TAIL ENDERS PROVE CLASS OF LEAGUE

Keen Competition to Be Rule in Tomorrow's Shipyards' League Contests.

DOUBLE BILL IN PORTLAND

Cornfoot and McCormick, Tied for First, Meet Strong Teams—Cellar Champs Will Make Supreme Effort.

Columbia-Willamette Shipbuilders' League Standings.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
McCormick.	4	0	1.000	Supple-Bal.	2	2	.500
Cornfoot...	4	0	1.000	Peninsula...	1	3	.250
Standifer...	3	1	.750	Grant S.-P..	0	4	.000
Foundation.	2	2	.500	Col. River...	0	4	.000

Where the Shipbuilders Play Sunday.

At Portland, Vaughn street—Doubleheader, Cornfoot vs. Supple-Ballin; winner vs. Portland Buckaroos.

At St. Johns—Grant Smith-Porter vs. Columbia River.

At Vancouver—Standifer vs. Peninsula.

At St. Helens—McCormick vs. Foundation.

With the tail-end teams of the first half of the Columbia-Willamette shipbuilders showing championship caliber in the second half of the season much interest had been added to the weekly series of games, which are played every Sunday and holiday.

The contests scheduled for tomorrow should be productive of some keen competition and a few more surprises may be put down in the "books." A double-header will again be the feature at the Vaughn-street grounds. Perle Casey's Cornfoot balltossers will engage the renovated Supple & Ballin team in the first game and Judge McCredie's Buckaroos will tackle the winner per schedule. Cornfoot is tied for first place with McCormick.

St. Helens Fans on Edge.

McCormick will play Foundation in St. Helens. The fans in the city down the Columbia seem to be getting all the best of it when it comes to good games and surely have no kick coming. The St. Helens fans are behind the McCormick team to the man and are out to win the pennant. McCormick is billed to clash with Cornfoot on Sunday, July 21, at St. Helens. If both teams win all of their games between now and July 21 it will be some contest. Eddie Mensor's team has played in Portland but once this whole baseball season. On August 25 McCormick is scheduled to play Foundation at the Vaughn-street grounds and will meet Grant Smith-Porter in St. Johns on August 4. Up until August 4 they will play all except one of their games at St. Helens, the other game being at Vancouver with Standifer.

Standifer will play Peninsula in Vancouver tomorrow afternoon. The Standifer outfit trimmed Foundation 6 to 5 at Vancouver on the Fourth of July and have lost but one game this season, that to McCormick.

Cellar Champs Fidgeting.

Grant Smith-Porter will meet Columbia River in St. Johns and if the former play up to their standard of the last few games Columbia River might climb out of the cellar. Up to date neither Grant Smith-Porter nor Columbia River has won a game in the second half of the season. One of them will crawl out of the cellar hole at least tomorrow. The blowing up of the Grant Smith-Porter team has been the talk of the shipbuilders' league. Eddie Yates' outfit fought their way to a tie for the championship of the league the first half of the season and lost the pennant in a post-season game with Foundation. Bill Fisher has been mentioned as a possible manager for the team and if Bill goes it is likely that several of the Bucks will follow him.

The double-header at Vaughn street will start at 1:30. The other three games will be called at 2:30 o'clock.

COEUR D'ALENE PLAYER WINS

Fenimore Cady Takes Singles at Inland Empire Tourney.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 5.—Fenimore Cady, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, yesterday won the men's singles in the Inland Empire tennis championship tournament here by defeating Kenneth Simmons, of Butte, Mont., 6-4, 6-2, 3-6, 1-6, 7-5. In the semi-finals Simmons defeated William White, of Lewiston, Idaho, 8-6, 6-2, 6-3. In the men's doubles Simmons and Howard Robinson, of Twin Falls, defeated James Babb, of Lewiston, and W. H. Farnham, Jr., of Spokane, in the finals, 6-2, 7-5, 6-3.

Miss Bernice Stuht, of Spokane, won the women's singles from Miss Agnes Schelling, also of Spokane, 6-0, 6-2. Mrs. J. Don Alexander and Miss Bonnie Brooke, both of Spokane, won the women's doubles from Miss Hortense Harrild and Miss Margaret Plastino, both of Spokane, 6-2, 6-2. In the mixed doubles Miss Lorraine Cowgill and Gerald Hover defeated Miss Stuht and Dr. T. D. Burger, 6-1, 6-2. All are from Spokane.

