsburg club by "Jack" Doyle, a well-known baseball player, now an umpire in the Pacific Coast League, and also by Scout "Cap" Neal. Ward is 22 years old. He formerly played in the Northwestern League, but during the season of 1916 was with the Portland club and played sensational baseball at the shortstop position.

Farmer came to the Pittsburg club from the Louisville American Association team last season. His first appearance here was in the outfield, where he played a bang-up game. Toward the end of the season Manager Callahan moved Farmer to second base. The change worked poorly for the recruit, as his hitting fell off badly. He was again shifted to the outfield, but was replaced toward the fag end of the season by Carson Bigbee.

Siglin Ex-Rochester Player.

Siglin was on the reserve list of the Pittsburg club for two years. Toward the end of the 1916 season he was brought here from the Rochester club of the International League, to which he had been farmed. He managed to get into a few games after coming here, but had little opportunity to show his worth.

TRUTH OF DEAL CONFIRMED

McCredie Elated at Acquisition of Farmer and Siglin.

Walter McCredie confirmed the above dispatch last night.

"I intend to use Farmer in left field and will switch Southworth over to right field," said Manager McCredie. "Nixon will be traded or sold, and Williams and Wilie will be retained for center field and utility.

"Siglin played second base for Rochester in the International League last year. Dan Howley tells me that he was the best-looking second baseman in the league."

"What are you going to do with Bill Rodgers?" was asked.

"Well, he may not report, as he is a member of the Fraternity," replied Mac. "I may use Siglin at short or third."

Farmer played outfield at Nashville in the Southern League in 1915. He batted .263 in 153 games and fielded .948. Last year he played with Louisville in the American Association and batted like a demon. His bat prowess attracted the attention of Pittsburg, and he landed at Pittsburg in mid-season. Callahan switched him around, but despite this he finished with a stick average of .271 in 55 games in the National League.

Both Farmer and Siglin are right-handed batters.

Siglin played with Youngstown in the Central League in 1915, where he batted .241 and led the fielding second basemen with .963. Last year he played second base for Rochester in the International League, and showed marked improvement with the bat, finishing with a mark of .285. He ranked second in fielding with .964 in 142 games.

McCredie appeared highly elated over his deal. He has a first baseman coming from somewhere in a deal for Beebe, and when he makes this deal and lands a couple of veteran pitchers he will be ready for Honolulu.

TRIO NOT YET SENT TO MINORS

Jones Talks on Status of Harley, Johnson and Borton.

Fielder A. Jones, manager of the St. Louis American League team, said last night that as far as he knew Catcher Grover Harley and Infielders Ernie Johnson and "Babe" Borton had not been released to the minors. As Fielder is the boss of the club, he should know. He said that he has received no communications from George Stovall, manager of Vernon, relative to Johnson going to the Tigers.

"I wouldn't be surprised to receive letters and telegrams from all over the country for Johnson's services," said Mr. Jones. "He is one of the best ballplayers in the business."

Mr. Jones said that he did not anticipate any trouble because of the threatened baseball strike. His entire infield is signed already. It is composed of George Sisler, Johnson, Del Pratt, Borton and Jimmy Austin.

The contracts were mailed out by Business Manager Branch Rickey only recently. Mr. Jones said that he thought the rest of the bunch will sign up as usual.

The shrewd manager received a letter from Bill Kenworthy the other day asking about salary, etc. He answered it and believes that "Kopecks" will be satisfied and will be at the training camp to fight for the third base position. Kenworthy had not yet received his contract when he wrote Fielder. Kenworthy is now in San Francisco.

WESTERN TOUR IS POSTPONED

Mike and Tommy Gibbons Expect to Go East Instead.

Eddie Kane, manager of Mike and Tommy Gibbons, has written from St. Paul that the trio are sorry that they had to postpone their Far Western tour. They planned to leave St. Paul February 6, but received offers from New York for Tommy to box Billy Miske.

Kane says that Mike Gibbons will box Les Darcy within six weeks. The trio will leave St. Paul for New York February 4. Mike may box one 15-round fight in Baltimore, February 12, but after that will rest, pending the closing of the Darcy match. Mike and Tommy Gibbons and Manager Kane hope to be in Portland by next Summer.

