WOODBURN SETS UP BEST MARK OF DAY

Albany Defeated, 123 to 108, in Columbia-Willamette Tournament.

McCOY TEAM NICKS 122

Shoot-Off Between Vancouver and Woodburn Goes to Latter. Team Standings Are Improved.

Columbia-Willamette Trapshooting Tournament Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
McCoy	2	0	1000	Vancouver	0	1	.000
Heppner	2	0	1000	Albany	0	1	.000
Astoria	2	0	1000	Aberdeen	0	1	.000
Woodburn	2	0	1000	Pendleton	0	1	.000

Yesterday's Results.

Astoria (115) defeated Aberdeen (107).
McCoy (122) defeated Vancouver (120).
Heppner (116) defeated Pendleton (112).
Woodburn (123) defeated Albany (108).

Individual High Scores.

Peter Whitner, Woodburn, 25.
Charles Leith, Woodburn, 25.
E. G. Hawman, Woodburn, 25.
Dr. Wood, McCoy, 25.
R. Cobbins, McCoy, 25.
Frank Troch, Vancouver, 25.

Ideal Spring trapshooting weather marked the second series of matches in The Oregonian's Columbia-Willamette trapshooting tournament which was shot yesterday. In all but one city the nimrods experienced the best weather up to date for shooting this year. Last Sunday it was snowing and raining in every one of the towns that have clubs entered in this year's tournament, and as the result some low scores were turned in. Nearly every team shooting yesterday managed to bring up their scores by several points over their scores of last week.

Woodburn won high honors yesterday, scoring 123 points out of a possible 125. McCoy is next with 122.

The results in yesterday's matches are as follows: Astoria defeated Aberdeen, 115 to 107; McCoy defeated Vancouver, 122 to 120; Heppner defeated Pendleton, 116 to 112, and Woodburn defeated Albany, 123 to 108.

Vancouver and Woodburn, who shot against each other last Sunday and tied with 117 birds each, counted yesterday's score for the shoot off. The Woodburn Gun Club made 123 and Vancouver only 120 yesterday, so Woodburn wins the match.

Following is the rest of the season's schedule for the Columbia-Willamette tournament:

Sunday, March 17—Astoria vs. McCoy; Aberdeen vs. Vancouver; Woodburn vs. Heppner; Albany vs. Pendleton.

Sunday, March 24—Astoria vs. Vancouver; Aberdeen vs. McCoy; Woodburn vs. Pendleton; Heppner vs. Albany.

Sunday, March 31—Astoria vs. Woodburn; Aberdeen vs. Albany; McCoy vs. Heppner; Vancouver vs. Pendleton.

Sunday, April 7—Astoria vs. Albany; Aberdeen vs. Woodburn; McCoy vs. Pendleton; Vancouver vs. Heppner.

Sunday, April 14—Astoria vs. Heppner; Aberdeen vs. Pendleton; McCoy vs. Woodburn; Vancouver vs. Albany.

ABERDEEN TEAM BREAKS 107

W. S. Laughlin Leads Day's Gunning With 24 Out of 25.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 10.—(Special.)—In the second match of the year in The Oregonian's Columbia-Willamette trapshooting tournament, which was against Astoria, the Aberdeen Gun Club clay pigeon smashers shattered 107 out of a possible 125 birds. Aberdeen is scheduled to shoot against Vancouver in next Sunday's match.

W. S. Laughlin scored 24 out of 25; D. W. Fleet, 20; H. A. Benham, 22; H. P. Brown, 21, and Neil Cooney, 20. Ten shooters contested. P. J. Hollahan, well-known Portland professional and Dupont representative, was the guest of the Aberdeen Gun Club and was a great help to the beginners in yesterday's shoot.

INDIVIDUAL SCORES ARE GOOD

Heppner Shoots Card of 116 in Match With Pendleotn.

HEPPNER, Or., March 10.—(Special.)—The Heppner Gun Club scored 116 today in their match in the Columbia-Willamette trapshooting tournament with Pendleton. The weather conditions were ideal and there was a big turnout. The Heppner high guns were: E. E. Clark, 24; Henry Cohn, 24; R. R. Patterson, 24; Dr. A. D. McCurdo, 23, and Dr. R. J. Vaughn, 21.

The Heppner Gun Club will shoot against Woodburn next Sunday.

R. R. STAFFORD IS HIGH GUN

Boise Northwesterners Score 119 Shooting Against Kalispell.

BOISE, Idaho, March 10.—Boise trapshooters scored 119 Sunday, shooting against Kalispel in the telegraphic match for the Northwest championship. Individual scores of the Boise team were: R. R. Stafford 25, H. F. Lemp 24, H. R. Seckel 24, J. G. Gray 23 and Gerald Harvey 23.