SPRUCE CORPS HOLDS JINKS

Ball Games and Boxing Signalize Fourth Celebration.

SEASIDE, Or., July 5.—(Special.)—The Spruce Production Division gave an interesting programme yesterday beginning with a ball game between the Signal Corps officers' team and that composed of civilians of Seaside, the latter winning, 9-5.

One of the features in the afternoon was the ball game between Fort Stevens Coast Defense nine and Signal Corps men, Fort Stevens winning, 3-2, in an exciting, hard-fought game.

After the game a big boxing carnival was held, Marthie defeating Lewis in four rounds in one of the main events. Thompson defeated Liken in the second round of the four-round scheduled bout, the referee calling the bout off after Liken had received an awful lacing.

MORE BUCKAROOS TO GO SOON

Smith Outfielder and Haney, Infielder, Leave Monday to Enlist.

Two more members of the Portland baseball team will join the colors. Lyman Smith, outfielder, and Fred Haney, infielder, are the two Buckaroos who will leave Portland next Monday for Los Angeles, where they will enlist in the Navy and probably will be stationed at the submarine base at San Pedro.

The announcement of Smith and Haney that they would join Uncle Sam's forces makes the total number of Portland players in the service six. Elmer Cox was drafted and the same happened to Bill Shoup. Dick Mitchell will join the Marines and Arthur Ritter will enlist in the Navy.

MANAGER AND OWNER OF ST. HELENS TEAM IN COLUMBIA WILLAMETTE SHIPBUILDERS' LEAGUE.

LEFT—EDDIE MENSOR, MANAGER. RIGHT—"HAM" McCORMICK, OWNER.

BUCKS WIN ANOTHER

Keith's Peninsulas Unable to Work Way Round Bases.

FINAL TABULATION 7 TO 0

Maxmeyer, Star Slabsider, Tries to Whip Mackmen Into Submission, but Hits and Boots Spoil His Offensive.

The Buckaroos won another game yesterday. Vancouver, Wash., was represented by Buck Keith's Peninsula Shipbuilding nine, which essayed the task of taming the Buckaroos, but was unequal to the occasion, and with Dick Mitchell pitching a fair brand of baseball, Portland walked off with a 7-to-0 score.

Keith delegated his star portsider, "Rube" Maxmeyer, to southpaw the Buckaroos into submission, but a total of eight clouts by the Bucks, together with Peninsula's six "boots," helped pile up seven runs for the locals.

Daniels Demon at Bat.

Daniels was the whole show at yesterday's game. The Buckaroos' centerfielder starred at bat with three hits in four trips to bat, one of his swats going for a home run inside the fence when Goldman fielded poorly what ought to have been a single, the ball rolling to the fence for a homer. Daniels scored three of the locals' runs and pilfered a base.

Nick Williams retired from the Peninsula lineup in the seventh inning when a batted ball took a bad hop and hit him in the nose. Outside of that nothing "damaging" happened to Nick.

The Buckaroos got to Maxmeyer at the start of the first inning. Smith walked. Daniels clicked one for a home run, scoring Smith ahead of him. Three hits, two errors by Riepl and one by Wertz were responsible for the locals chasing four runs across the plate in the fourth frame.

Williams Hit on Nose.

Portland annexed its last tally in the sixth inning, when with two out Daniels singled to left and after stealing second and third scored on Daubert's two-bagger, which took a bad hop and hit First Baseman Williams in the nose, veered off to the side until Daubert rested on second.

The Standifer team of Vancouver will play the Buckaroos this afternoon on Vaughn-street grounds, starting at 3:30 o'clock. Standifer is leading the Columbia-Willamette Shipbuilding League and gave the Buckaroos their hardest battle of the season last Tuesday.

