

BEAVERS TO MAKE BUT HERE TODAY

Big Parade of Fans in Autos Is Scheduled to Precede Clash With Seals.

NEW FACES TO BE SEEN

Attendance Is Expected to Attain 10,000 Mark Despite Lull in Interest During War—Mayor to Toss in Ball.

Pacific Coast League Standings.
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Salt Lake 8 8 400 Oakland 8 13 381

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BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.
This is the big day for the Portland baseball colony.

Portland is to pull the plug on the National pastime in the opening combat of the Pacific Coast League hereabouts. The hour is 3 o'clock and the rival maelstrom on the menu is the San Francisco ball outfit.

Both ball teams are scheduled to reach the city early this morning, ready to trot out on the field in their spick-and-span new uniforms just as soon as Mayor Albee arrives in his grandstand box and hurls the initial aperitif to the pitching box—or in that general direction.

From present indications Kenneth Penner, the new Cleveland phenom, will be in that neighborhood ready to receive the Mayor's wild pitch. Penner seems doomed to pitch the opener, opposing Southpaw Red Oldham.

Prior to the game the city will be a distinct odor of gasoline downtown. In other words, a parade is destined to wind its tortuous course through the downtown streets, pausing only long enough to pick up President Allan T. Baum, of the Coast League; various city and county officials; and a raft of other lesser dignitaries, who always like to participate in the unveiling of America's National pastime.

Hidden in among the guzzling gasolene buggies and the noble nags will be the Third Oregon Infantry band. Usually the baseball boosters committee has had three or four bands, but this year as the only tune that's been played is "The Star-Spangled Banner," the boosters have arranged for only one ensemble.

Out at the park, however, there'll be another band, probably McElroy's, to play for the game and as an accompaniment to Frank D. Hennessy, the well-known Russian baritone. Mister "Hinnings" is to add a patriotic touch to the initial combat by singing the Star-Spangled Banner.

Scott Key's famous war tune through a megaphone pointed east.

Well be the game and a mighty "Uncle Sam" suit, so the fans will be able to pick him out even if they can't hear his voice.

If the weather is good—and the indications are most favorable—a huge crowd probably will jam Recreation field. The war has sort of put baseball into a temporary eclipse, but the same there's a great deal of enthusiasm on tap, and the boosters expect fully 10,000 fans to be present—perhaps a few thousand more.

Portland once turned out close to 10,000.

The past four opening games have been spoiled by rain.

Local fans will welcome a great many new players to the field. Some of these are Penner, Brenton, Fincher, Leake, Heifrich and Huber, of the pitching corps; Borton and Siglin, of the infield; and Frank Farmer, the big outfielder.

Only two games behind the 400 mark, the Beavers have been at Recreation field for three weeks' stretch away from home.

Henry Berry, owner of the Seals, is expected to accompany President Baum from San Francisco. The Seals held forth last week at Salt Lake, so they are due from all that direction.

Harry Wolverton seems to have an other good club in tow. Last week San Francisco broke even with Salt Lake, while Portland was losing to the Oaks.

Wherefore, with this off our chest, as the late Billy Jordan would say: "Let 'er go."

Automobiles participating in the opening day parade of the Portland Baseball Boosters will either start at Fourteenth and Morrison streets at 1 o'clock. Here is the course:

East on Morrison to Fourth; north on Fourth to Alder; west on Alder to Third; north on Third to Pine; west on Pine to Sixth; south on Sixth to Alder; west on Alder to Nineteenth, and from there to the ball park.

Lon Wagner, chairman of the fraternal committee of the Portland Baseball Boosters, has advised all of the organizations wishing to ride in the parade to have their cars in front of the Elks' temple, Broadway and Stark streets, at 12:30 o'clock. From there they will proceed to Fourteenth and Morrison to join the main body under the direction of Grand Marshal Ray Barkhurst.

GOLFERS TO AID RED CROSS

Money Usually Spent on Cups to Go for War Sufferers.

CHICAGO, April 23.—Bronze war medals instead of cups will be awarded winners of amateur golf events held under the auspices of the Western Golf Association, and the sum usually spent for cups and the entry fees will be contributed to the American Red Cross or some similar fund to aid war sufferers. It was announced today by Assistant Secretary Crafts W. Higgins.

This decision was reached by President Charles F. Thompson and the executive committee of the Western Golf Association, who urged golfers to do all they could for the war and in carrying on the war and to demonstrate that golfers are "perpetually and pleasantly prepared by the nature of golf."

The announcement adds: "No change will be made in the Western open championship, professionals, and winners in this event will receive the various amounts stipulated for prizes in cash as usual, but the entry fees will be given to the Red Cross the same as in the amateur championship and the junior championship."

