

LOCAL SWIMMERS OFF FOR VICTORIA

Seven Portland Stars to Represent Winged 'M' in Northwest Championships.

FAST EVENTS ARE SLATED

Contestants Are Numbered Among Best in This Vicinity and Expect to Bring Back Their Share of the Winnings.

Jack Cody, swimming instructor of Multnomah Club, spent yesterday forenoon lining up the seven swimmers who will represent the Winged 'M' institution in the Pacific Northwest championships in Victoria tomorrow. Those who will swim for the club are: Myron Wiley, Locke Webster, H. W. Buckland, O. J. Hoarford, Happy Kuehn, Thelma Payne and Constance Meyer. The contestants, accompanied by Mr. Cody, left for Seattle yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. They had planned to leave at 11 o'clock last night, but Mr. Cody received a telegram from the officials of the meet in Victoria yesterday morning that unless the Multnomah Club swimmers managed to board the American-owned steamer leaving from Seattle to Victoria last night they would be unable to make connections.

Fast Events Scheduled.
Had Mr. Cody and his swimmers missed the boat in Seattle last night it would have been likely that Multnomah Club would not be represented in the Pacific Northwest championships, for the first time in many years. But it is taken for granted that Multnomah Jack and his troupe of champions are now hale and hearty and looking Victoria over from the waterfront.
The five men and two women who will try to bring home to themselves and M. A. C. are the best in this neck of the woods and are bound to capture their share of the events. Buckland and Wiley will swim the sprints; Hoarford and Wiley, the distance; Webster, the back stroke and plunge for distance, and Happy Kuehn will try for the men's fancy diving title. Miss Thelma Payne, women's National diving champion, and Mrs. Constance Meyer, former women's National diving titleholder, will enter the women's diving events, of which there will be several.
Frank E. Watkins, prominent in all athletic circles at Multnomah Club and Portland in general, accompanied Cody and the swimmers.

Seven Portlanders to Compete.
The seven mermen and mermaids have been training under the watchful eye of instructor Jack Cody for the past four months in preparation for the Pacific Northwest championship meet at Victoria. The meet is being staged under the auspices of the Island Athletic Association.

Following is the programme of events:
50-yard dash for men.
500-yard swim, free style, men.
Plunge for distance, men.
500-yard swim, free style, men.
500-yard dash, women.
100-yard dash, men.
Fancy diving, 10-foot board, men.
44-yard breast stroke, men.
Fancy diving, 10-foot board, women.
Fancy high diving, 27-foot platform, men.
50-yard dash with a number of crack swimmers at the beach resort last Sunday, making good time.

Mrs. Letts Not to Play.
CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Mrs. Frederick C. Letts, Jr., will not defend her title in the Western women's golf championship tournament, it was announced tonight, because her duties in Washington will prevent her from competing. The tournament will open at the Indian Hill course here Monday.

BALL SCHEDULE UPSET

PREVIOUSLY ARRANGED GAME AND WORK INTERFERE.

Cornfoot Nine to Face Crack Team From Vancouver Barracks on Vaughn Grounds Today.

Because of a previously scheduled game for today with the Rogers team, of Astoria, the McCormick shipbuilders will be unable to tangle with Pearl Case's Cornfoot outfit on the Vaughn-street lot this afternoon. Cornfoot was originally scheduled to play Standifer today, but as the Standifer men are working this afternoon, it was impossible for them to play.

President Fred N. Ray then got in touch with Eddie Menor and wanted his consent to let McCormick play off their postponed game with Cornfoot today, but as Menor had already made an agreement to meet the champions of the Lower Columbia Shipbuilders' League in St. Helena today, he could not accommodate Cornfoot and make the trip to Portland.

