

SOMMERS BATTLES FRENCH

Fight is One of Fiercest and Fastest Ever Witnessed by Portland Fans.

DUFFY OUTFIGHTS TUCKER

Billy Mascott Gains Decision in Six-Round Bout With Weldon Wing and Ted Hoke Knocks Out Ed Olson in Third Round.

BY JAMES J. RICHARDSON. In one of the fiercest and fastest fights ever staged in a Portland arena...

SPEEDY SEATTLE ROVER, WHO IS EAGER TO PLAY IN GAME AGAINST PORTLAND TOMORROW NIGHT.



Frank Foyston.

TRACK SPORTS LEAD

Outdoor Athletic Competition to Be Greatest in 1918.

UNCLE SAM IS PROMOTER

Purpose is to Train Young Men So They Will Be Physically Fit. Army and Navy Contests to Be Encouraged.

SOLDIERS TAKE UP BOXING

Willie Ritchie Has Fought Infantry in Action at One Time.

ORTEGA SHIFTS ATTACK

The sixth round was even. Both boys landed hard punches. Ortega caught Sommers flush on the jaw as they came out of a clinch.

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Referee Jack Helzer called the bout a draw and the decision met with the approval of the fans.

MASCOTT GETS DECISION

Billy Mascott won a six-round decision over Weldon Wing. The South Portland youngster was fast and used a straight left to Wing's jaw.

BALL FANS TO PAY WAR TAX

Federal Ruling Provides for Increase of Admission Rates.

LOUISVILLE, KY., JAN. 23.—Rulings of the bureau of internal revenue...

JACOB PINCUS, VETERAN JOCKEY, DIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Jacob Pincus, one of the most famous jockeys and trainers on the American turf, died of heart disease in the Mount Vernon hospital today.

CHESS CLUBS TO MEET

SALEM, Or., Jan. 23.—(Special.)—The Salem Chess and Checker Club has accepted a challenge from the Oregon City Chess Club for a tournament...

INFORMAL SKI RECORD SET

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Ragnar Ostvedt, professional ski champion, set an informal record for the Cary slide yesterday while practicing for the national championship meet to be held there on Sunday.

ROSEBUDS TO MEET METS TOMORROW

Contest Will Break Three-Cornered Tie in Coast Ice Hockey League.

HARD BATTLE IS PROMISED

"Moose" Johnson to Be Out of Game Because of Injuries—Barbour is Substituted in Lineup—Advance Sale of Tickets Heavy.

Table with 4 columns: Team, W, L, P.C. For. Aft. Rows include Portland, Seattle, and Vancouver.

With all three teams of the Pacific Coast Ice Hockey Association tied in the race for the league championship, tomorrow night's engagement between Seattle and Portland at the Ice Palace, Twenty-first and Marshall streets, promises to be a "mixer" from start to finish.

INDIVIDUAL HOCKEY SCORES

Table with 4 columns: Player, Gm., G., A., Pts. Rows include Taylor, Vancouver; Roberts, Seattle; Tobin, Portland; Dunderberg, Portland; Galsman, Portland; Johnson, Portland; Mackay, Vancouver; Harris, Portland; McDonald, Vancouver; McKnight, Seattle; Riley, Seattle; Ricker, Seattle; Loughlin, Portland; Griffin, Vancouver; Barbour, Portland.

MANAGER MULDON IS QUITE FORTUNATE

in having a player of Barbour's aggressiveness to fill in during just such an emergency as this.

"DUCKY" HOLMES IS IN FRANCE

Former Portland "Busher" Wants Local News and Tobacco.

PHYSICAL EFFICIENCY IS FACTOR

Much of the fighting on the western front is in the form of physical combat. There is no soldier in the world who likes better to engage in body combat than the American.

STATE TITLE CLAIMED

SOUTH PARKWAY QUINTELL HELD BEST IN ITS CLASS.

SONOMA BOY WINS DERBY

San Francisco Dog First in Big Event in Field Trials.