The scores made in today's shoot by Bellingham and Boise also decide the tie of last Sunday between those two teams.

PENDLETON SHATTERS 112

Excellent Weather Greets Eastern Oregon Nimrods.

PENDLETON, Or., March 10.—(Special.)—The Pendleton Gun Club members registered a score of 112 out of 125 shooting against Heppner here today in the Columbia-Willamette trapshooting tournament. The day was excellent for shooting.

The scores: Coutts, 24; Ingram, 23; Stillman, 23; Humphrey, 23; Despain, 21. The Pendleton Gun Club nimrods are billed to shoot with Albany next Sunday.

VANCOUVER CHALKS UP 120

Frank Troch High Gun in Match With McCoy Club.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 10.—(Special.)—The Vancouver Gun Club marked up a score of 120 in its match against McCoy in the Columbia-Willamette trapshooting tournament today.

The counting scores were: Dr Copeland, 24; Frank Troch, 25; W. S. Short, 24; Charles Wood, 24, and J. A. Troch, 23.

TWO MEN POT 25 BIRDS EACH

McCoy Makes Club Score of 122 Against Vancouver.

AMITY, Or., March 10.—(Special.)—The McCoy Gun Club broke 122 blue rocks out of 125, shooting against Vancouver in the Columbia-Willamette trapshooting tournament. D. Wood and R. Cobbins each shattered 25 in a row, while Henry Domes scored 24, Fred Newman 24 and James Butrick 24.

McCoy is scheduled to shoot against Astoria next Sunday.

ASTORIA SCORES 115 TOTAL

Ideal Shooting Weather Helps in Locating Bluerocks.

ASTORIA, Or., March 10.—(Special.)—Five members of the Astoria Gun Club today broke 115 blue rocks out of a possible 125, shooting against Aberdeen in the Columbia-Willamette Trapshooting tournament. Twelve nimrods turned out to compete for the Astoria Gun Club and were greeted with the first good shooting weather of the 1918 season. The day was ideal but for a slight wind in the morning.

The scores of the Astoria Gun Club turned in were: Mark Siddall, 24; O. J. Wirkkala, 24; Walter Harrison, 23; Charles V. Brown, 22, and Ben Hay, 22. The local club will shoot against McCoy next Sunday.

SCORE IS NEARLY PERFECT

Woodburn Trapshooters Break 123 Out of Possible 125.

WOODBURN, Or., March 10.—(Special.)—In its match today against Aberdeen in the Columbia-Willamette telegraphic trapshooting tournament the Woodburn Gun Club, last year's Columbia-Willamette Association champion, broke 123 out of 125 clay birds shot at. Peter Whitney, Charles Leith and E. G. Hawman, of the Woodburn Gun Club, broke 25 birds in a row each. E. H. Riches and Charles Seller shattered 24 apiece. E. G. Hawman, president of the Woodburn Gun Club, shot in Portland at the Portland Gun Club grounds.

Woodburn will clash with Heppner next Sunday.

WEATHER KEEPS TOTAL DOWN

Albany Breaks but 108 Birds in Oregonian Shoot.

ALBANY, Or., March 10.—(Special.)—Shooting against Woodburn in The Oregonian's Columbia-Willamette trapshooting tournament yesterday, the Albany Gun Club scored 108. The shooters were in bad form and a cold rain kept up a steady downpour throughout the day. Another of the club's best men was lost for probably all of the tournament, P. A. Young being operated on for appendicitis.

The individual scores were: L. Templeton, 21; P. B. Dodell, 23; J. W. Drinkard, 22; Phil Baltimore, 21; C. G. Dodell, 21.

Albany will shoot against Pendleton next Sunday.

FISH TO BE PLANTED

STREAMS IN KLAMATH COUNTY TO RECEIVE STOCK OF FRY.

California Game Commission to Give Hatchery Product to Oregon Commission for Distribution.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., March 10.—(Special.)—Sportsmen of Klamath County and the whole Pacific Coast will be glad to learn that a plan has been worked out whereby thousands of fish of different varieties will be planted in the streams adjacent to the Klamath lakes, which will make this section more of an angler's paradise than at present.

For the past three or four years the Federal bureau of fisheries has maintained fish racks at Klamathon, in California, on the Lower Klamath River, and local sportsmen say that this has interfered with the run of fish up the Klamath River.

With the completion by the California-Oregon Power Company, of this city, of the big dam at Copco, Cal., recently, any run of fish up the river beyond that point has been made out of the question.

The idea of a fish ladder over Copco dam was first taken up for consideration, but, as the height of some 130 feet would have to be overcome, it was decided that the installation of a ladder would not give satisfactory results.

There was soon arrived at a plan whereby the Federal bureau of Fisheries has relinquished all of its control of the Klamath River in California to the California State Fish Commission, and has turned over all its buildings, racks and spawn-taking apparatus.

