

JOHNSON KEPT OUT OF GAME BY INJURY

Portland's Star Defense Player Not to Be in Line-Up Tonight Against "Mets."

MANAGER MULDOON HOPES

Pilot of Rosebuds Says Team is Determined to Win—Criticisms Against "Smookey" Harris' Playing Are Heard.

By JAMES J. RICHARDSON. Pete Muldoon, manager of the Rosebuds, set the alarm clock for an early call this morning and will accompany the Portland ice hockey septet to Seattle, where they are billed for an engagement with Lester Patrick's "Mets" tonight.

"Smookey" Johnson, Portland's sensational cover point, will not mix in tonight's fracas, having been advised by Dr. Earl Smith, club physician, to keep out of all games until the ligaments in his shoulder have a chance to get set. The "Smookey" collided with Griffis at Vancouver on Monday night, and as a result he has been heavily swathed in bandages in the region of the left shoulder.

Vancouver Players Considerate. It was only an act of kindness on the part of the Vancouver players that Johnson played the entire game against the "Millionaires" Wednesday night, when the Rosebuds went down to defeat, 1 to 0, after 13 minutes and 38 seconds of overtime play.

Harbour Takes Johnson's Place. At Harbour will take Johnson's place at defense in tonight's battle against Seattle. Manager Muldoon is lucky to have spares the equal of Harbour, and did not give him the usual roughing he gets when actively participating in a game.

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Two Recruits Are Sought. "After our game with Seattle we return home for a week's rest before we play another game. We have been doing nothing but training the past week and have not had much chance to practice and get our team work perfected."

There were many criticisms of "Smookey" Harris' playing in Wednesday night's game against Vancouver. One spectator who attended the game stated that "Harris is carrying the gun in tonight's game. I thought all the soldiers were fighting."

Charlie Tobin has regained the form which characterized his playing last season. Portland's right half staged a beautiful contest against Vancouver and along with Tommy Dunderdale essayed a number of splendid flings at the goal net from center ice, but was unable to penetrate the eagle eye of goalkeeper Lehman.

Mickey Ion, official hockey referee, has been getting away in grand style in the games he has worked in this city. His efficient handling of the Portland-Vancouver game was class A. Ion has his hands full trying to watch the puck and at the same time keeping a weather eye out for the "birds" who love to play a smash at each other when they think the referee has his optics turned in the opposite direction.

Cyclone Taylor, of Vancouver, who was the star for the visitors in Wednesday's game, is in line to play with age. Although Taylor has few hair on his "think tank" he still can play hockey with the rest of them. The boys keep kidding him about being bald-headed, but the "youngster" says "grass never grows on a busy street."

ENSON TECH TEAM DEFEATED

South Parkway Second Quintet Finds Opponents Easy Victims.

The South Parkway second team defeated the Benson "Tech" quintet, of the Intercollegiate League, 23 to 9, in preliminary basketball game at Vancouver Barracks game at the Neighborhood House Wednesday night. The Benson team did not put up a very spirited game, and was outclassed from the start. The lineup:

South Parkway (23): Benson Tech (9). Fruse (4).....F.....Bennett (4).....F.....C.....Berkett (4).....F.....L.....Foster (2).....F.....Lewis (2).....G.....Scott (2).....G.....

SIMPSON HEADS FIELD SPORTS

Officer at Camp Lewis World's Champion Hurdler.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Lieutenant Robert I. Simpson, 46th Infantry of the regulars and world's champion hurdler, will have charge of field athletics at Camp Lewis. Lieutenant Simpson held both the record for high and low hurdles, which he made in the Olympic games in Stockholm, Sweden, in 1914. He is a graduate of the University of Missouri. Lieutenant Simpson has been at the camp for some time and is instructing National Army men in field practice.

PORTLAND'S STAR HOCKEYIST AND PLAYER WHO WILL REPLACE HIM IN GAME AGAINST SEATTLE TONIGHT.



