

LEAKE O'BRIEN LEAF BEAVER ROLL

Portland Club Now Is Within 18-Player Requirement of Class AA League.

TWO PITCHERS MAY GET AX

Unless Better Showing Is Made by Some of Beaver Filingers Move to Replace Them by Others Will Soon Result.

Pacific Coast League Standings. W. L. Per. San Fran. 12 10 481 Salt Lake 10 10 480

"In the Blue Ridge mountains of Virginia, on the trail of the Ionesome pine," in whose honor the Ionesome pine of the Portland Pacific Coast League club, will go soon unless Manager Ryan, of the Rocky Mount, N. C., club, of the Virginia League, makes some kind of a deal whereby his protegee can play in some other section of the country.

Dauntless Del Howard and his Oakland surprise package will open a week's engagement against the Beavers at 2 o'clock today at Vaughn street.

Eighteen of the following 20 players will accompany Howard to Portland: Pitches Al Arlett, Sam W. Beer, William T. Burns, R. H. Goodbred, Harry Krause, Catchers Murray, Clinton Prough and Charles Pruitt.

Five ex-Portland players will be welcomed by the Portland fans. They are: Pitcher Krause, Catchers Murray and Roche and infielders Messner and Murphy.

WELSH MEETS KILBANE TODAY Lightweight and Featherweight to Battle Ten Rounds.

NEW YORK, April 30.—(Special.)—A boxing match between Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, and Johnny Kilbane, holder of the featherweight title, pugilists will meet for a bout of 10 rounds.

BRITAIN STOPS HORSE RACING Government to Provide for Rationing of Thoroughbreds.

LONDON, April 30.—All racing will cease in the United Kingdom this week, it was announced in the House of Commons today for the government by Captain Charles D'Almeida.

PHILLIES DEFEAT BRAVES, 3-2

Contest Is Marked by Wrangling Between Opposing Players.

PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—Philadelphia made four hits off Rudolph in the third inning today and won. There was considerable ill feeling shown between the teams.

RUTH WINS FIVE STRAIGHT

ATHLETICS SUCCEUM TO RED SOX BY SCORE OF 6 TO 2.

BOSTON, April 30.—Ruth pitched his fifth straight victory for Boston, defeating Philadelphia 6 to 2. He was hit often but received brilliant support.

PHILA. 3 10 3 Boston 6 12 0 Batteries—J. Johnson, Seibold and Schank; Ruth, McCormick and Connolly; Thomas.

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GONZAGA QUITS ATHLETICS Students Above 18 Are Drilled in Military Tactics.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 30.—(Special.)—All athletics have been discontinued indefinitely at Gonzaga University, and military training will be done, Harry Krause, pitcher, and other sports at the institution, said today.

3 BIGBEE BROTHERS TO ENLIST Carson and Morris to Try for Reserve, Lyle as Aviator.

EUGENE, Or., April 30.—According to word received here today, two ex-University of Oregon baseball stars, Lyle and Carson, Bigbee, the former now with the Spokane Northwestern League team, and the latter with the United States Army, will enlist in the United States Army.

Baseball Summary. STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS. National League. W. L. Per. New York 9 4 487 Philadelphia 6 10 360

Yesterday's Results. American Association—At Toledo 7, Milwaukee 0; Minneapolis, at Milwaukee, 9 to 4.

Where the Teams Play Today. Pacific Coast League—Oakland, at Portland, Salt Lake at San Francisco; Vernon vs. Salt Lake, at Los Angeles.

SPOKANE, April 30.—Kallispell won its match yesterday against Palouse in the Inland Empire telegraphic tennis tournament, making its tenth straight victory. It clinched the contest in its last shot two weeks ago.

WAGNER DODGER WITH PIRATE CREW

Veteran of 25 Years in Baseball Is Succeeded by Ollie Pickering.

RECORD IS UNSURPASSED

Famous Player Scores More Runs, Steals More Bases and Knocks More Doubles and Homers Than Anyone Else.

Although the major league teams are well under way with their 1917 schedule, John H. Wagner has not yet joined the Pirates. It is likely that the prediction made by Bigbee, the Oregon boy with Pittsburgh, has come true.

Wagner is the most famous player who ever played, and many of the records created by the flying Dutchman in his 25 years in the game will never be equaled.

Word was received yesterday that Outfielder Chadbourne has been transferred by the Oaks to Vernon.

MANAGER MCCREDIE, of the Portland club, believes that Catcher Sepulveda will do better as soon as he returns into shape.

DEL HOWARD'S team took five games out of seven from Vernon last week, with only one, as Sunday morning's game resulted in a tie.

ST. JOSEPH CLUB FOR SALE. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 30.—John Holland, manager of the St. Joseph National League baseball club, announced today that the club is for sale.

IMPOSTER WARNING ISSUED American Russian Chamber Says Irresponsible Agencies Are Busy.

WARNING AGAINST FAKE AGENCIES to aid in the exchange of commerce between Russia and America is issued by the American Russian Chamber of Commerce, in New York, and the Portland Chamber was notified yesterday.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS. FRED FULTON settled two lawsuits hanging over his head on April 28, without allowing the time to go to court.

CARL LORENZ ASKS \$7500 Damages Sought for Death of Mrs. Lorenz From Auto Injuries.

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THE WRONG DIRECTION. All that prevents most of the Beavers from hitting the mark is the fact that they are smashing all of their blows into the catchers' mitts.

ENLIGHTENMENT. The Lycopus theater with a seating capacity of three thousand, is the biggest in London, but the London opera-house has the largest stage.

It might not be out of the way to ship a few golf guides down that way. An application of the rules might have yeasty influence on some of those scores.

Abandoning of competitive athletics at Harvard will result in a saving of approximately \$50,000 to the Crimson's athletic association this Spring.

WESTERN MEET TO BE HELD "Big Nine" Schools May Not All Be Represented at Chicago June 9.

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MCCREDIE'S RUSH CHECK TO GRIFFITH

Endless Chain System to Furnish Baseball Paraphernalia to Soldier Boys.

25 CENTS GOES IN LETTER

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GIBBOIS BOUT MAY 8

St. Paul Pugilists to Appear at Local Theater.

OTHER FIGHTERS ON CARD

MALIN SCRAP WILL BE BETWEEN MIKE GIBBOIS AND AL SOMMERS—MEN WILL BE ATTRACTION TONIGHT FOR SEATTLE FANS.

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YOU find men who are proud of themselves are mighty ready to learn about the little nibble of W-B CUT that does away with so much grinding and spitting.

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