Jefferson and Lincoln Elevens Are Contenders.

PLAYERS ARE CONFIDENT

Championship Interscholastic Portland Will Be Fought for This Afternoon.

Jefferson High School, undefeated in League A, will tangle with Lincoln High School, undefeated in League B, for the interscholastic football cham-pionship of the 1918 season, on Multnomal Field this afternoon, starting at 2:20 o'clock. Each eleven has won cisco. Marcelle claims that he has en-

tic football schedule was drawn up, it called for each team to play seven games and put all of the eight high schools in one league. The influenza epidemic ban was put on the city after a week of football and when it was raised again it was necessary to split the schools into two leagues and let the winner of each division fight it out for the championship. One of the games that was played before the ban was clamped on was between Lincoln and James John, which was the opening contest of the 1913 season. Lincoln ing contest of the 1918 season. Lincoln won out, 7 to 6.

an altogether different team than the one that played James John. It has a different coach, a new system of plays and different men in different positions. James John Improves.

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GIBBONS-DEMPSEY PURSE UP

Mike Collins Offers \$15,000 for Fight in Minneapolis.

Both Dempsey and Gibbons seem

draw in Seattle about six months ago and is confident that he can trim the clever little Seattle mixer.

REED PLANS FOR ATHLETICS

Dr. Everett C. Beach to Have Charge AUTO BALL LEAGUE TALKED of Activities.

Plans are being perfected this month for a vigorous and continuous pro-gramme of athletics for men at Reed College in 1919. When the Army unit

Beach. Dr. Beach will have the assistance of three men who were connected with the department last year—Read Mc-Lane Ellsworth, Bruce Eugene Shum-

Lefts and Rights.

present. While in the south he took on Johnny Arrousez and Eddie Mahoney. He lost close decisions in both bouts. An Oakland scribe had the following

Bob McAllister, clever California middleweight, recently sailed from San Francisco to Honolulu on the steamer Salmon. Three other boxers, Jimmy Duncan, Mickey Monroe and Frankie Denny are on the same ship with Bob.

Antoine Marcelle, a French ace, who is on his way to Siberia, will meet Frankie Farren in the main event of a show at Dreamland Ring. San Francisco

show at Dreamland Ring, San Fran-

...... MARINES MEET AVIATORS TO-DAY.

One of the biggest gridiron clashes of the season will be played today at Berkeley Field, Cal., when the Mare Island Marines and Mather Field aviators clash to decide which aggregation plays the Great Lakes Naval Station classes at Pasadena New Station eleven at Pasadena, New Year's day.

Last Monday Jefferson defeated
James John, 8 to 8. The Lincoln team
that has played the last few games is
an altogether different team than the of Card.

Johnny McCarthy and Harry Anderson, who fought four rounds to a draw Another thing, the James John team at Seattle recently, will most likely that battled Jefferson on Monday was also a different team from that which played Lincoln. It fought harder, played better ball and lost out only by a hard better ball and lost out only by a hard at Seattle recently, will most likely round route in the main event of the

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE DELE-GATION FIRST TO ARRIVE,

Schedules for Baseball, Track, Basketball and Football to Be Arranged.

The Pacific Coast conference will meet at 9 o'clock this morning and the meet, only Mike thinks the delegates expect to finish their session

willing to meet, only Mike thinks the date a little too early. When told this. Collins said he may feature Bill Miske against Demsey on one of the two dates if Gibbons did not feel prepared to battle.

The graduate managers plan some spirited arguments for their all-day conclave while trying to arrange their baseball, basketball, track, boxing and last, but not least, foot-

Sammy Gordon. Portland bantamweight, who fought a draw with Billy
Ryan at the smoker Thursday night,
will meet Frankie Murphy in Seattle
next Tuesday. Gordon will leave for
Seattle tomorrow accompanied by his
manager. Abe Matin.
Sammy fought Murphy a four-round
Sammy fought Murphy a four-round
draw in Seattle about six months ago

Colorado Towns May Adopt Novel Programme.

automobile baseball league, with clubs sportsman, arrived yesterday, as did Greeley and Cheyenne is likely to be is demobilized on December 21, the men who have been having 11 hours a week of military training will be 1 pared for a full schedul of athletic activities. As Professor Charles S. Botsford, director of athletics for men. has just accepted a call to France for work with the war council of the war council of the work with the war council of the colorado State League—a four-work with the war council of the colorado State League—a four-club circuit—was the only minor league terday to serve to those on hand tootsford, director of athletics for men, as just accepted a carl to France for ork with the war council of the M. C. A. the athletics for men at eed College will be in charge of Dr. werett C. Beach. sulting from the war, and the fact that it was able to play out its season has encouraged baseball fans all over the state to look forward to a bigger and stronger league in 1919.

morrow. The big lunch will be free.

Automobiles will leave the Imperial Hotel Sunday morning at 9 o'clock for Everding Park, and all members of the Sportsman's League who have not made arrangements will be

Motorboat Club to Give Smoker.