Klamath Hunters Pay $2990.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—A total of $2990 was collected in Klamath County, Oregon, during the year 1916 for hunters' and anglers' licenses, according to the official report mailed yesterday by County Clerk De Lap to the State Treasurer. Of this sum Klamath County's share will be $154. During the year 1382 hunting licenses were issued, 1042 fishing and 281 combination hunting and fishing permits. Fourteen non-resident licenses were also issued.

OREGON CITY SMOKER IS GOOD

Fight Fans Are Treated to Clashes Between Dozen Boxers.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The smoker given last night by the Falls City Athletic Club in the Masonic Hall was the best of the season here. Carl Martin and Jimmie Moscow fought six rounds, and Moscow, a Portland lad, was given the decision by Referee Ralph Shephard.

Freddie Lough, of Portland, and Eddie Olsen, of Seattle, put up a good battle. Ben Bordsen, of Oregon City, knocked out Art Wilson, of Portland, in the second round.

Jack McLane was forced to quit in the fifth by Mugsy Sholes, and Ping Bodie got the decision over Bill Golde. Joe Farrell, an Oregon City youth, won a decision over Frankie Murphy, of Portland.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY JUNIOR TO CAPTAIN 1917 ELEVEN.

Warren "Toots" Booth.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Or., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Warren "Toots" Booth has been selected to captain the varsity football team for the next season. Mr. Booth is a junior in the college of liberal arts and one of the headiest quarterbacks that Willamette has ever had.

PACIFIC COLLEGE FIVE VICTOR

Fast Quintet Defeats McMinnville College, 28 to 19.

PACIFIC COLLEGE, Newberg, Or., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The Pacific College basketball team easily defeated the McMinnville College quintet here tonight 28 to 19. Elliott and Gulley, of the locals, scored ten points each and Mardis, of McMinnville, scored 11.

The score at the end of the first half was 14 to 9 in favor of Pacific College. Pacific College won a practice game from the Oregon Aggies, but it is not thought the locals will play the Corvallis team again this season. Pacific will play a return game with McMinnville soon.

The lineups follow:

Pacific (28)	Pos.	McMinnville (19)
Hinshaw (6)	F	(2) Lathrop
Elliott (10)	F	(11) Mardis
Gulley (10)	F	(6) Simpson
Colcord (2)	G	Davis
Guyer	G	Richardson

Referee, Charles S. Botsford, of Reed College, Portland.

ATHLETE'S FUNERAL IS TODAY

Theodore Sullivan's Body Brought Home by Mother.

The body of Theodore G. Sullivan, ex-semi-professional baseball player of Portland, who died of pneumonia Wednesday at Boise, Idaho, was brought to Portland yesterday by his mother Mrs. Benjamin F. Sullivan, of this city.

The funeral will be held today at 2:30 o'clock at Dunning and McEntee's undertaking parlors.

Mr. Sullivan was a member of the cavalry troop of the Idaho National Guard and had just returned from the border when he was seized with pneumonia. He was 19 years old and had played in a number of the Portland baseball teams of the Inter-City League.

Mount Angel to Play Pacific "U."

ST. BENEDICT, Or., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Mount Angel College quintet will battle against the five from Pacific University at Forest Grove tomorrow afternoon. As both these colleges have showed up in fine form this season, the score is expected to be close and the game fast and interesting. Pacific University nosed the Mount Angel collegians out of a 14-to-13 football game last Fall and Mount Angel will figh to wipe out the old score.

Little Rock Fielder Traded.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 19.—Outfielder Ernest Walker has been traded to the Philadelphia Nationals for Pitcher Lincup and Outfielder Weiser by the Little Rock club of the Southern Association. He batted more than .300 last season. He formerly was with the St. Louis Americans.

Pendleton Wrestler Challenges.

Fred O'Neal, manager of Charley Hackenschmidt (whoever he is) has sent word from Pendleton challenging John Berg, Walter Miller, Frank McCarrol or any light heavyweight wrestler in the Pacific Northwest. He says that just at present he and his protege are filling a few "vaudeville engagements" in Eastern Oregon and Idaho.

Indiana "U" Defeats Iowa "U," 12-7.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 19.—Indiana University defeated Iowa University tonight, 12 to 7, in Western Conference basketball.