Score:

Vancouver—	B	H	O	A	E	Portland—	B	H	O	A	E
Gold'an,l.	4	2	2	0	1	Smith,l...	4	0	0	0	0
Riepl,3...	3	0	2	3	4	Daniels,m.	4	3	2	0	0
Downey,s.	5	1	1	2	0	Daubert,s.	3	1	0	4	1
Neighb'r,r	4	2	1	0	0	Lee,c.....	4	0	5	0	0
Ye'broke,1	4	0	5	0	0	Sullivan,r.	4	1	5	0	0
Wertz,c-m	4	0	2	0	1	Haney,1..	3	0	8	0	0
Willia's,1.	3	1	6	0	0	Ritter,2..	3	1	7	4	0
Powers,2.	3	0	3	2	0	Peterson,3	4	1	0	3	3
Maxm'r,p	4	0	0	1	0	Mitchell,p.	3	1	0	1	0
Lind,m...	1	0	2	0	0						
Totals.	35	6	24	8	6	Totals.	32	8	27	12	4

Vancouver	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Hits	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	—6
Portland	2	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	*	—7
Hits	1	0	0	3	2	2	0	0	*	—8

Runs, Smith 2, Daniels 3, Peterson 1, Mitchell 1. Two-base hits, Williams, Ritter, Daubert. Home run, Daniels. Stolen bases, Daubert Daniels. Double play, Powers, unassisted. Sacrifice hit, Riepl. Base on balls, off Maxmeyer 4, off Mitchell 2. Struck out, by Maxmeyer 1, by Mitchell 4. Time of game, 1:45. Umpire, Rankin.

YOUNG BRINGS HOME BACON

Seattle Beats Aberdeen! Boelzle and Silcott Are Hurt.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 5.—Cy Young, leading pitcher of the Pacific Coast International League, today increased his string of victories by holding Aberdeen safely throughout a good game. Seattle won, 4 to 2. Two Aberdeen players were slightly hurt, but continued the game. Catcher Boelzle stopped a foul with his nose, and Left Fielder Silcott was knocked unconscious in a collision with the fence while chasing a fly ball. Score:

Aberdeen—	B	H	O	A	E	Seattle—	B	H	O	A	E
Bogart,3..	5	2	3	3	0	L'Bou'u,m	1	0	1	0	1
Morse,s..	5	0	1	2	0	Smale,2..	3	1	2	2	0
Egan,2...	5	1	2	1	1	Murphy,3.	3	0	1	1	0
Silcott,l..	4	2	1	0	0	Carman,r.	3	1	0	0	0
Altsc'l,m.	4	0	2	0	0	McMor'n,1	2	1	3	0	0
Camozzi,r	2	1	2	0	0	Richie,c..	2	1	4	0	0
Mino,1...	4	1	11	0	1	Leath'rs,s	3	0	5	6	2
Boelzle,c.	4	1	2	2	0	Demps'y,1	3	0	10	1	0
Dobbs,p..	4	1	0	5	0	Young,p..	3	2	0	2	0
Totals.	37	9	24	13	2	Totals.	23	6	26	13	3

*Mino out, hit by batted ball.

Aberdeen	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2
Seattle	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	*	*	—4

Runs, Camozzi, Mino, Smale 2, Carman. Two-base hits, Bogart, Carman. Sacrifice hits, Camozzi, LeBourveau, Richie, Murphy. Double plays, Bogart to Egan; Dempsey to Leathers to Dempsey. Struck out, by Dobbs 2. Bases on balls, off Young 1, off Dobbs 3.

TECK CORRALS TWO BUCKS

Lee and Sullivan to Don Uniforms of Cornfoot Team.

Eddie Teck, of the Cornfoot team of the Columbia-Willamette Shipbuilders' League, went on a little scouting trip of his own last night and after closeting Cliff Lee and John L. Sullivan, catcher and outfielder, respectively, of the Portland Buckaroos, he gave out the information that after the close of the Pacific Coast International season tomorrow night these two hard hitters would work at the Cornfoot plant and cavort with the Cornfoot team thereafter.

Every shipbuilding institution that has a baseball team in the Northwest has been angling for the services of these two Buckaroo stars and if Cornfoot can keep them corralled they will add considerable strength to Pearl Casey's warriors.

Lee is the leading hitter of the Pacific Coast International and John L. Sullivan follows closely in his footsteps. Both have played a bangup game for the Bucks this season.

FERDIE SCHUPP IS WILD

PIRATES WIN SIXTH STRAIGHT, BEATING GIANTS 70-4.

World's Series Pitcher Passes Ten and Hits Two; Cardinals Take Last of Series From Cubs, 6-5.