The California-Oregon Power Company has agreed to the erection of a hatchery on its property on Fall Creek and the California Fish Commission has agreed to take spawn and hatch various varieties of fish native to the local streams and to deliver to the Oregon State Fish and Game Commission and the game wardens of Klamath County all the little fish necessary to stock the numerous lakes, rivers and creeks in the vicinity.

SENATORS WIN FROM MARINES

Score by Innings Reported to Mare Island by Carrier Pigeons.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 10.—(Special.)—In the first practice baseball game of the season here today the Sacramento Senators defeated a team of Marines under the captaincy of Rod Murphy, ex-Oakland player, by a score of 4 to 1. Both teams used several pitchers and the contest was devoid of thrills.

The Marines scored in the fourth, when Shortstop Harrigan hit to left field for three bases with Little, right fielder, on second. There were two down at the time and Brown, the next batter, struck out. Easterly and Snook were the individual stars of the game. Both are members of the 1918 Senators.

Sacramento's runs came in the fourth. Governor William D. Stephens pitched the first ball and officiated as the releaser of homing pigeons. The birds were released after each inning to carry the score by innings to the Marines at Mare Island who were unable to attend the game.

OLD-TIME PITCHER IS DEAD

Jim McCormick Was Teammate of Evangelist Billy Sunday.

PATERSON, N. J., March 10.—Jim McCormick, 60, veteran baseball player and famous pitcher of the Chicago White Stockings in the early '80s, died at a hospital here today from liver disorder.

In his baseball days he was a teammate of the Rev. Billy Sunday, Mike Kelly, "the $10,000 beauty," and "Old Silver" Flint, under the management of Captain Adrian Anson.

ST. PAUL BOWLERS ARE BEST

Aquillas Make Score of 3022 and Win Highest Honors of Game.

CINCINNATI, March 10.—The Aquillas, of St. Paul, were returned the winners of the five-men team event of the American Bowling Congress tournament here tonight, when the last shift of bowlers failed to overcome their total of 3022, made last week.

The Aquillas not only won the highest honors in bowling circles, but drew down first prize, amounting to $690.

PUGS PUT ON LAST TOUCHES FOR FRAY

Al Sommers and Marty Farrell Keen for Set-to on Wednesday.

FINE CARD IS PRESENTED

Weldon Wing Will Attempt to Regain Feather Title From Joe Gorman—Bronson to Take on Mr. Chet Neff.

Al Sommers and Marty Farrell put in a hard day's work in the gymnasium yesterday getting themselves in perfect physical condition for their six-round battle at the Eleventh-street Playhouse Wednesday night. They will train today and taper down their workouts on Tuesday, to some light limbering-up exercises. Both boys realize that they are in for a gruelling six-round setto and the man who proves to be the most rugged may win the bout.

Although Farrell is a remarkably clever boxer and greatly impressed the Portland fistic fans in his recent bout with Pat Bradley, the colored middleweight, as one of the best boys at any weight that they have ever had the opportunity to glimpse in action, Sommers is no slouch when it comes to ring battling and if there is a more aggressive middleweight on the Pacific Coast than Sommers he will be hard to find, and has yet to make his debut.

Portland Due for Surprise.

The Portland fight followers do not really know what Sommers can do under fire. All but one or two of his big bouts have been in other Northwestern cities as the heavy boys have always been big favorites and great drawing cards in Seattle and Tacoma, the two other big boxing centers of this section of the country. The fans who have had the chance to see Sommers battle Chet McIntyre and Mich King, two of the best men in that country at their weight, saw him do some real milling and know what he can do against a boxer that has real class.

Farrell is cleverer and faster than Al without a doubt, but the great question, can he hit? is one that will be unanswered until the fray starts Wednesday night. Sommers has got a kick in either mitt that would flatten an ox if he lands, which he has proved more than once, and nothing slows a good boxer up more than a good hefty clout on the chin or solar plexus.

Muff Shaping Up Well.

Muff Bronson, lightweight champion of thePecific Coast, went eight fast rounds with Al Sommers at th Columbia Athletic Club yesterday afternoon and showed a world of speed and pep in his eight sessions with his big stable mate, who mauls him around for fair. Muff looks good and Chet Neff, the Seattle glove artist who paints the features of lightweights in black and blue hues, has a hard job cut out for him if he is going to hang the Indian sign on Bronson. Dan Salt writes that his protege is fit as a fiddle and unless he misses his guess a Chester Neff, of Seattle, Wash., will go north with a new title after his name. Dan fails to mention what the phrase will be. Salt will arrive here with Neff tomorrow.

Another title will be at stake in the special event. Weldon Wing, former featherweight champion of the Northwest, will try and regain his title from Joe Gorman, the present champion and has six rounds to do it in. Both Wing and Gorman have been training faithfully and will be on edge by Wednesday night.