BEAVERS WILL SET SAIL FEBRUARY 14

W. W. McCredie Accepts Honolulu Offer and Sends Out Contracts.

HALF DOZEN ARE SIGNED

Portland Players Will Depart for Islands From Vancouver, B. C., on Steamer Niagara, Arriving There Six Days Later.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT

For the first time in history a Coast League ball club will do its Spring training in Honolulu. W. W. McCredie announced yesterday, that, with the transportation puzzle settled, he was able to announce that the Portland club had chosen to do its conditioning in the islands.

"We telegraphed our acceptance to the Honolulu Athletic Association today," said Judge McCredie, in announcing his decision. "All that remains now is for the Honolulu folk to post the guarantee in the bank and notify us to that effect."

If no hitch arises, the Portland ball tossers will leave Vancouver, B. C., February 14, and will arrive in Honolulu six days later via his majesty's steamship Niagara. Accommodations have been reserved for the return trip aboard an American boat, the Great Northern, which leaves Honolulu, March 16, touches Los Angeles March 20, and arrives in San Francisco March 21.

Trip Expected to Lure Players.

Players who are unsigned by February 12 will be asked to condition themselves at their own expense and report at Stockton on March 16 for the first tuning up. When the Honolulu bunch gets back to San Francisco Walter McCredie will take them immediately to join the mainland gang at Stockton.

From there the consolidated camp will move by slow stages to Salt Lake to open the Coast League season on April 3.

"That ought to help break the strike if there is any," remarked Byron Houck when he heard the news. "All the boys will want to make that trip and I'll bet Mack has little difficulty signing his players this Spring."

Owing to the limited time between now and sailing date W. W. McCredie worked all day yesterday mailing contracts to his players. Fisher, O'Brien, Houck, Helfrich, Stumpf and Williams already have signed their documents. The complete roster of the Portland club in its incompleted stage follows:

Catchers—Fisher, O'Brien.

Pitchers—Houck, Hagerman, Bigbee, Kelly, Leake (Richmond), Penner (Cleveland), Helfrich (Harrisburg), Brandt and Zweifel (Portland semi-professionals), Higbee (Quincy).

Infielders—Rodgers, Stumpf, Siglin, Hollocher.

Outfielders — Wilie, Nixon, Southworth, Williams and Farmer.

Deals Yet Pending.

Walter McCredie has deals on for a first baseman and some pitchers, and no doubt these will be rushed to a conclusion under inspiration of the proposed Honolulu junket.

Even Judge McCredie has the carnival spirit. Although he hasn't been at one of his nephew's Spring camps for several years, President McCredie has made reservation for himself, and will dare German submarines and all the Moewes that may roam the Pacific.

"I don't know but what we may have some difficulty with the British government over some of our Teuton ball players," ruminated the Judge. "I understand they are rather strict. They may grab Bill Stumpf and shove him in a concentration camp for a year or two."

"It's lucky Higginbotham isn't with us," interjected Walter McCredie. "They'd get him sure."

MILLER MAY WRESTLE HERE

Champion Middleweight Would Go to Mat With Romanoff.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Walter Miller, world's middleweight wrestling champion will meet Ted Thye, of The Dalles, here February 1. He will leave for Portland immediately after the match to challenge the winner of the Eddie O'Connell-Johnny Viedhof match which takes place there the same night.

Miller has noted mention in Portland newspapers of Young Romanoff the Russian wrestler, having challenged all welterweights in the Northwest. Walter is anxious to meet him at 148 pounds for a purse or just for fun as Romanoff desires.

BALL STARS MAY GET HOME

Big League Club Owners Will Consider Proposition Soon.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Establishment of a home for aged baseball players is a proposal that in all probability soon will be submitted to club owners of the American and National leagues.

The subject, President Johnson said, has been informally discussed by certain major league club owners, but no action has been taken.

Basketball in East.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 19.—The University of Missouri basketball team defeated Washington University in a Missouri Valley conference game tonight, 36 to 22.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The Yale University basketball team defeated the Columbia five, 33 to 27, in an intercollegiate league game here tonight.