There will be a game at Vaughn street this afternoon, Cornfoot facing a crack team from the Vancouver Barracks, composed of stars from several Eastern and Middle Western leagues. The soldiers have been winning with regularity and are considered to have an equal chance of defeating the Cornfoot aggregation.
President Ray tried again yesterday to get in touch with Eddie Peterson, manager of the Standifer team, and see if there was a possibility of Standifer getting together with Cornfoot this afternoon, but he was unable to get the Standifer team would have to play their postponed game with Cornfoot some night next week before Saturday, or it is likely that they will have to forfeit the contest. McCormick and Cornfoot are billed to play off their game next Saturday.

CUBS TAKE FINAL GAME
NINTH-INNING RALLY RESULTS IN DEFEAT OF GIANTS.
National League Leaders Again Are Ten and One-Half Games Ahead in Race for Pennant.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Causery weakened in the ninth inning today and Chicago put over a ninth-inning rally, which gave them a 3-to-2 victory over New York in the final game of the season here today, after a 10½ games in the pennant race. Score: R. H. E. New York... 3 2 3 Chicago... 2 1 1 Batteries—Causery and Rariden; Douglas, Martin and O'Farrell.
Boston 5, Pittsburgh 0.
PITTSBURGH, Aug. 23.—The Boston Braves made their last appearance of the season here today, defeating Pittsburgh, 5 to 0. Score: R. H. E. Boston... 5 1 Pittsburgh... 0 2 4 Batteries—North and Wagner; Hill and Schmidt, Smith.
Cincinnati 8, Philadelphia 7.
CINCINNATI, Aug. 23.—Cincinnati beat Philadelphia by a score of 8 to 7 here today. Score: R. H. E. Cincinnati... 8 13 3 Philadelphia... 7 10 0 Batteries—Prendergast, Jacobs and Adams; Luque and Wingo, Archer.
STUNK AND RUTH SAVE SOX
Double Steal Is Worked and Boston Takes Second Game From St. Louis.
BOSTON, Aug. 23.—With two out in the last half of the ninth, Stunk and Ruth on first, these two players worked a double steal and Stunk scored with the winning run, 6 to 5, on Catcher Severely's poor throw to Maisei. This gave Boston two of three games played so far in the series with St. Louis. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis... 5 8 1 Boston... 6 13 2 Batteries—Wright, Houck and Severeid; Jones and Agnew.
Chicago 6, Philadelphia 5.
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23.—Chicago won in 11 innings today, 6 to 5. Eddie Murphy scored two runs, helped a third around with a sacrifice and drove in the other three, including the winning run. R. H. E. Chicago... 6 14 0 Philadelphia... 5 13 4 Batteries—Shellenbach, Danforth and Jacobs; Johnson, Perry and McAvoy.
Washington 6, Washington 2.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Cleveland scored six runs in the eighth inning of today's game with Washington and won, 6 to 2. Score: R. H. E. Cleveland... 6 6 0 Washington... 2 9 2 Batteries—Coveleskie, Knasmueller and O'Neill; Ayers, Matteson and Ansmith.