TENNIS STAR SEEKS TO ENLIST

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MISS ETHEL WIGGINS, AN ENTHUSIASTIC FANETTE, "DOLLED UP" IN ONE OF THE BEAVERS' NEW HOME UNIFORMS.

CLASH ON TONIGHT

Lightweight Title of Canada and Northwest at Stake.

FANS PREDICT GOOD SCRAP

Pete Mitchell and Cliff Reed Also Are Billed—Adolph Schacht, of Seattle, to Referee—Gibbons Boys Are Coming.

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the training camp at Plattsburg, N. Y. He is the first American champion in any line of amateur sport to enlist formally for war service. With Johnston, he won the turf golf doubles championship in 1916 and 1917 and was ranked No. 6 by the National Tennis Association at the close of last season. Several other players of National prominence have announced their intention of enlisting, including R. Norris Williams II, singles champion; George M. Church, Dean Mathew and Watson Washburn.

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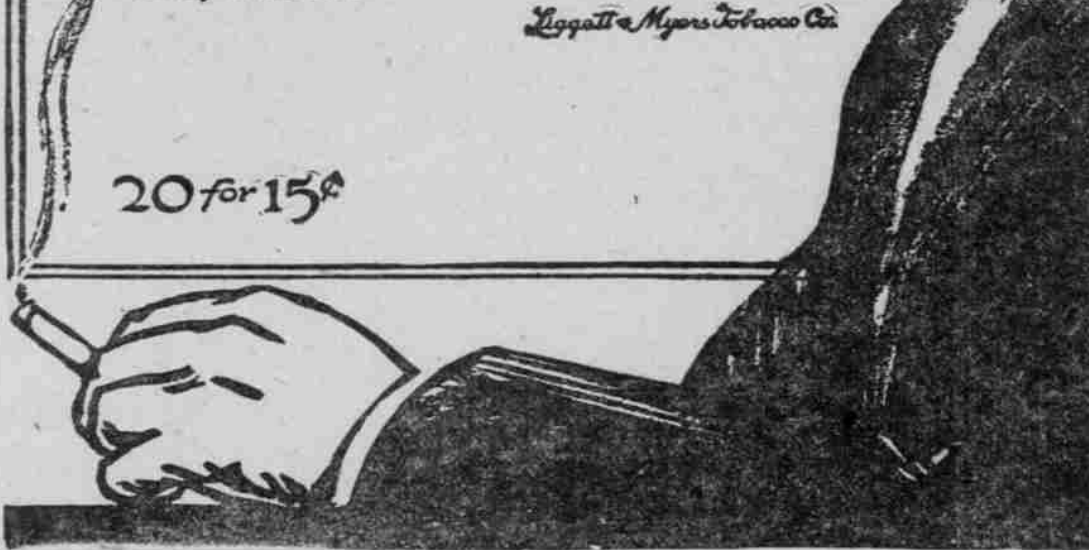
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BOWLERS OPEN PLAY

Six Quintets Compete at International Congress Tourney.

here May 7, it was announced tonight by a local promoter.

Mayor Ashcroft, of Memphis, recently made Darcy's enlistment a condition for the granting of permission for him to fight here. It was said that both Darcy and Rowlands have agreed to terms for the match.

300 Yachts and Motorboats Parade.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Three hundred yachts and motorboats participated in a review on San Francisco Bay today, which marked the opening of the local yachting season. Today's event will be the only notable yacht outing this season, the usual program having been canceled because of the war.

Cline and McGovern Box Draw.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—Irish patsy Cline, New York lightweight, and Terry McGovern, of Philadelphia, fought six fast rounds here tonight to a draw.

DODGERS 3, PHILLIES 1

PITTSBURG DEFEATS ST. LOUIS BY SCORE OF 2 TO 0.

Cincinnati Wins Slugging Match From Chicago—Glants—Braves' Game Postponed Because of Rain.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—Brooklyn defeated Philadelphia 3 to 1, by bunting two singles and a sacrifice with Cravath's miff in the seventh. Oeschger sustained an injured finger when he was saved on two occasions when a batsman fanned and a runner was doubled trying to steal. The score: R. H. E. Brooklyn 3 4 3 Philadelphia 1 6 1 Batteries—Cadore and Meyers; Oeschger, Mayer and Killefer, Adams.

Pittsburg 2, St. Louis 0.

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—Cooper allowed only three hits and received perfect support which offset his wildness in giving six bases on balls. The score: R. H. E. Pittsburg 2 3 0 St. Louis 0 3 2 Batteries—Cooper and Fischer; Watson, Steele and Snyder.

Cincinnati 10, Chicago 5.

CINCINNATI, April 23.—Cincinnati won a slug; g match from Chicago 10 to 5. Cuzto made a home run with two on bases in the sixth. Prendergast maintained an injured finger when he attempted to stop Wingo's drive in the fifth. The score: R. H. E. Cincinnati 10 11 3 Chicago 5 11 3 Batteries—Prendergast, Hendrix and Wilson, Elliott; Toney and Wingo.