PITTSBURG, July 5.—New York lost to Pittsburg here today, 10 to 4. It was Pittsburg's sixth consecutive victory. Schupp pitched his first game of the season for the visitors, and was very wild, passing 10 men and hitting two. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
New York	4	9	3	Pittsburg...	10	7	2

Batteries—Schupp and McCarty; Slapnica and Schmidt.

St. Louis 6, Chicago 5.

ST. LOUIS, July 5.—St. Louis took the last game of the series from Chicago today, 6 to 5, winning when Gonzales singled, was sacrificed to second, took third on a wild pitch and scored on Heathcole's single.

May got his second major league hit, a home run, in the second inning, which scored McHenry and Gonzales. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Chicago....	5	8	1	St. Louis...	6	8	2

Batteries—Walker, Carter, Aldridge and Killifer; May, Johnson, Packard and Gonzales.

PREMIUM LIST ATTRACTIVE

Grays Harbor County Fair Lists Good Speed Programme.

CHEHALIS, Wash., July 5.—(Special.)—The premium list for the Grays Harbor county fair to be held at Elma grounds September 4 to 8, has been issued by Charles H. Palmer, secretary and manager. An interesting racing programme has been arranged by Mr. Palmer, who has just returned from a visit to Salem, Or., where he conferred with a number of trackmen.

Racing events include the 2:30, 2:18 and 2:20 trot; 2:25, 2:12 and 2:15 pace, and free-for-all pace and trot. Purses are $500 for each race. The grounds are in fine shape and the 1918 fair is expected to draw large crowds, owing to the fine roads in Grays Harbor and adjoining counties.

175 TOURNEYS DECIDED ON

National Tennis Body Plans Events for Benefit of Fighting Men.

CHICAGO, July 5.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association here today it was decided to arrange for 175 net tournaments to be held in various cities throughout the country in September.

The receipts of the tournaments will be turned over to the athletic activities of the American troops in France and for soldiers and sailors in cantonments here. The committee also took action to establish tennis courts fully equipped at cantonments and mobilization camps both here and in France.

Baseball Summary.

Pacific Coast League.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Vernon....	51	40	.560	San Fran...	45	46	.495
L. Angeles.	52	41	.559	Sacramento	39	45	.464
Salt Lake..	45	42	.517	Oakland...	37	50	.402

National League.

Chicago ...	47	20	.701	Boston.....	31	37	.456
New York.	42	24	.636	Cincinnati..	37	48	.435
Phil'delp'ia	32	32	.500	Brooklyn...	28	37	.431
Pittsburg..	33	33	.500	St. Louis...	28	42	.382

American League.

Cleveland..	43	32	.573	Chicago....	34	35	.493
Boston....	41	31	.569	St. Louis..	34	38	.472
New York..	38	30	.559	Detroit.....	28	40	.412
Washington	40	34	.541	Phil'delphia	24	42	.364

FARRELL, WING AND BROMEO ARE STARS

Vancouver Barracks Open-Air Arena Crowded With Fans to See Big Matches.

REFEREE SAVES HAGERTY

New Yorker Fails to Show Strong Against San Francisco Shipyard Worker Before 2500 Fans. Joe Gorman Is Loser.

More than 2500 fight-mad fans thronged the New Vancouver Barracks open-air arena Fourth of July night and witnessed the all-star boxing show arranged by Lieutenant Sheehy, which was the first boxing card to be staged on the upper cantonment athletic field. The crowd was about half and half soldiers and civilians and everyone enjoyed the varied programme from start to finish.

Marty Farrell, middleweight champion of the Pacific Coast, fought Val Sontag, of Seattle, in the main event of four three-minute rounds. Farrell boxed up to his usual standard and made a chopping block out of Sontag. One thing can be said for Val and that was that he "kept coming" all the time. The Seattle middleweight, who formerly held the middleweight championship of the Coast, made on or two sensational spurts against his clever adversary but failed to do any damage.

Weldon Wing, of Portland, won a decision from Joe Gorman, featherweight champion of the Northwest, in the other main event. They battled four rounds. Gorman made a whirlwind finish and many thought that the worst he should have had was a draw. Wing put up a better bout than usual and gave the battling champion a rip-tearing fight in three of the four rounds. The last round was Gorman's.

Decision Is Surprise.

Lieutenant Sheehy, regimental athletic director arranged all of the matches and refereed the bouts. In bouts between soldiers the government requires judges to render decisions and the latest rules sent out from Washington have shorn the referee of much power, but in a bout between civilians there is no reason why the referee should not take care of the contest.