Gordon Seeks New Worlds.

Abe Gordon, who has been the flyweight champion of the Pacific Coast for as far back as Gus Fisher can remember, will step out of his class, meaning weight, not ability, and take on Billy Ryan, a 115-pounder, who has been coming along with leaps and bounds of late in local fistic circles. Ryan is a mixer from start to finish and has taken the measure of every boy that has been stacked up against him in the local ring.

Ryan has made good in the curtain-raisers and will make his first bid for fame against Abe Gordon, and has been high-toning all the rest of the openers for the last several weeks. If Ryan does not forget himself and lead with his chin instead of his left he may make things interesting for Gordon. Abe is training daily with his brother Sammy and Joe Gorman under the watchful eye of his older brother, "Aviator" Hyman Gordon, who acts in the capacity of manager as well as brother for Abe. Brother Hyman says that Abe will beat Ryan or he will make a watch out of a box of matches.

Soldier Biffer on Card.

Soldier Rosselli, a 130-pounder from the Signal Corps at Vancouver, will take on Joe Hoff and Harry Davis will meet Jimmy Hogan in the other two bouts on the card.

Rosselli hails from New York and fought at the recent soldiers' smoker here at the Eleventh-street Playhouse. He was the hit of the bill and displayed some real knowledge of the manly art of self-defense. Joe Hoff, the Portland lad who will tangle with Rosselli, is well known here and always put up a good bout.

NEW EVENTS ARE SCHEDULED

Bayonet Fighting and Grenade Tossing to Feature Meets.

CAMP LEWIS, Tacoma, Wash., March 10.—Plans for athletic work among the soldiers here include a series of competitions in bayonet combat work, hand grenade throwing for distance and accuracy and cross-country running over rough road in which there are obstacles to cross as difficult to pass over as No Man's land in France. The men will be sent on the double quick across country at times, in pursuance with the request from General Pershing regarding athletic development.

In track athletics, Captain T. G. Cook, camp athletic director, has obtained the assistance of Lieutenant Bob Simpson, of the University of Missouri, who won fame in smashing hurdling records whenever he entered an intercollegiate meet. He is assisted by Sergeant Walter Hummel, another well-known athlete of the Northwest.

Last October a liberty bond field meet was held in which there were 688 selected entries and each man was limited to one event. There were 65 officials and the meet was staged in 2 hours and 30 minutes, 10,000 soldiers viewing the spectacle.

U. S. RECORDS ARE IN DANGER

Australian Woman Swimmer Expected to Win New Titles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 10.—In view of the American trip which Miss Fannie Durack, the Australian swimming champion, will make this Summer to compete with American girl swimmers, unusual interest is taken in comparing any relative times made by the champion as against those made by women of the United States.

In a mile race in which Miss Durack recently competed her time was 27 minutes and 28 seconds. While this is 1 minute and 20 seconds slower than the world's record which she holds, it is interesting to note that the best American record by a woman for the distance is 31 minutes, 33 4-5 seconds, which would indicate that Miss Durack will have little difficulty in going back to Australia with new American figures to her credit.

The comparisons of the times made by Miss Durack during this mile swim at the quarter and half-mile points, as compared to the American figures, follows:

440 yards—Miss Durack, 6 minutes 35 1-5 seconds; American record, 6 minutes, 44 4-5 seconds.

880 yards—Miss Durack, 13 minutes, 44 seconds; American record, 15 minutes 15 seconds.

These differences are startling when it is considered that the times by Miss Durack were made during a mile race in which she was obliged to conserve her strength for the full distance. The American records were made in contests at these definite distances.

STEERS AND THOMA ARE FIRST

Chicago Team Wins A. B. C. Two-Men Championship With 1335.

CINCINNATI, March 10.—H. Steers and Fred Thoma, of Chicago, with 1335, won the two-men championship of the American Bowling Congress today. This became certain today after the last men bowling in this event had finished.

While the bowling was expectionally good today, yet none of them could overcome the leaders.

In the last shift of the individuals, F. Reichman, of Milwaukee, went into second place 17 pins behind the winner, C. Styles, Detroit, whose score was 702. This officially ended the American Bowling Congress.

LIN-COL SEPTET WINS

INTERSCHOLASTIC HOCKEY TITLE DECIDED AT ICE PALACE.

Jefferson-Washington Team Is Defeated in Good Game by Close Score of 2 to 1.

The Lincoln-Columbia all-star puckchasers took a 2-to-1 victory from the Jefferson-Washington septet at the Ice Palace Saturday night and won the interscholastic ice hockey championship. Although not as well attended as the game two weeks ago, which ended in a 2-to-1 tie, last night's contest was by far the better of the two.