ACCIDENTS MAR RACE
FOUR DRIVERS ARE THROWN OUT OF THEIR SULKIES.
Surprise of Day at Grand Circuit Meet Occurs When Lu Princeton Wins Free-for-All Trot.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Two accidents occurred today, the getaway day of the Poughkeepsie grand circuit meeting. In the first heat of the 2:08 trot, Gentry C., driven by Geers, caught his hoof in a boot coming down the home stretch, throwing Geers out. The sulky wheel of Opera Express ran over the fallen driver, and Fleming also was thrown out, while Belle Stanford collided with Fleming's sulky and Halstead was thrown. Drivers and horses escaped injury.
Kelly De Forest won the heat, but Opera Express took the next two and the race, beating Lord Stout by a head in the final heat. Best time, 2:08.4.
The second accident of the day occurred in the free-for-all trot, when Lu Princeton defeated St. Frisco. The Geers horse won the first heat handsily in 2:05.8, but went to a break on the first turn in the second heat. Lu Princeton also made a break but caught quickly, and St. Frisco could never reach him. The time again was 2:05.4. Lu Princeton won the third heat by a neck in 2:05.
The 2:29 trot was easy for the 3-year-old trotter, Davis Guy, driven by Tommy Murphy. Best time, 2:08.4. The 2:11 pace went to Baron Wood, Budlight winning the first heat. Best time, 2:04.4.
Summary:
2:08 trotting, purse \$1000, three heats—Opera Express (Murphy)... 1 1 1 Kelly De Forest (Murphy)... 2 2 2 Lord Stout (A. Stout)... 3 3 3 Gentry C. (Geers and Walker)... 4 4 4 Legal W. (Coat)... 5 5 5
Time—2:10.4, 2:08.4, 2:10.4.
Free-for-all trot, purse \$1200, three heats—Lu Princeton (Coat)... 1 1 1 St. Frisco (Geary)... 2 2 2 Davis Guy (Murphy)... 3 3 3 Anna Maloney (Devotion)... 4 4 4 Barton Toddington (C. J. Smith)... 5 5 5 Joseph Guy (Hays)... 6 6 6 Ory (Devotion)... 7 7 7
Time—2:05.8, 2:05.4, 2:05.4.
Tara's Hall and Ray Coy also started. Time—2:05.8, 2:05.4.
2:11 pace, \$1000, three heats—Baron Wood (Valentine)... 1 1 1 Budlight (Murphy)... 2 2 2 Mistle Deworth (J. Smith)... 3 3 3 Major May (Hubbard)... 4 4 4 Minor Hal (Hubbard)... 5 5 5
Time—2:07.4, 2:04.4, 2:07.4.

Baseball Summary.
American League. W. L. Pct.
Boston... 67 47 .585 Chicago... 52 66 .439
Cleveland... 69 51 .573 St. Louis... 53 68 .437
Washington... 61 54 .526 Philadelphia... 48 65 .424
New York... 65 56 .537 Detroit... 41 64 .390
National League.
Chicago... 49 45 .521 Brooklyn... 53 62 .461
New York... 65 59 .520 Philadelphia... 48 69 .411
Washington... 61 54 .526 St. Louis... 53 68 .437
Pittsburgh... 59 55 .518 Boston... 46 73 .383

BOXER OFFERS TO HELP AT BENEFITS

"Sailor" George Brandon, Crack Bantamweight, Here on Ten-Day Furlough.

MANY STARS IN U. S. NAVY

Mare Island Training School Lures Fast Men From All Over Country. Visitor to Meet Danny Edwards in California.

"Sailor" George Brandon, Portland's leading bantamweight and one of the best men at his weight on the Pacific Coast, is one of the first Portland boxers to come forward and offer his services for any benefit that is held in Portland for any fund. Brandon is here on a 10-day furlough and when he read in the papers of the proposed benefits for Portland, the other funds he at once said that he did not want to be left out and wants the fans to know that he is always ready to box at benefits at any time and place.
Brandon is stationed at the radio school at Mare Island and is now a first-class seaman with rating. He has been boxing on the average over three and four times a week in San Francisco, Oakland and at service smokers at Mare Island and Goat Island. Sailor Frank Kirk, the former Denver boxer, is instructor at Mare Island and Brandon spends a good deal of his time assisting Kirk. George recently had his nose broken while showing a big fight at a service smoker at Mare Island and is thinking of undergoing another operation on it.
There are a number of crack boxers in the Navy at Mare Island from all over the country. Jimmy Duffy, the fast Oakland boy, enlisted several weeks ago and is getting along famously in the service. The other funds he at once said that he did not want to be left out and wants the fans to know that he is always ready to box at benefits at any time and place.
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Jack Wagner, the aggressive Portland lightweight, who put up a number of great battles here last winter, is planning on doing as much boxing as possible this year and has started active training.
Wagner has fought every lightweight of prominence in the Northwest and has one of the best records of any boy in this part of the country. He has fought a number of 10-round bouts and is going to try some of the long-distance bouts again this season. Wagner is a member of the city fighting force and is married, having one child.