The best bout of the evening, from an action standpoint, was the one between Claire "Kid" Bromeo, the San Francisco flash, and Soldier Eddie Haggerty, of New York. Hagerty has fought Irish Patsy Cline, Willie Jackson, Rockey Kansas and Jabez White, but it was the first time he ever met Bromeo. Hagerty started off like a champion, but Bromeo soon took the wind out of his sails with a volley of well-directed punches.

Bromeo drew blood right off the reel and had the soldier in a bad way in the third canto, Referee Sheehy stopping the bout to save Eddie from further punishment. The San Francisco featherweight, who is working in the shipyards here, made an impressive showing with the several thousand fans present.

Bromeo to Meet Wing.

It was announced that Bromeo would meet Weldon Wing in the main event of the next boxing show at the Vancouver Barracks.

"Kid" Alberts won a close decision over Charley Rooney in the special event. A draw would have not been a bad decision in that match.

The preliminaries resulted as follows: Sergeant Sterritt knocked out Private Davis in three rounds. Private Ammerman defeated Private Fiske in three rounds and Private Jimmy Lewis, of San Francisco, won from Sergeant Kotch after three rounds of milling. Lewis is a well-known San Francisco battler and had Kotch all but out at the end of the third session. session.

VERNON OUSTS ANGELS

WESTERZIL'S SINGLE IN NINTH CHANGES COAST STANDINGS.

Oakland Grabs One From Seals, 5-4. Pending Thunder Storm Ends Bees-Senators Game—Score 4-4.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 5.—Vernon moved into first place in the Pacific Coast League standings, forcing Los Angeles into second place, when Westerzil singled and scored the winning run in the ninth inning on errors by Killifer and Lapan. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Veron.....	6	8	0	L. Angeles..	5	11	3

Batteries — Fromme, Mitchell and Devormer; Standridge, Valencia and Lapan.

Oakland 5, San Francisco 4.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5.—Oakland took the fifth game, 5 to 4, from San Francisco. After the Seals had tied the score in the eighth inning singles by Krause and Mitze, with Dick's error, gave the Oaks the winning tally. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Oakland....	5	7	3	San Fran...	4	15	3

Batteries—Prough and Mitze; Seaton and McKee.

Sacramento 4, Salt Lake 4.

SALT LAKE CITY, July 5.—Great big overhanging thunder clouds ruined a good ball game here this evening and Umpire Frary was forced to call the contest at the end of the sixth, with the score standing 4 to 4. Griggs scored all of the visitors' four runs in the third with a homer. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Sacramento.	4	7	1	Salt Lake...	4	9	0

Batteries — Brenton and Easterly; Penner and Konnick, C. Dunn.

ROSS IS CLIMBING FAST

GREAT SWIMMER WINS WINGS OF UNITED STATES AVIATOR.

Instructor of Aquatic Star Predicts Pupil Will Become One of Nation's Greatest Fliers.

Norman Ross, the greatest of all the white swimmers and a product of Portland, has achieved another ambition. He has won the "bonny wings" of a military aviator of the American Army.

"There is nothing like this flying," writes Ross. "It is the greatest and most thrilling sport in the world."

Instructor Dougherty, who guided the first steps of the great aquatic star in his career as a fledging flier, at Rockwell Field, predicted that Ross would be one of the greatest fliers.

In his latest letter to a friend Ross says: "Things progress very well here. I go into acrobatics next week, provided my luck holds out. Had a wonderful ride above the clouds yesterday. Took a ship up the first thing in the morning, about 7 o'clock. The fog was blowing in at the lower end of the mesa, and suddenly I found myself enveloped in a thick, yellow-green vapor. I loomed up blindly, popping out suddenly into the clearest blue sky ever.

"Not a bit of wind; just a huge sea of rolling-topped, fleecy-white clouds as far as one could see. In the East and in the North two mountaintops stood up like islands in an ocean, the only things to keep me in touch with the world. I had great fun dipping down and rolling along the cloud floor, which gave at every touch. My gas began to get low and after much hesitation I dove down. It's an awful feeling to be traveling downward at a hundred miles an hour, unable to see beyond your wing tips. I came out of it as suddenly as I went in and found myself back on the old drab earth after an hour in heaven."