Ted Steffen, the Dunderdale of the high school teams, "Crusty" Bingham, Ed Collins and McCusker starred for the winners, while Russell Kaufman, Ed Kennedy, Louis Coulter and Leonard Greer starred for the losers.

Steffen and Ted Barton scored a goal apiece for Lin-Col while Kennedy hooked the puck into the net for the only one score made by his team.

Deo Mallet, former Interscholastic and Multnomah Club star, refereed the game. The lineup:

Lincoln-Columbia.		Washingt'n-Jeff'son.
Bradley (Lin.)	Goal	(Wash.) Cummins
Walker (Col.)	R D	(Jeff.) Kaufman
McCusker (Col.)	L D	(Wash.) Hitchcock
Collins (Col.)	R	(Wash.) Kennedy
Steffens (Lin.)	L W	(Wash.) Ridwell
Bingham (Lin.)	C	(Jeff.) Coulter
Barton (Lin.)	R W	(Jeff.) Greer
Schmitz (Lin.)	Spare	(Jeff.) Gray
Wilmot (Lin.)	Spare	(Wash.) Grant
Smith (Lin.)	Spare	

THOROUGHBREDS TO RUN

KENTUCKY OAKS ENTRIES INCLUDE 3-YEAR-OLDS.

Heavy Money Winners Will Meet at Churchill Downs in Spring in Historic Races.

LOUISVILLE, March 10.—Entries into the historic Kentucky Oaks, to be run at the Churchill Downs Spring meeting, contains the names of all the high-grade 3-year-old fillies west, in addition to many that showed clever performances last season on the Eastern tracks.

Among those from the West are Atalanta, Viva America, Olivewood, Gipsey Queen and Ocean Sweep, all heavy money winners on Kentucky tracks last season, while prominent among the Easterners are Ross O'Grady, Enfilade and Royal Ensign. The list includes 43 thoroughbreds and, according to horsemen, constitutes a remarkable aggregation.

A. K. MaComber, who captured last year's renewal with Sunbonnet, has entered his imported Orleans. George J. Long, who won two years ago, with Kathleen, has nominated Ocean Sweep and Amelita. Harry Payne Whitney is among those who have entered two fillies.

The Kentucky Oaks first was run in 1875, the same year the Kentucky Derby was instituted, and has been run continuously each year since.

GOLDENDALE BEATS LINCOLN

Portland Scholastic Champion Five Outclassed by 54 to 14 Score.

GOLDENDALE, Wash., March 10.—(Special.)—The Goldendale High School basketball quintet, 1917 and 1918 champions of the Mid-Columbia Interscholastic League of basketball teams, defeated the Lincoln High School quintet, interscholastic champions of Portland, 54 to 14, in the game played here Friday night.

The Portland boys set a fast pace for the first ten minutes of play, but were unable to break up the defensive play of the Goldendale team, and the first half ended with the score 25 to 5 against Lincoln. In the second half Goldendale made six field baskets in the first five minutes of play and Coach W. J. Dakin, of the Goldendale team, took out his regular players and gave all his substitutes a chance to play.

KELLOGG KEEPS LEADERSHIP

Colfax-Palouse Beaten in Inland Empire Tournament.

SPOKANE, March 10.—By defeating the Colfax-Palouse team today, 115 to 113, the Kellogg, Idaho, team retained its leadership of the Inland Empire telegraphic trap-shooting tournament with a perfect record of wins and losses.

Yakima made 123 against Heppner's 116, a record for the tourney to date. Spokane scored 115 against 107 for Oroville; Wallace 120 against 112 for Deer Lodge, and Sunnyside 118 against Wenatchee's 111.

Navy Matmen Beat Cornell.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 10.—Navy's wrestlers closed a most successful season yesterday by blanking the athletes from Cornell, winning all six bouts and piling up a point score of 30 to 0. Having met some of the best of the varsity aggregations of the East, the Sailors' colors were trailed just once, when the matmen from Pensylvania State took their number by one point.

PORTLANDERS WING 121 IN N. W. SHOOT

Perfect Scores of 25 in Row Hung Up by Three Men During Match.

IDEAL WEATHER BIG HELP

Frank Templeton and E. G. Hawman Do Greatest Execution of Day, Perforating 49 Out of 50 Bluerocks.

The Portland Gun Club made a score of 121 out of a possible 125, shooting against Spokane in the Northwestern telegraphic trapshooting tournament at Everding Park yesterday. Better weather could not be wished for trapshooting, and one of the largest crowds of fans of the year was out to take in the event.

Three Portland Gun Club members made perfect scores, breaking 25 blue rocks in succession in their turn. Those to turn the trick yesterday were Frank Templeton, E. G. Hawman and H. H. Veatch, C. B. Handy, Gladys Reid and W. H. Enderly brought down 23 clay pigeons out of 25.