PRINCETON, N. J., Jan. 19.—The University of Pennsylvania basketball team defeated the Princeton five, 18 to 13, in an intercollegiate game here tonight.

Duffy to Coach Harvard Nine.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 19.—Hugh Duffy, manager and principal owner of the Portland (Me.) club in the Eastern League, was elected as head coach for the Harvard baseball team today. Fred W. Moore, graduate treasurer of the Harvard Athletic Association, announced tonight Duffy had been signed up for one year, the appointment being subject to the approval of the association.

Seals Buy Infielder Pick.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Americans, announced tonight that Charles Pick, an infielder, had been sold to the San Francisco club, of the Pacific Coast League.

Huelat to Box Irish Tuesday.

George Moore, manager of the Golden West Athletic League, made a switch in Tuesday night's card last night. Frankie Huelat will meet Kid Irish at 135 pounds in one of the preliminaries instead of the heavyweight bout between "Pinkie" Lewis and Jim Haley. The remainder of the card, it is said, will stand. Frank Waldorf, of San Francisco, a middleweight, arrived in Portland yesterday. If he cannot land a match here he will go to Seattle.

ELIGIBILITY RULES CHANGED

National Baseball Federation Defines Amateur Classification.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 19.—Changes in the constitution of the organization, including a revision of rules governing the eligibility of players, were effected by the delegates to the National Baseball Federation in annual meeting here this afternoon.

The most radical change was that which defines the eligibility of players. Under the amendments adopted any player who has not "played with a professional club for one year prior to August 1, of the current season, is eligible to compete in the Class A of amateur classification."

A player eligible to Class AA, which is considered the semi-professional division, "shall not be under contract or any other than the voluntary reserve of any professional club operating under the National agreement of July 1, of the current season."

Clayton F. Townes, of Cleveland, was re-elected president.

"Chuck" Ward, Portland Shortstop Who Goes to Pittsburg in Trade for Two Players.

OREGON MAY GO EAST

ELEVEN ASKED TO PLAY SOME TEAM IN NEW YORK CITY.

John B. Foster, Manager of Giants, Offers Team's Expenses for Contest About November 15.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 19.—(Special.)—Eastern critics pick the University of Oregon eleven to be the Pacific Coast "comer" for at least two seasons, according to a telegram received yesterday and another today from John B. Foster, manager of the New York Giants. Mr. Foster requested the Oregon team to play in New York City either in 1917 or 1918.

A pick of the strongest Eastern elevens is given the Oregon mentor and the round trip and traveling expenses are guaranteed. Mr. Foster in his telegram said:

"Think you would do well with Dartmouth, Cornell or Pennsylvania. All three strong here. Game should be played prior to Army and Navy. Round-trip and traveling expenses would be guaranteed to stated number for Oregon. If game is arranged minor details can be quickly adjusted. Should think best date would be around November 15. Signed John B. Foster."

The question will have to go before the faculty of the university for their sanction and as soon as their acquiescence is secured the arrangements for the trip can be made.

Campus sentiment favors a game in the East for the University of Oregon. This is the first chance for the realization of the hopes. Other correspondence between Mr. Bezdek and Mr. Foster states that the game would be played on the polo grounds in New York City.

A letter also was received by Coach Bezdek from Notre Dame requesting a post-season game between that institution and the University of Oregon, the game to be played New Year's day either in Portland or some place in California.

AGGIE FIVE IS CHAMPION

CORVALLIS TEAM GETS STATE TITLE FROM OREGON.

Score of Third and Deciding Contest Is 25 to 14—Sieberts Tallies 13 for Winning Quintet.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Or., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The Oregon Aggies captured the third and deciding game for the 1917 intercollegiate basketball championship of Oregon by trimming the University of Oregon quintet, 25 to 14, in one of the best matches ever played in the local gymnasium.

When the first half ended the count stood 12 to 12 and it looked as though the visitors were going to be victorious.

Ade Sieberts, as usual, was the high point-getter, scoring 13. Each squad made two changes. Homer Jamison coach of the Jefferson High School basketball squads, was the referee. The teams battle tomorrow night in the final affair.