BOSTON WINS IN TENTH

RUTH GETS PASS AND McINNIS SLAMS OUT TRIPLE.

Athletics Rally in Ninth and Tie Up Score—Senators Shove New York Into Third Position.

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—With the aid of two pinch hitters, two pinch runners and a hit batsman with the bases filled, the Athletics rallied in the ninth today and tied the score, only to have Boston win out in the tenth when, after two were out, Ruth drew Geary's seventh pass and scored on McInnis' triple to right, making the score 4 to 3 and an even break of the four-game series. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
Boston.....	4	7	1	Philadelphia	3	7	2

Batteries—Ruth and Agnew; Geary and McAvoy.

Washington 2, New York 1.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Shaw outpitched Mogridge today and Washington made it three out of four from New York by taking the final game of the series, 2 to 1. The defeat put New York in third place. Score:

	R.	H.	E.		R.	H.	E.
New York..	1	6	1	Washington.	2	9	4

Batteries—Mogridge and Walters; Shaw and Picinich.

SEASON ENDS SUNDAY

PACIFIC COAST INTERNATIONAL WILL HANG UP SHUTTERS.

President Blewett Announces League Will Retain Claim to Players' Contracts and Territory.

SEATTLE, July 5.—The Pacific Coast International Baseball League will close its 1918 season Sunday. R. L. Blewett, Seattle, president, announced today.

Seattle, Portland, Aberdeen and Vancouver, Wash., have teams in the league. The season opened with six clubs playing. On account of poor support, the number was later cut to four.

By playing until Sunday, the Pacific Coast International League will retain its claim, granted by the National Baseball Commission, to the players' contracts and to the Northwest territory, Mr. Blewett asserted.

Most of the players, it was believed here, will go to work in Northwest shipyards and play with semi-professional teams.

TITLE SETS TODAY'S CARD

Bates and Levy Play Winne and Browne at Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, July 5.—Wallace Bates and Edward Levy, of San Francisco, will meet Frank P. Winne and Nat B. Browne, Los Angeles, in the finals tomorrow of the Pacific Coast tennis doubles championship, being played on the Beverly Hills courts here for the benefit of the American Red Cross.

Both teams won their matches today in the semi-finals.

Twilight Ball to Be Abandoned.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5.—Twilight baseball has not been a success in San Francisco and will be abandoned, commencing next week, officials of the Pacific Coast League announced tonight.

FANS HAIL CHAMPION

Bronson Back in City After Defeating George Ingle.

EX-CHAMPION GIVES ALIBI

Muff's Next Scrap to Be Staged in San Francisco Against Either Farren or Rivers—Darcy Holds Mickey King.

Portland fistic fans can once more boast of a lightweight champion. Muff Bronson, the boxing sensation of the Northwest, and the most talked about scrapper in this part of the country, regained his Pacific Coast lightweight crown in Aberdeen, Wash., on the night of July 4, beating George Ingle, in 10 fast rounds of milling. Ingle won the title from Bronson several months ago and has defended it a number of times since.

Muff tried to re-annex the championship about a month ago when he fought Ingle here, but failed to get better than a draw with the rugged Seattle ironworker. The Portland lad has been fighting in sensational form in his last six fights and at his present gait it will take a mighty good man to lift his laurels from him. Bronson's next bout will probably be in San Francisco, where he has been offered matches with Frankie Farren and Joe Rivers. Farren recently fought a draw with Jimmy Duffy in San Francisco, and Bronson pitted against either one of these battlers would draw a capacity house in the Golden Gate City.

Bronson returned home from Aberdeen yesterday and has hardly a mark on him from the 10-round encounter with Ingle. The bout was hard-fought throughout, with Bronson having the edge all along. Ingle fought Willie Robinson at South Bend, Wash., on July 3, and said that he was still stiff from the effects of the battle. He knew what he was going up against when he tangled with Bronson and a bout on the 3d is no excuse. If he valued a few dollars above the title that was his lookout and he came out on the losing end.

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Fighting "Jimmy" Darcy, at present Portland's only middleweight contender, figuring that Marty Farrell is not a Portlander, arrived from Everett last night. Darcy boxed Mick King a four-round draw in Everett on the Fourth of July afternoon. The contest was a red hot one, with Darcy meeting every charge of King's. In the fourth round Jimmy opened a bad cut over Mick's eye, which bothered him considerably. Freddie Lough, a Portland featherweight, defeated Abe Kaby on the same card. Lough put up a clever match against Kaby and won hands down, according to the newspaper reports and Darcy.