Al Barbour and Moose Johnson

TWO TEAMS ARE TIED

W. O. W. and Rose City Bowling Teams Inter-Club Leaders.

M. A. C. IN THIRD PLACE

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By defeating the Turn Verein team, 2175 to 2173 points, the Rose City Park team jumped into a tie for first place with the W. O. W. 77 five in the Inter-Club Bowling League, the W. O. W. team losing to the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club No. 5, 2444 points to 2350. The Rose City Park and W. O. W. No. 77 bowlers have won 17 games and lost seven each, with a percentage of .708. The race for the inter-club championship is getting closer with each game and may develop into a regular American League event.

The M. A. C. team has had a strange hold in third place for a week or so at least, while the Turn Verein pinsmashers and Multnomah Camp 77 are tied for fourth position.

Results of this week's games up to date are as follows:

Table with columns for team names and scores. Includes teams like W. O. W. No. 77, Rose City Park, M. A. C. No. 5, etc.

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IT'S PACIFIC COAST INTERNATIONAL NOW

Magnates Change Name of Organization and Vote Portland Into Circuit.

DECISION IS UNANIMOUS

Moguls Think Present Coast League Will Be Known as Their Own, Eventually, for Geographical Reasons.

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The Northwest League is no more, but instead a new organization to be known as the Pacific Coast International League is born, and is destined to become the representative baseball league of the Pacific Coast, in the opinion of the directors of the body meeting in annual session here today.

The changing of the name of the organization and the vote of Portland bothered with a lot of canons and machine guns.

There must be an ex-champion fighter working in a crockery store on Washington street. We saw a sign in a window the other day which read: "Mugs Decorated Free of Charge."

If Judge McCredie keeps on adding weight to his physique he will have to purchase two "lowers" when he travels. The Portland baseball magnate weighs about 225 pounds with his hair parted on the left side.

Fight promoters please note. This from a Vancouver paper: "Eddie Oatman was nursing a grouch the other night. He was watched closely by the referee, and he was not permitted to enter on two occasions. The second time he essayed to put Cook out of the game. He did, but was himself banished. The referee called in the dentist to examine the dentist's chair as a result of the melee." What is your ringside weight, Eddie?

Five Cities Represented. Vancouver, Seattle, Spokane, Tacoma and Portland were represented at the meetings today and tonight. Butte and Great Falls were not represented today, but it was said representatives from the Montana cities might arrive tomorrow.

A proposal to play a number of games each week at Camp Lewis cantonment is under consideration. It is said.

A feature of the afternoon session was the failure of the Montana club owners to appear. The absence of the directors from both Butte and Great Falls was noted with no little comment by the rest of the owners. It was hoped they would make their appearance later.

SOUTH PARKWAYS WIN, 28 TO 14

Washington High Quintet Loses in Game of Thrills.

The South Parkway second team defeated the Washington High School quintet, 28 to 14, at the Washington gymnasium last night.

The game was a fast one and furnished plenty of thrills for the fans. Gurian made many brilliant shots for the winners and played an all-around game. This makes the third victory for the South Parkway second team over intercollegiate basketball squads. The other teams that have gone down to defeat at their hands are Jefferson and Benson Tech.

So Parkway (28): Washington (14). Gurian (10).....F.....Edmond Fruse (10).....F.....La Roche Tostler (2).....F.....Edmond Gurian (10).....F.....C. Clough Unkles (6).....G.....Beckwith Dr. Fenstermacher, referee.

BASKETBALL GAME IS CLOSE

Christian Brothers Beat Gilbert Station Hoopsters, 23 to 22.

The Christian Brothers Business College basketball team defeated the Gilbert Station quintet, 23 to 22 points, after five minutes of overtime play, at the Christian Brothers gymnasium Wednesday night.

The game ended 23 all, and after five minutes of overtime the referee called a foul on Gilbert Station, and the host, of the C. B. E. squad, shot the ball.

While McLoughlin was a tearing, aggressive type of player, Johnston, who came later, was a cool tactician and an opportunist with the ball, ready precision and few mistakes to lead victory.

SOUTH PARKWAY TEAM WINS. Defeated, 37 to 10. The South Parkway basketball teamers won from the Vancouver Barracks five by the score of 37 to 10, at the Neighborhood House gymnasium Wednesday night. It was the first game of the season for the soldiers, and they did not play in the best of form.