Frank Templeton and E. G. Hawman were high men at the Portland Gun Club yesterday, each shooter shattering 49 out of 50. Twenty-five nimrods took a fling at the birds and many good scores were turned in. J. S. French, of San Francisco, chief of the Peters Ammunition Company on the Pacific Coast, was a Portland Gun Club visitors yesterday and bagged 44 out of a possible 50 blue rocks.

In the double shoot T. J. Mahoney and H. B. Newland each scored 21 out of 21.

The third of the series of seven big merchandise shoots will be held at the Portland Gun Club next Sunday.

Following are the individual scores made yesterday:

	25	10	15
J. C. Morris	21	9	9
A. K. Downs	21	10	15
F. Templeton	25	10	14
Ada Schilling	21	9	15
H. B. Newland	21	9	15
	25	25	
*J. Reid	24	21	
Gladys Reid	23	23	
C. B. Preston	22	20	
*J. S. French	21	23	
W. H. Enderly	23	23	
H. H. Veatch	25	23	
†W. C. Brisbois	21	22	
E. G. Howman	25	24	
F. O. Joy	21	20	
C. B. Handy	23	19	
C. Wright	16	19	
R. C. Parker	19	20	
G. Love	13	18	
J. Carraher	12	14	
T. J. Mahoney	19	17	
Dr. E. R. Seely	22	25	
†A. L. Zachelsor	19	22	
Mrs. E. E. Young	17	17	
E. H. Keller	22	25	
E. G. Chandler	20	22	

* Professionals.
† 20-gauge.

SPOKANE ENDS DAY WITH 122

H. W. McElroy Makes Straight Run of 25 on Two Occasions.

SPOKANE, March 10.—The Spokane team in the Northwest telegraphic trap-shooting tournament today scored 122 in its regular march against Portland and in the shoot-off of a tie with Seattle, H. W. McElroy, who made a 25, duplicated the score with 25 additional targets.

E. F. Blosser also scored 25 and T. B. Ware, E. J. Chingren and G. C. Jewett 24 each.

Score of 120 at Bellingham.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., March 10.—The Bellingham trapshooters today piled up a score of 120 in the Boise-Bellingham tie shoot-off and the regular shoot against Lewiston and Pomeroy. Individual scores were: J. W. Garlick 25, John Converse 24, Ed Brackney 24, George Miller 24 and L. O. Jones 24.

Seattle's Best Is 114.

SEATTLE, March 10.—A score of 114 was made by Seattle trapshooters today against Tacoma and in the shoot-off with Spokane. Individual scores were: R. W. Kinzer, 23, Hi Follrich 23, E. K. Van Vleck 23, George Scripture 23, and E. W. Kerr 22.

Lewiston-Pomeroy Shoots 119.

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 10.—In the Northwest shooting tournament today Lewiston-Pomeroy scored 119 against Bellingham. Individual scores follow: Charles Hahn 25, Richard Johnson 24, Louis Drumm 24, Ed Beckman 23, Frank Robinson 23, Fred Butler 23.

CHAMPIONSHIP CLAIM MADE

Hoquiam Basketball Team Cites Season's Record in Support.

HOQUIAM, Wash., March 10.—(Special.)—The high school basketball team of this city has laid claim to the Southwest Washington championship for this season, and, based on record of games won, it seems to have a right to the honor.

The Lebam team is the only other claimant, and on the "dope" the Hoquiam team has the best of it, members of the team and Coach Sidney Baer declare.

Hoquiam has lost only two games this year, one with Elma, a record which was cleared up at a later meeting and to Lebam, on the Lebam floor during the local team's Willapa Harbor trip last week.

FIGHTING MEN MENTIONED

Unmack's Annual Contains Records of Soldier-Sailor Stars.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 10.—Soldiers and sailors are included among the photographs which illustrate "Unmack's Annual," the Pacific Coast book of records which has just been issued for 1918. These include a picture of the famous Mare Island Marine football team, which won the championship of the Coast last New Year's day at Pasadena, and the Northwest Collegiate champions.

Additional records given in this year's book include the complete figures of the various Alaska dog-team races. The editor is William Unmack, of San Francisco, an official of the Pacific Athletic Association.

VANCOUVER HEAVY FAVORITE

Injury to Captain Rowe Lessens Mets' Chances to Win.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 10.—(Special.)—Interest of local hockey fans centers on Vancouver tonight, where the Seattle Mets and the Millionaires will struggle in the first game of home-and-home series for the championship of the Pacific Coast.

With the boys in high spirits and, with the exception of Captain Rowe, in excellent shape, the Seattle squad packed up its clubs and took the morning boat for the Canadian city. The entire team expressed confidence over the coming series, but all were serious when the question of Rowe's condition was mentioned.