Claire "Kid" Bromee has signed articles to box Soldier Eddie Hagerty six three-minute rounds at Newport, Or., a week from Saturday. The show was originally scheduled for Labor day, but Athletic Director Robert Krohn decided to set it ahead for Saturday night instead of Labor day. Bromee is training hard for the match and expects to defeat Hagerty.

GORDON TO BOX AT BUTTE
Flyweight Champion of Pacific Coast to Meet 118-Pound Boy.
Abie Gordon, flyweight champion of the Pacific Coast, who recently returned to his home in Butte, will fight in that city on Labor day. The other little Hebrew will tangle with a fast mixer weighing 118 pounds by the name of Jimmy Jones. They will box in an eight round bout on the turf course at the being staged by a group of prominent Montana sportsmen, who are determined that they see their share of good boxing bouts. Battling the Oakland middleweight, will meet one of the best men in the country in the main event which is scheduled to go 20 rounds.

Young Gordon mentions in a recent letter to his brother here, Hyman Gordon, that the show will draw over \$3000 Labor day and that all of the revenue will be for the benefit of the war effort.

CLUB ANGLERS REACH TACOMA
Multnomah Fly Casters to Compete in Tournament Today, Sunday.
TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 23.—(Special)—The Multnomah Anglers' Club delegation arrived from Portland this morning and is ready to participate in the fly casting tournament which is to be held at Point Defiance Park Saturday and Sunday under the auspices of the Tacoma Club. This is a Pacific Northwest event and an annual meeting. Among those who arrived from Portland are:
W. Backus, Dr. E. C. McFarland, Ray Winters, William Kiser, Jim McFarland and Jack Herman. Mrs. McFarland accompanied her husband.
The Multnomah Anglers won seven of the eight events at Seattle last year. Portland will make a bid for the 1919 tournament.

OREGON LETTER MEN WANTED
Y. M. C. A., Through University of Chicago Men, Sends Out Call.
OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Aug. 23.—(Special)—Oregon Agricultural College letter men are wanted by A. A. Stagg, head of physical education work at the University of Chicago and chairman of the Western recruiting committee of the National war council of the Young Men's Christian Association, for overseas athletic and recreational work.
Only men who would be mentally, morally and physically fitted are desired. Graduates and sophomores are requested to write President Kerr or to Professor Stagg direct.

Deacon White's Nine Wins.
Deacon White, well known among baseball fans in the Northwest and in Canada as a player, manager and promoter who, though American born went overseas with the Canadian forces in 1915, recently led his team, the 7th Engineers, to a brilliant victory over the Division Ammunition Column in the deciding game for the championship of the Canadian League in France. The game went eleven innings before the Engineers won out and was witnessed by nearly 50,000 soldiers of all nations.

More than 500 women applied for the nurses' training camp at Vassar College.

SATURDAY GROCERIES

Some wonderful special offers that will save you money on your household expenses:

Pearl Shortening
Small 66c Medium 1.15 Large 2.37
NOT OVER TWO TO A CUSTOMER.

Wesson Oil
Small 40c Medium 79c Large 1.58
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Split White and Lima Beans, 3 lbs. for 25c
Kellogg's Individual Toasted Corn Flakes, 12 Pkgs. for 25c
Simon's Best Whole or Ground Coffee, lb. 20c
Forbes' Pure Vanilla Extract, small size 8c
Peanut Butter, two pounds for 45c
Cream Rolled Oats, in Bulk per lb. 8c
Yellow Corn Flour, 10-lb. sack 68c
Rice Flour, 10-lb. sack 1.10
Bob White Soap, 4 bars for 22c

Kitchen Necessities for the Housewife

Aluminum Percolators, \$2.00 and \$2.50
Aluminum Tea Kettles for \$1.90
Aluminum Rice Boilers for 88c
Aluminum Fry Pans for 88c
Fruit Jar Holders; use when tightening covers 25c
Many bargains in Enamelled Ware.