The lineups follow:

O. A. C. (25).		Oregon (4).
Sieberts (13)	F	(5) H. Huntington
Friedman	F	(6) Cate
Blagg (2)	C	(2) D. Nelson
Capt. Ray (6)	G	C. Nelson
Low	G	Sims
Phillips (4)	Spare	Fox
Bissett	Spare	(1) S. Huntington

Referee, Homer Jamison.

Cleveland Players Sign.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Almost every member of the Cleveland Americans has signed a 1917 contract, James Dunn, president of the club, announced here tonight in denying that a threatened strike would seriously cripple the club. Dunn said that Bobby Roth, a member of the Baseball Players' Fraternity, had not signed but he expected to come to terms with him within a week.

LINCOLN BEATS HILL

Cadet Basketball Team Defeated by 33-10 Score.

CHEMAWA PLAYS TONIGHT

Crack Indian School Aggregation to Meet Peninsula Park First Five in Christian Brothers Business College Gymnasium.

Interscholastic Basketball Standings.

	W.	L.	Pc.	Points For	Points Agst.
Lincoln High	1	0	1000	33	10
Jefferson High	1	0	1000	33	5
Benson Tech	1	0	1000	20	7
Washington High	1	0	1000	30	13
Columbia University	1	0	1000	47	16
Commerce High	0	1	.000	16	47
Franklin High	0	1	.000	13	30
James John High	0	1	.000	5	33
Hill Military Academy	0	2	.000	17	53
Totals	5	5		214	214

The Hill Military Academy basketball team was defeated yesterday for the second time this week in the Portland Interscholastic League, when the Lincoln High School quintet won, 33 to 10, in the Washington High School gymnasium. The Cadets put up a good game the first half, going behind, 9 to 18; but in the final period Coach Borleske's five allowed their opponents but one point.

Captain Stevens, of Lincoln, was high point getter, registering 15. H. A. Goode, of Jefferson High, was referee.

No more games will be played in the league until next week, when five more affairs will be staged.

The summary follows:

Lincoln High (33)		Hill (10)
Wilsey (4)	F	Capt. Burke (8)
Clerin (6)	F	Horton
Knudsen (8)	C	Hartman
Capt. Stevens (15)	F	Barkley (2)
Gunther	G	Nelson

Spare, Day.
Referee, H. A. Goode.

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The big game of the week in independent basketball circles will be staged tonight in the Christian Brothers' Business College gymnasium, Grand avenue and Clackamas street, when the Chemawa Indians will play the Peninsula Park first team. Plans have been made for a preliminary match which will start at 7:15 o'clock.

The Peninsula Parks have lost but one match this season; that was to the 165-pound Goldendale, Wash., aggregation. The Portland team was outweighed many pounds to the man.

Charles S. Botsford, of Reed College, will be the referee for the main contest tonight.

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The B'nai B'rith basketball team has arranged to bring the Oregon City quintet to the B'nai B'rith gymnasium next Wednesday night. The B'nai B'rith second squad wants a game to be staged as a preliminary next Wednesday night. For particulars call Captain Lou Herns at Main 3088.

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Some of the best independent players in Oregon will be seen in action when the George Washington Camp "Wows" meet the McMinnville Firemen in the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium next Friday night. The visitors will pick their first lineup from Eckman, Wanguman, White, Pearson, Martin and Manning.

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The Peninsula Park Vikings and the Christian Brothers Business College Juniors will play a game preliminary to the Chemawa Indians-Peninsula Park affair in the Christian Brothers Business College gymnasium tonight. The first match will start at 7:15 o'clock P. M.

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The Sunnyside representatives lost to the B'nai B'rith second team by a score of 43 to 16 Wednesday night, and Lincoln High held the first team to a 41 to 34 score.

The lineups follow:

First Team (41)	P.	Lincoln (34).
H. Cohn	F	Stinson
Shenker	F	Woolsley
Weiser	C	Clerin
Aurbach	G	Lillard
E. Cohn	G	Stevens
N. Cohn	Spare	N. Lakefish

Referee—Dr. Alfred Schilt.

Second Team (43).		Sunnyside (16).
Nusbaum (8)	F	(4) McEwan
Sichel (18)	F	(7) Scott
Capt. L. Herns (13)	C	(5) Capt. Mullen
Brownstein (2)	G	Pollock
Parness (2)	G	Blumberg
Abrams	Spare	Foster
Pearlman	Spare	

Referee, Abraham Popick.