At New York—Boston-New York game postponed; rain.

YANKEES DEFEAT BOSTON, 9-6

Foster, Relief Twirler, Is Victim of Visitors in Ninth.

BOSTON, April 23.—New York batsmen fell upon Foster, Boston's relief pitcher, in the ninth today, scoring three runs to win. Fellow townsman of Manager Barry came here from Worcester to assist in celebrating "Barry Day." The score: R. H. E. New York 9 9 3 Boston 6 13 4 Batteries—Cullop, Love and Alexander; Shore, Foster and Cadby.

Philadelphia 4, Washington 3.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—After taking the lead in the eighth, Washington was defeated as a result of errors. Bush allowed only three hits and struck out seven. The score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 4 9 3 Washington 3 2 Batteries—Bush and Meyers; Dumont, Galia and Henry, Ainsmith.

No other games scheduled.

Wireless waves have been utilized to light and extinguish gas lamps in Germany.

COFFEY BEATS MORRIS

DUBLIN GIANT TAKES SEVEN OUT OF TEN ROUNDS.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Jim Coffey, the Dublin giant, out fought Carl Morris of Oklahoma, in a 10-round bout here tonight. Coffey had the better of seven rounds, while Morris placed the fifth, sixth and seventh to his credit.

Morris, who weighed 224 pounds to Coffey's 195, continually bored in, but Coffey was the superior in clean hitting and general ring work. In the second round, Coffey opened a cut over the Westerner's left eye. Morris' short-arm blows at close quarters began to show their effect in the fifth, when Coffey weakened and was unable to force his opponent away. In the sixth and seventh Morris continued to crowd his man. Coffey, however, recuperated in the eighth and for the remainder of the bout was able to force the fighting at long range.

At the end of the contest, the men continued to exchange blows, but the referee separated them and make them shake hands.

Sounding the Sport Reveille.

JIMMIE McDONALD brother of the famous George McDonald, English internationalist, is in Chicago and will be with George Donaldson at the Chicago Golf Club until June, when he will leave to take charge as professional at Procono Pines, Pa., near Scranton. James is the youngest of the seven McDonald golfing brothers. George is at Farnborough with the royal flying corps; Willie is at the front with the royal field artillery, and John is in training with the royal Highlanders. James has been in this country about 18 months, but another brother, Alex, has been here seven years.

You can watch what promises to be a regular ball game this afternoon. The Beavers are not to be denied and Harry Wolverton's clan is leading the league, so something worth telling the children about years hence ought to happen.

Johnny Coulon's grandfather, Louis Coulon, who died recently, was a Frenchman, France, had a beard 12 feet long, and Johnny has a photograph to prove it. The ex-bantamweight champion thinks if some of the hair had been passed along he might not now be ashamed to be seen without his hat. Johnny is only 5 feet 1 inch tall, due, he declares, to grownups swatting flies on top of his head. The repeated blows of folded newspapers, ten-cent magazines, rulers and other articles have retarded his growth.

Jack Dillon, the Indiana light heavy-

Spay Pearl, a thoroughbred stallion, four years old, by Spearpoint, arrived in New York on the Atlantic transport liner Manhattan, a gift to the breeding bureau of Canada from the King of England. Spay Pearl is golden bay and is one of the grandest bred horses ever shipped to this country. His sire, Spearpoint, won the derby of 1909, and his dam, Pearl of Loch, is by Persimmon, winner of the derby of 1896. Spay Pearl is valued at \$20,000.

Pitcher George Zabel (Los Angeles), and Catcher Leland Benton were left in Pittsburgh when the Cubs left, and it is likely that Zabel will be shipped back to Los Angeles and Benton to some other minor league club soon.

Jim Thorpe to Wear Red Uniform.

CINCINNATI, April 23.—Manager Mathewson, of the Cincinnati Nationals, announced today that he had purchased the services of Jim Thorpe, of the New York Nationals.

Italian Envoy to Japan Named.

ROME, Sunday, April 22, via Paris, April 23.—Marquis Cusani-Confalonieri, ex-Italian Ambassador to the United States, has been appointed Ambassador of Italy at Tokio. He will take up his new post shortly, passing through the United States on his way to Japan.

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It has long been accepted as a matter of course that the sins of the fathers must be suffered by innocent posterity, yet it is hard to become reconciled to this condition. The heritage of physical infirmity is a handicap under which thousands must face the battle of life. Scrofula is probably the most noticeable of the transmitted blood disorders, though there are other more severe diseases of the blood that pass from one generation to another. No matter what inherited blood taint you may be laboring under, S. S. S. offers hope. This