New Glassware

Fancy cut Sugar Bowls, Syrup Pitchers, Vinegar Cruets, Creamers 15c
etc., for only 39c
Glass Water Pitchers, only 15c
BLUEBIRD CUPS AND SAUCERS 17c
Set of six—\$1.00.

Tobacco—Cigars

All leading brands of 6c Cigars 5¢ straight or \$2.50 the box.
Pedro, Dixie Queen and U. S. Marine Lunch Boxes 75c
Velvet and Edgeworth, 13c
Star, 8-space plug 69c
for

Dr. Hess' Poultry Food Stock Condition and Healing Powders, 30 per cent off regular price!

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Offers a List of Attractive Saturday Bargains

BLEACHED MUSLIN, 17¢-35-inch full Bleached Muslin. Not over 10 yards to one customer.

WOMEN'S HOSE, 29¢—Regular 35c Buster Brown Hose, in either black or white; hemmed top, double knee and toe.
COVERALL APRONS, 95¢—Regular \$1.19 Coverall Aprons, in light and colored percales; kimono sleeves.

GINGHAMS, 25¢—A good grade of Dress Gingham in plaids and stripes, for school wear.
CHILDREN'S HOSE, 35¢—Children's Buster Brown School Hose; all sizes for boys and girls.
OUTING FLANNEL, 29¢—Regular 35c Outing Flannel; heavy weight, in colors only. 10 to 20-yard lengths.

Wonderful Shoe Bargains

Choose here Shoes for Fall and Winter wear at prices that are not equaled in Portland. See this list of Saturday offerings:

Men's Tan Army Last Shoes, pair \$4.98
Men's Heavy Work Shoes, good values \$3.49
Men's Black Calf Shoes, khaki tops \$3.49
Women's Tan Calf Shoes, pair \$4.98
Women's Gray Kid Cloth Top Shoes, pair at only \$4.98
Boys' and Girls' School Shoes, in gunmetal, the pair \$2.49
Children's Patent Gray Top Shoes, the pair \$1.75
Tennis Shoes, for men, women, boys and girls 59c

G. A. R.

Hail and Farewell!

Never, so long as memory shall last, can we forget the sight of your loved faces; never shall we cease to hear the sound of life and drum, the measured tread of marching feet, the voices uplifted in song and story. With tears and love we bid you adieu.

For the Man Who Works in Wood

Standard tools at prices which make it true economy to buy here.
Gauge Planes, 10-inch \$4.25
Gauge Planes, 14-inch \$4.50
Stanley Wood-Bottom Jack Planes for \$2.50
Stanley Wood-Bottom Smooth Planes \$2.40
No. 70 Adjustable Scrapers... 85¢
Pencil Scribers... 20¢
Rice Knives... 75¢
Hammer Handles... 10¢
Chisel Handles... 10¢
Steel Cabinet Scrapers, assorted sizes, each... 10¢

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We carry complete lines of Paints, Oils and Brushes at lowest prices

House Paints, all colors, gallon \$2.75
Linseed Oil, in 5-gallon cans, gallon \$2.15
Linseed Oil, in 1-gallon cans, gallon \$2.20
Turpentine, in 5-gallon cans, gallon .95¢
Turpentine, in 1-gallon cans, gallon \$1.10
Additional charge for cans.
Twin City Coach Varnish, gallon \$2.50
Asphaltum, gallon 75¢. Kalsomine, the lb. 8¢

Boys' School Suits

\$3.85 to \$9.50

Bring the boys in and let us fit them out for school. We can save you 25% over the up-town stores. All new styles in Fall materials are here.

Boys' Furnishings

Boys' Heavy Blue and Gray Shirts... 98c
Boys' New Blouses, 98c
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Boys' Heavy Bear Brand Hose... 35c
Heavy All-Wool Sweaters \$3.98
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