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The Portland Newsboys second team will play the B'nai B'rith second squad as a curtain-raiser to the McMinnville-"Wows" game in the Y. M. C. A. next Friday night.

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Hyman Schwartz, formerly with Jewish Boys' Athletic Club five, will assist the High School and Commerce team until their regular coach arrives.

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Louis Pruss was named manager of the High School of Commerce basketball team and Milton Margulis was elected temporary captain until the squad is fully organized. The Stenographers lost their first start in the Portland Interscholastic League, but they hope to "come back."

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Manager John Bolich, of the Boys' Brigade basketball team, wants games for his 150-pound team in or out of the city. For games call Main 1732 after 6:30 o'clock P. M.

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The Gilbert Athletic Club won from the Christian Brothers Business College, 20 to 17, at Gilbert Station. Duffy for the losers and Murphy for the winners were the stars of the game.

PLAYERS INDORSE FRATERNITY

Fourteen Men Meet With Fultz and Decide to "Stand Pat."

BOSTON, Jan. 19.—The plans of the Baseball Players' Fraternity for a strike in support of demands made upon minor league clubs were indorsed at a meeting of 14 members of clubs in the major and minor leagues here last night, according to a statement of David L. Fultz, president of the fraternity, who presided.

"The boys talked over the situation and decided to stand by their guns," he said.

"Word was received from 45 players, three of them among the highest salaried players in the game, pledging themselves to sign no contracts until the demands are granted."

The meeting was attended by J. C. Smith, third baseman, and George Tyler, pitcher of the Boston Nationals; J. L. Gardner, third baseman; George Ruth, pitcher; Harold Janvrin, second baseman, and Olaf Henriksen, outfielder, of the world champion Boston Americans, and by eight minor league players.

JIMMY WILDE JOINS COLORS

Welsh Flyweight Differs From Les Darcy and Freddie Welsh.

Welshmen in Portland wish to have it known that Jimmy Wilde, the Welsh flyweight phenomenon, is unlike Les Darcy, Freddie Welsh and one or two others of their kidney, who are notable exceptions to the rule that the boxers, as a class, have been quick to rally to the defense of their country's flag.

Jimmy Wilde is the latest ring celebrity to accept the King's shilling in lieu of the far greater financial emoluments of the prize ring. Mr. Wilde is a married man with a family, but, so far from trying to evade the recruiting sergeant, his difficulty has been to persuade that individual that he is a fit and proper person to don the King's uniform.

Mr. Wilde is a freak as far as his physical build is concerned, but his heart is in the right place and, seeing that he can take on all-comers at weights considerably greater than his own and defeat them all in short order, he has some justification for thinking that he would be able to hold his own in a different kind of a scrap.

He has made three attempts to join the British army, and the third time he was successful, being accepted for Class B-1, which is for garrison duty abroad. Wilde was rejected the first time he applied on account of a weak leg (the result of a colliery accident), and on the second occasion owing to deficiency in weight. He weighs less than 100 pounds.

His enlistment will not put a stopper on his career in the ring at once, as he is to have the chance of making the Lonsdale belt his absolute property, probably on January 29, but it is not certain whether his opponent will be George Clark or Young Symonds, the ex-flyweight champion.

Captain Service, of Chemawa Indian Quintet, Who Will Play Against Peninsula Park in Portland Tonight.

FITZSIMMONS WILL PREACH

With Fourth Wife, He Will Do Evangelistic Work, It Is Said.

With determination to start life anew, Mr. and Mrs. "Bob" Fitzsimmons are due in Portland next week on their way to California to do evangelistic work. Word comes from Spokane that the ex-heavyweight champion and Mrs. Fitzsimmons No. 4 were reconciled there Thursday night. It is said that Mrs. Fitzsimmons No. 4 has canceled her engagement to go East to do reforming work.

"Bob" Fitzsimmons and his son, Bob, Jr., are in Spokane doing vaudeville. They have a boxing sketch.

On May 4, 1916, Mrs. Fitzsimmons No. 4 was at the White Temple here doing evangelistic work while Mrs. Fitzsimmons No. 3 (Julia May Gifford) was at the Pantages Theater.