They were defeated by the South Parkway team later in the season and hope to reverse the score. Cantor and Rogaway were main point-getters for the South Parkway team. Cantor registering 20 points and Rogaway 10 of the 37 points scored by their team. Voss and Hankins worked best for the losers. The lineup:

South Parkway (37): Vancouver Bar. (10). Popick (10).....F.....Voss (7) Rogaway (10).....F.....Hankins (2) Cantor (20).....F.....Barnes (2) Arbock (2).....F.....C. Lewis (2) Johnston (5).....F.....Foney Lewis (4).....F.....Falloway Dave Schneider, referee.

SCOTT CAMP BASEBALL HEAD. "Big Jim," Star Hurler, to Direct Sport at Camp Lewis. TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—The grand old game is beginning to edge its familiar form into the limelight at Camp Lewis. It is particularly looming up now at the third officers' training camp.

Captain James Scott, known to the baseball world more particularly to the fans of the Chicago White Sox as "Big Jim" Scott, star twirler, will have complete charge of the sport at the camp. Baseball is his favorite, and he already is planning lining up a team. Reports from the camp say that this famous twirler, who gave up the honor of playing in the recent world series to jump into the most popular of all uniforms, now the olive-drab, has some fine talent to work with.

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BOARD OF CONTROL ACTS

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In withdrawing from the Northwest Conference, the university discontinues regular annual games with such schools as Idaho, Montana and Whitman, which colleges are not members of the Pacific Coast Conference. Games with these institutions, many of which are, however, through special arrangements. Of these schools, Whitman is the only one with which the University of Washington has had a year-to-year contract.

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The Dallas team is one of the fastest in the Willamette Valley, and is desirous of obtaining games with other fast teams, preferring the best school teams of Portland.

The Dallas team is being coached by Joseph E. Malone, a former star of Mount Angel and Columbia University teams. The lineup: Dallas.....F.....Minnville.....Coburn Bennett.....F.....Vernon Craven.....C.....McCart William.....G.....Ford Smith.....G.....Ford

COACHES DOING THEIR BIT. Amateur Club Mentors Give Service at Various Army Camps. Former coaches of clubs in the American Amateur Athletic Union are doing their bit at the various Army cantonments. The men are acting as athletic instructors, mapping out a reactive sports for the many thousands of soldiers to perfect their physical fitness for the more severe task of war fighting.

Baseball, basketball and track, the only major intercollegiate sports on the programs at the university of California, will be conducted on a Wednesday basis this year. One coach for all and the development of top talent to take the places of those who have gone into the military service is the theory on which all athletics will proceed.

Baseball will be built up around one veteran, Captain Claude Rhower. He succeeded his brother, Ray, to the captaincy when the latter was killed at Camp Lewis. At the time of his succession to the title there still was one or two letter baseball men floating around the campus at the time of the war. Carroll Smith took it into his head that he wanted to become a marine, Captain Rhower was left alone in his glory.

However, the baseball outlook at California is not altogether dark and gloomy. Though veterans are few and far between, there is an abundance of baseball talent available and the probabilities are that a pretty fair team will be whipped into shape for the Stanford series.

University of Oregon and Oregon Agricultural College nine will not mix with California this Spring. In past seasons the Oregon teams have journeyed to California for two or three games with the Blue and Gold nine, but the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Conference arranged for no local ball games between California and Oregon teams this season.

On Wednesday night at Multnomah Club, Fred E. Newton, of the Elks Club, won from C. A. Brodie, of M. A. A. C., 30 points to 24.

The Transportation Club will play the Elks Club at the latter's clubrooms tonight.

Canadian Boxer Joins Army. MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—Frankie Fleming, featherweight boxing champion of Canada, has joined the Royal Flying Corps. He will be trained as an aviator at Camp Borden, Ont.

Lefts and Rights. Fred Fulton has signed articles to box Tom Cowler in Denver on February 1. The boxing will be staged at the Stockyards Stadium by Promoter Jimmy Hamill.

Billy Gibson has decided to open his Princeton Athletic Club in New York next week. His opening show will be featured by four six-round contests between high-class performers.

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