While Manager Patrick would not say so, the rest of the men doubt very much whether the star defense man will get into the contest. A peculiar feature of the series is the wagering. Those who bet on the outcome of the ice sport are making Vancouver a favorite in both the first game and the series. The Millionaires are 2-to-1 favorites to win tonight, and 10 to 7 to win the series. Seattle supporters are giving small odds on the Mets to win Wednesday's tilt here.

CAMPAIGN IS SUCCESS

PORTLAND GOLF CLUB ADDS 77 NEW MEMBERS TO DATE.

Course Being Repaired and Will Be Ready for Play May 30—Dances Will Be Feature.

The membership campaign of the Portland Golf Club to add 250 new members to the club roster has met with great success, 77 applications having been placed in the hands of Chairman James A. Beckett, of the membership committee, yesterday after a campaign of 11 days.

Chairman Beckett, as well as John G. Clemson, president of the Portland Golf Club, are working hard to bolster the club roster with good, live golf enthusiasts, and a glance at the new applications would indicate that the new members will be "live wires" in every sense of the word.

The committee assisting Chairman Beckett follows: W. H. Ambler, W. F. Backus, W. I. Cole, C. W. Cornell, R. B. Dorney, Dr. Earl Else, P. A. Gilmore, Robert M. Irvine, J. D. Mackie, Robert S. McCarl, Charles E. McCulloch, C. M. Dyrlund, W. G. McPherson, Dr. Chester C. Moore, James A. Ormandy, Lawrence A. Spangler, Robert W. Stubbs, Grant Thomas, Rudolph Wilhelm and William D. Scott.

The new nine holes will be opened for the use of the members next Decoration day, May 30. This addition will give the Portland Institution one of the best 18 holes on the Coast.

Chairman Beckett, of the house committee, is making arrangements whereby a "jazz" orchestra will be in attendance every Saturday night at the clubhouse from May 1 to October 1. The dinner dances which proved such a success will be one of the big features of the club doings this Summer.

P. C. I. L. DIRECTORS TO MEET

Matters of Importance to Be Discussed at Conference.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 10.—(Special.)—The many problems now confronting the Pacific Coast International Baseball League will be solved in a couple of weeks. Robert Blewett, president of the organization, announced Saturday that he had called a meeting of the directors for this city on March 27.

While many matters will have to be mooted out on this date, the big question to be settled is that of the circuit. It is known that several cities, one of which is Vancouver, Wash., are ready to apply for franchises at the coming session, while other matters of importance concerning the circuit, which have not been announced because of the deals not being completed, will be acted on by the directors. Until that date Blewett and the rest of the directors will be working to have everything ready for settlement at the coming session.

EWING WINS THREE TITLES

Pullman Wrestling Champion Vanquishes All Comers.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 10.—(Special.)—Clarence Ewing, veteran of W. S. C. wrestling team, won the championship of three classes yesterday in the annual all-college wrestling tournament.

He threw all-comers in the 158 and 175-pound classes and was awarded the championship in the 165-pound class by default, none of the college grapplers caring to protest the claims of the young Samson from Spokane.

Charles G. King, of Entiat, proved himself a versatile mat man when he emerged victorious from both the 135 and 145-pound events.

Right Off the Bat.

Clark Griffith has announced that he will not take any player to the training camp at Augusta until he has received the player's signed contract.

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The latest player who has announced his intention of quitting baseball is Catcher Chet Thomas, traded to the Mackmen by the Red Sox. Thomas is working for a "movie" concern in California.

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The Nashville club of the Southern League will take the field this season with only two players who were with the club in 1917. The players are Infielders Ellam and Kaufman, the former being manager of the club.

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Lee Fohl is the first major league manager to arrive at a Southern training camp with players. The Cleveland manager is now at New Orleans with several battery men.

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When J. C. Smith is unable to play third base for the Boston Braves next season the position may be filled by J. Smith, recently of the Giants and transferred in the Herzog deal.

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Meusel, the Coast League outfielder who was purchased by the Phillies, returned his contract unsigned, and it was promptly sent back to him without any change being made in the figures. He says he is through with baseball.

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If Terry Turner does not sign his contract, Ty Cobb will be the veteran player of the American League. Ty joined the Tigers in 1905.

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The Red Sox may start the season with Hoblitzel on first, Evers guarding second and Stuffy McInnis at third.

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The Cardinals have received the signed contracts of Pitchers May and Kolynick. May was picked up last season and showed promise. Kolynick is a southpaw and will be given an opportunity to show his skill at the training camp.

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Clyde Defate, the infielder who made such a great reputation for himself in the Western League in 1916 that he became a bone of contention between the Tigers and Cardinals, both claiming his service last year, is back again in the Western League.

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Jimmy Neary, the Braves' trainer, is at Miami getting the diamond in shape for the advance guard of Braves.