Mrs. Bob No. 4 was a concert hall singer when she married "Bob" Fitzsimmons. She was born in France, but left home at the age of 14 to go on the stage. In her speeches around the country while doing church work she often said that she prayed that "Bob" might be converted, and that he, too, might some day stand on the pulpit and give his testimony. It seems that at last Mrs. Fitzsimmons No. 4 has won her fight. "Bob" has been conquered.

MEEHAN AND CAMPI ARRIVE

San Francisco Boxers Here in Hope of Getting Matches.

Two more San Francisco boxers arrived in Portland late yesterday afternoon. They are Willie Meehan, heavyweight, and Eddie Campi, featherweight. Both are listed among the best in the game at their respective weights. Three years ago Campi was one of the leading candidates for the bantamweight championship of the world while Meehan is considered one of the best heavyweights in the profession at present.

They came up from San Francisco by boat. Meehan is under the supervision of "Moose" Taussig, veteran trainer, who is here with Harry Pelsinger. Campi is connected with no one at present. Both want battles here and in Seattle.

BENEFIT SOCCER GAME TODAY

Reds and Blues Will Contest on Multnomah Field.

The soccer football game for the benefit of the British Red Cross fund will be played today between the Reds and the Blues on Multnomah Field. The first whistle will be blown about 2:45 o'clock P. M.

Andy Matthews will be the referee. Frank Billington, who is responsible for the match, may get into the lineup if one of his Blues fails to appear on scheduled time. The Reds are composed of practically all of the championship Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club eleven.

Oklahomans Defeat Montana.

MISSOULA, Mont., Jan. 19.—The Oklahoma Normal School outplayed the Montana University at basketball here tonight and won by the score of 30 to 24, after leading throughout the entire game. Wilke shot baskets from all angles for the Normals, while Johnsen's long goals featured the game.

Yale Swimmers Beat Penn.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 19.—The Yale swimming team defeated the University of Pennsylvania, 35½ points to 17½, in an intercollegiate match here tonight. Pennsylvania won the water polo match, 46 to 5.

Pendleton Girls Beat Waitsburg.

PENDLETON, Or., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—In one of the fastest games of basketball ever seen here, the undefeated Pendleton High School girls' basketball team defeated the Waitsburg team by a score of 19 to 14.

SEATTLE WINS 8-3

Portland Hockey Team Drops Farther in Race.

FRED ION, REFEREE, QUITS

Portland Club Gains This Point, but Loses Out in Its Protest Concerning Contest Played With Mets Last Tuesday.

Pacific Coast Ice Hockey Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Goals For	Goals Agst.
Seattle	9	5	.643	69	49
Spokane	6	5	.545	47	48
Vancouver, B. C.	5	6	.455	53	64
Portland	5	9	.357	62	70

Last Night's Results.

At Seattle—Seattle, 8; Portland, 3.

Next Games.

Tonight—Spokane at Vancouver, B. C.
Tuesday—Vancouver at Spokane.
Friday—Spokane at Portland.
Saturday—Seattle at Vancouver.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—After fighting hard for nearly two periods Portland finally succumbed to the machine-like play of the Metropolitans in the third period and went down to defeat before the largest crowd drawn to a hockey match this season here tonight by the score of 8 goals to 3.

For more than 16 minutes Portland and Seattle fought for the first score, but Morris got first blood when he slipped one by Murray after picking the puck out from a mass of players in front of the net for the only tally of the initial session.

Portland's Lead Short.

Portland rallied at the start of the second stanza and Dunderdale and Harris tallied in rapid order. But Portland's lead was short-lived, for Foyston scored the equalizer on a pass from Morris 35 seconds later. From that point on the Metropolitans took the lead. Walker scored twice unassisted and Foyston added another in the same manner.

Seattle added three more in the final session. Barbour annexed the Uncle Sams' lone tally in that period unassisted on a long shot from the wing.

The game was the cleanest played here this season. Only three men were sent to the fence for rough play, Johnson getting a double dose in the final period.

Manager Scott, of the Portland seven, fainted in the dressing-room during the intermission between the second and final period from the ammonia fumes from the generating-room.

Referee Ion Resigns.