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Lieutenant Sheehy, regimental athletic director at Vancouver Barracks, announced at the completion of Thursday night's boxing card that Clair ("Kid") Bromeo, the San Francisco flash, would meet Weldon Wing, claimant of the Northwest featherweight title at the next Barracks fistic carnival. Bromeo gave the thousands of fight fans present a great exhibition of boxing, fighting and in-fighting against Eddie Hagerty.

Bromeo lost a decision to Wing recently, but the former boxed nothing like he did Thursday and will make Wing hustle when they meet again. Bromeo is training every night, after his day's work at the shipyards, with Sammy Gordon.

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Billy Ryan, who has put up some great fights here, defeating Sammy Gordon and several other well-known local boxers, has decided to rest a month or so before taking on any more opponents. In his last bout, which was with Abe Gordon, Ryan hurt his spine and had to quit before the distance was covered.

DECISION GOES TO BRONSON

Furious Ten-Round Mill Goes to Portland Boxer on Points.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 4.—(Special.)—Muff Bronson, the Portland lightweight, re-established his claim to the Pacific Coast lightweight championship tonight when he won a decision over Champion George Ingle, of Seattle, in a pretty 10-round go here under the auspices of the Moose lodge. It was a fast fight from the start, with Bronson having a shade in five rounds and Ingle's friends claiming the best in four. Half of the audience protested the decision of the referee, Sergeant Gus Rainey, but Bronson's friends were elated at his showing.

The sixth round was probably the most exciting, Bronson being rushed to the ropes on two occasions, but coming back strong and sending Ingle reeling with stiff uppercuts. At no time in the 10 rounds, however, did either of the men lose his footing, and all the way through the fans were on their toes. It was a fine exhibition all the way through.

Frankie Rogers, of Seattle, knocked out Young Battling Nelson, of St. Paul, in the second round of a four-round preliminary. Kid Krache and Pat McGrath battled four rounds to a draw.

The National Smoke
TRAVELER
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HERMAN GETS DECISION

CRITICS BELIEVE JOE RIVERS ENTITLED TO DRAW.

Kid Tillie Starts Like Champ but Final Rounds of Scrap Are Woefully Lacking in Pep.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5.—(Special.)—Kid Tillie Herman was given the decision over Joe Rivers tonight at Dreamland rink. Perhaps the San Josean did have a shade, but it was a mighty small advantage, and a draw decision would have been better all around and fair to everybody concerned.

Had Herman pursued the same tactics in the last two rounds as in the first he would have won away off. Herman was lacking in confidence or body punches handed him by Rivers when the two were clinched stopped him and made the close of the bout as slow as molasses.

Rivers, in far better shape as far as condition was concerned, was slow to the point of distraction. He simply couldn't get started and his younger opponent with any flash could have scored the K. O. Kid Tillie brought blood in the first round and had a good lead in the second. Rivers, if anything, had a slight lead in the third and the fourth was a toss-up. As a scrap it was disappointing.

GOLF DRAWINGS ARE MADE

Harry Pratt, of Portland Club, Says Matches Must Be Played Soon.

Harry Pratt, professional at the Portland Golf Club, yesterday announced the drawings of the 16 players who qualified in the directors' cup tournament on July 4. The matches must be played off during the coming week or players will be disqualified.

The pairings resulted as follows: Dr. Sam Slocum vs. J. A. Dick, E. F. Younger vs. F. A. Heitkemper, George Schaefer vs. H. Samuelson, A. T. Hotchkiss vs. Douglas Nicol, C. N. Sampson vs. E. Shaw, Dr. W. W. Black vs. C. W. Cornell, George P. Washburn vs. J. Samuelson and C. W. Myers vs. C. B. Lind.

Tilden and Garland in Finals.

CHICAGO, July 5.—W. T. Tilden, Jr., of Philadelphia, today won his way to the finals of the National Clay Court tennis championship by defeating Walter T. Hayes, of Chicago, 7-5, 6-2, 1-6, 7-5. Tilden will play the finals with Charles Garland, of Pittsburg, who eliminated Edward Oelsner, of Chicago, today, 6-0, 6-2, 6-3.

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