VOBJANSKY WILL GO SOUTH

Crack Eugene Swimmer to Be Instructor at Los Banos Del Mar.

LONG TRIPS TO BE ELIMINATED

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 23.—Elimination of long trips by the baseball club of the National and American Leagues as a patriotic measure to relieve the railroads insofar as possible, was agreed upon by the scheduled directors today.

VALUE OF CARRIER PIGEONS IN WAR PROVED

Letter from "Overseas" Tells of Service of Messengers.

JIMMY DUNNE, THE PORTLAND PIGEON FANCIER, HAS RECEIVED A REPORT FROM "OVERSEAS" REGARDING THE VALUE OF CARRIER PIGEONS.

Here it is: "As an instance of the value of pigeons as messengers the following story is told: At the battle of Verdun a battalion commander was in an observation post connected with the trenches by an underground telephone.

ANGELERS CLUB MEETS FRIDAY

Question of Raising Annual Dues to Be Discussed.

FOOTBALL TACTICS USED

Game at Times Resembles Regular Gridiron Scrimmage—Thompson, Thomas, Tucker and Brown Shine for Winners.

FRANKLIN QUINTELL WALLOPS BENSON

Quakers Show Speed and Take Techs Into Camp to Tune of 32 to 9.

WOMAN SWIMMER IN DEMAND

Fanny Durack World's Champion, May Compete at San Diego.

EVIDENCE IS WANTED

MCCREDIE ASKED TO SEND HIS SIDE OF LEE CASE.

LETTER TO PRESIDENT HERRMAN, MAILED

January 15, Held Up on Road, Probably Now There.

JUDGE MCCREDIE RECEIVED A LETTER YESTERDAY FROM PRESIDENT GARRY HERRMAN OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION, ASKING THE ARGUMENT IN THE FIGHT WHICH CLEVELAND IS MAKING FOR CLIFF LEE, OUTFIELDER, WHOM THE MCCREDIES SIGNED LAST SEASON AS A FREE AGENT.

The Portland owner under date of January 15, in his evidence, President Herrman, had the traffic conditions in the East have been such that Judge McCredie's correspondence was held up by the snow storms and blizzards. There is no question but what President Herrman has all the evidence at hand by this time.

NORMAN ROSS AFTER RECORD

Swimmer Hopes to Beat World's Time at Olympic Club Meet.

FRANKLIN KEPT THE BALL ON BENSON'S 5-YARD LINE MOST OF THE TIME.

Franklin (22), Benson (9), Anderson (10), Foyston (10), Baker (10), Thomas (2), Grogg (2), Martin (2), Tucker (2), Scott (2), Borrell (2), Foster (2), McKinney (2), McKinney (2).

IT WILL BE "KNITTING DAY"

Chicago Club Proposes Substitute for "Ladies' Day."

FEW FOLK FOR HARVARD CREV.

Informal varsity rowing is in the dumps at Harvard. So far only three men have reported for the crew which started practice last week.

SQUIREL FOOD.

Walter Johnson's salary has been cut in half. Last year he received \$15,000. Poor Walter, and think of all the "drives" coming up!

JUDGE MCCREDIE IS ENTITLED TO THE HONORS IN HIS FIRST BATTLE WITH PRESIDENT BAUM.

The rotund magnate is a bear at delivering a counter attack.

BILL RODGERS IS "RARRIN' TO GO" IN CALIFORNIA.

The peppery Sacramento manager is eager to start the battle and promises to take the series from Walter McCredie's Salt Lakers the first time they hook up.

MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS NOW

Championship Hockey SEATTLE VS. PORTLAND FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 8:30 P. M., SHARP

ICE PALACE, 21st and 75th.

Reserved Seats \$1.00, 75c, 50c. Tickets on sale at Spalding's, corner Broadway and Alder.

CHAMPIONSHIP HOCKEY SEATTLE VS. PORTLAND

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 8:30 P. M., SHARP

ICE SKATING

Open Every Afternoon and Evening (Including Sundays).