Referee Ion, of the Pacific Coast Hockey League, has handled the whistle for the last time in this organization. Mr. Ion, who was charged by the Portland club with favoring Seattle in the southern city last Tuesday, resigned today at the special session of the league, and it was accepted. Mr. Ion resigned of his own free will, according to league President Frank Patrick, and the charges of dishonesty filed against him by Portland were not substantiated.

Although Portland gained its main desire in Ion's leaving, the Rose City club lost its protest of last Tuesday's game. Portland wanted the affair thrown out because one official, instead of two, handled the contest, but President Patrick ruled that there was no reason for allowing the protest.

"I will attempt to get another capable official immediately," President Patrick said after the meeting. "I have not made up my mind who to hire and I will work as referee until I find a man to hold down the job."

Lineup and summary:

Portland (3)	Position.	Seattle (8)
Murray	Goal	Holmes
Loughlin	Defense	Carpenter
Johnson	Defense	Rowe
Marples	Rover	Walker
Irvin	Center	Morris
Harris	Left Wing	Foyston
Tobin	Right Wing	Riley

Officials—Frank Patrick, referee; Si Griffis, judge of play; McKittrick and Vance, goal judges; Ezra Kendall, timekeeper.

SCORES BY PERIODS.

First period—
1—Seattle, Morris 16:50
Second period—
2—Portland, Dunderdale from Harris 1:20
3—Portland, Harris from Tobin 6:25
4—Seattle, Foyston from Morris :35
5—Seattle, Walker 6:50
6—Seattle, Walker 2:00
7—Seattle, Foyston 1:30
Third period—
8—Seattle, Foyston :35
9—Portland, Barbour :30
10—Seattle, Morris from Rowe 2:45
11—Seattle, Morris from Rowe 7:25

Substitutions—(First period) Dunderdale for Harris; Harris for Marples. (Second period), none. (Third period), Marples for Dunderdale, Barbour for Loughlin, Dunderdale for Tobin, Wilson for Walker, Walker for Wilson.

Penalties—(First period) Riley and Foyston, 3 minutes each. (Second period) none. (Third period), Johnson, 2 three-minute penalties.

COLUMBIA SKATERS WINNERS

Washington High Septet Vanquished by Five Goals to Two.

Interscholastic Hockey Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.	Points For	Points Agst.
Lincoln High	1	1	1000	2	0
Columbia University	1	0	1000	5	2
Jefferson High	1	0	.000	0	2
Washington High	0	1	.000	2	5

Columbia University's team of the Portland Interscholastic Hockey League defeated the Washington High School septet last night, in the Ice Palace, 5 to 2. One of the largest crowds of the year greeted the youngsters.

Johnson, for the winners, scored 3 goals, and his teammate Chungraney sent in the other two. Kidwell and Captain Charley Parsons each registered a point for Washington. Referee Faulk handed out eight minutes of penalties, four to Kidwell and two each to Al Malone and Chungraney.

The next hockey game of the Portland Interscholastic League will be played February 2 between Lincoln High and Columbia University.

In last night's game the score stood 1 to 1 at the end of the first period, 2 to 2 at the end of the second and 5 to 2 at the close.

The lineups follow:

Columbia (5)		Washington (2).
McCruskey	Goal	Manary
Mayer	L D	Parsons
L. McCruskey	R D	Glass
Chungraney	C	Kennedy
Johnson	R	Kidwell
Collins	L W	Farrell
Pursell	R W	Black
Malone	Spare	Hemington
Walker	Spare	Patterson
Douglass	Spare	Montgomery

Chehalis Has Seven Games.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan. 19.—(Special.)—The Chehalis High School basketball team's schedule for this season follows: January 20, Chehalis vs. South Bend, in Chehalis; January 26, Chehalis vs. Lebam, in Chehalis; February 2, Chehalis vs. Centralia, in Centralia; February 9 and 10, open dates; February 16, Chehalis vs. South Bend, at South Bend; February 17, Chehalis vs. Raymond, at Raymond; February 22 (afternoon), Chehalis vs. Centralia, at Chehalis; February 24, Chehalis vs. Raymond, at Chehalis.

Princeton Defeats New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Princeton defeated the College of the City of New York in a dual swimming meet here tonight, score 23 points to 20.