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Marquard, Mamaux and Cheney will bear the brunt of the Brooklyn's box work next season.

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With Larry Gardner gone from the Red Sox the team will lack left-handed offensive strength. Gardner was one of the hardest hitting left-handers on the team.

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Roger Bresnahan, whose Toledo players are inclined to be delinquent in signing, has warned them that if they don't come to time in short order he will sell them a la Connie Mack.

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RENEWAL OF GOLF TURNEY FOAVORED

Intercollegiate Association May Restore Annual Links Feature in East.

DUAL MEETS MAY BE HELD

Columbia University Attempting to Interest Institutions in Renewal of Sport and Replies Indicate Sentiment for Event.

With the renewal of sporting activities in most of the colleges of the country, it seems possible that the Intercollegiate Golf Association will look with favor on the restoration of its annual feature in the golf world. A few days ago golf enthusiasts of Columbia University, New York, sent out a questionnaire to several Eastern colleges in an attempt to find out the sentiment of the different institutions regarding golf. Several replies have been received and in almost every case the reply favored an intercollegiate golf tournament.

The last college battle on the links was held at the Oakmont Country Club, near Pittsburg, in 1916, and it brought out a score or more of golfers who played far beyond their usual ability. The success of that tournament never has worn off and last year there was anticipated another great event but the war caused a hasty cancellation of the event and there were none who cared to take the iniative in reviving the fixture. Now that Columbia has begun negotiations, it seems certain that the colleges will get together and if a big tournament is not arranged dual meets may be the outcome.

More Will Compete.

It is certain that when the intercollegiate golf championship is renewed, if not this year, it will be more representative than ever. For a number of years the golf championship was attended by only a few collegians and most of them came from Harvard, Yale and Princeton. Occasionally Pennsylvania, Columbia and Cornell would send a representative to take part in the individual championship, but rarely would there be enough for the team competitions excepting from the big three.

Now it seems that golf is about to take its place among the major sports of the various institutions. Columbia at any rate has paved the way for more serious consideration of a sport which is rapidly taking a hold on the majority of the American sport lovers. The Inter-collegiate Golf Association has never attempted a close corporation policy, and undoubtedly stands ready to welcome members from any and all institutions in the country.

Georgia Tech Applies.

Georgia Tech is said to have written to officials of the association asking for membership and guaranteeing a team in all the annual fixtures. It may be a wise move on the part of the association to peek into the request of Georgia Tech, as the Atlanta institution, which astonished the football world last Fall, stands ready to bring about equal astonishment in the golf world. Perry Adair and Tom Prescott, two contemporaries and boyhood pals of Bobby Jones, and almost as capable with pitch and putt, are now attending Georgia Tech. Perry Adair and Tom Prescott are mighty clever golfers, with a high rating by the United States Golf Association. They might run away with the Intercollegiate Golf Association laurels.

Columbia, too, may have an ulterior purpose in arousing interest in collegiate golf circles. It is a known fact that A. L. Walker, Jr., Eastern interscholastic golf champion, is now a student at Columbia. Young Walker gave several exemplary exhibitions of the royal and ancient game last season, especially around the Staten Island courses, Fox Hills, and Richmond Country. He displaced the perennial champion of the island in the annual championship and holds that title as well as the record for his home course. Walker will be a strong advocate for Columbia's entry into anything smacking of a golf championship for colleges.

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Relic hunters are rapidly earning the eternal wrath of golf professionals in the South, according to a report sent North recently. It was said that Jim Barnes, who has just accepted a $15,000 salary to look after the cares of the new Broadmoor Country Club at Colorado Springs, was gunning for the person who got away with a mashie iron. Barnes placed so much faith in that one club that he now despairs of ever winning another professional championship unless it is recovered.

Alex Smith is advertising for a lost putter that he has missed for a couple of weeks. Smith, as observers think, should not pay a great deal of attention to a putter, since he seems to pay little attention to his putts, or so it would seem to watch him stroll carelessly toward the ball and give it a quick shove into the cup, apparently not sighting the shot at all.

SWIMMING RECORDS SMASHED

Olga Dorfner Comes Within One Second of Tying Fanny Durack.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Olga Dorfner, of Philadelphia, won the 100-yard Middle-Atlantic Association women's swimming championship here last night in one minute, seven seconds.

This is a new American record for women and came within one second of tying the world's mark, held by Fanny Durack, of Australia. The former American record of one minute, seven and three-fifths seconds was made by Miss Dorfner in 1917.

Montana Team Breaks 111.

KALISPEL, Mont., March 10.—Shooting against the Boise team in the Northwestern trapshooting tournament today, Kalispel scored 111. Individual scores: F. D. Stoop 24, F. Steckman 21, H. Gayhart 23, R. Houston 22 and George Robbin 21.