The Portland Motorboat Club will will be served at 7 o'clock Monday stage a big smoker Wednesday night, night in the Chamber of Commerce Earl, Mohan is figuring on staging is being arranged for is being arranged for entertainment. There will be boxing, smokes, vaudeville, comedians and other live events on the bill. The complete lineup will be amounced later. December 18. It will be the first one of the season and a lengthy programme is being arranged for the evening's entertainment. There will be boxing.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 13.—(Special.)—A game in Portland for the championship ness' Walnut Hall stock farm, near this An Oakland scribe had the following to say of the Bromeo-Arrousez bout:

The process of reasoning through which the judges arrived at the decision that Johnny Arrousez beat Claire Bromeo will defeats Jefferson for the Portland interscholastic title in their battle toforever remain one of the dark mysteries of the age. It takes two to make a fight, but Arrousez cannot be accused of con-

Los Angeles Magnate Would Include Portland.

RAIL RATE TROUBLESOME

Baseball Expected to Revive With Increase in Number of Clubs.

BY JAMES J. RICHARDSON. When the Pacific Coast League di-When the Pacific Coast League directors greased the skids for Portland's side out of the circuit in 1917 it was Johnny Powers, Los Angeles magnate, who played a prominent part in throwing the big harpoon into the McCredies. After putting the thumbscrews on the Portland magnates and substituting Sacramento for Portland, the class AA magnates found out that the switch was not all its supporters prophesied and now comes this same Johnny Powcisco. Marcelle claims that he has enthree games in their respective leagues, defeating all other schools in their division. Jefferson has not been scored upon this year, while Lincoln's goal line has been crossed just twice by opposing elevens.

Jefferson put the last stumbling block out of the way last Monday when it defeated James John, 6 to 0, in the hardest-fought game of the season.

When the original 1918 interscholastic football schedule was drawn up, it called for each team to play seven games and put all of the eight high schools in one league. The influenza epidemic ban was put on the city after a week of football and when it was raised again it was necessary to split the schools into two leagues and let the winner of each division fight it out for the championship. One of the

stacle in the way of an eight club Pa-cific Coast League. If conditions should continue as at

If conditions should continue as at present, Powers says the league will undoubtedly be pruned down to four clubs and the teams will travel from one city to another by motor bus, that being the cheapest form of transportation. It is possible that the league may start that way and then expand to eight clubs in mid-season should conditions warrant the change.

Mr. Powers advances the argument that by taking in Portland and Scattle

that by taking in Portland and Seattle and branching out into an eight club circuit it would give the fans more new faces and would do a great deal towards livening up the interest which has lagged considerably during the past

salso a different team from that which played Lincoln. It fought harder, played better bail and lost out only by a hard break of linck, so one can gain no information on how today's game will come out by the accress that Lincoln and Jefferson registered over them.

Lincoln has played four football games this year, while Jefferson has hattled five elevena. Following are the scores for the season chalked up by each team. Jefferson 6. Columbia.

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CONFERENCE OPENS TODAY

The Sacramento baseball club will not hold a meeting until after the Pacific Coast League holds its session and the directors see how baseball conditions come out to the directors. the directors see how baseball condi-tions come out in the East. President Charles J. Heeseman has been in touch with baseball men of the Bay cities, He says that "Raw Meat" Bill Rodgers will most likely be manager again.

Tia Juana to Open Soon.

Racing will be resumed at the Tia Juana track in Mexico, just across the California boundary line, early in February. James W. Coffroth, the promoter, is authority for the announcement that the United States Govern-Mike Collins, Minneapolis fight prometer, who was a Portland visitor in the capacity of manager of Fred Fulton some months ago, set the ball rolling for a Mike Gibbons-Jack Demsey fight the other day by offering a purse of \$15,000 for the match, to be divided as the principals may agree, or a guarantee of \$10,00, with a percentage privilege for each man. Collins suggests either January 12 or 15 for the date of the battle, and he proposes to stage it in the rebuilt Minneapolis Armory, which has the seating capacity of at least \$000.

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The advance guard of Pacific Coast and Northwest intercollegiate conference delegates to the annual meeting of closed the track last Winter. Racegoers had been crossing into Mexico without the necessary passports, and many Germans, in that way, were able to get out of this country. Tia Juana is patronized strictly by the California racing element. It was built by Conference will east \$000.

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Delegates began to arrive yesterday to attend at the annual meeting of the Oregon Sportsman's League, Sunday

day morning at 10 o'clock at the Im-perial Hotel, and the annual banquet will be served at 7 o'clock Monday

St. Frisco, 2:01 %, Dies,

LE%INGTON, Ky., Dec. 13 .- St. Frisco, 2:01%, said to have been the greatest trotting stallion over foaled, died of pneumonia at Memphis, Tenn., today, cording to information received here city, in 1911, he was by San Francisco

The Freedom of the Seas

WHAT IT MEANS IN AMERICA, **ENGLAND AND FRANCE**

There is a very interesting article in this week's LITERARY DIGEST-December 14th -bearing upon the most vital topic likely to be discussed at the great peace conferencethe Freedom of the Seas.

While Lieutenant-Colonel Repington, the famous British Military Expert, remarks that "I have not the slightest idea what freedom of the seas means, nor have I met anyone who can tell me," London and French newspapers have quite definite ideas as to its meaning.

Much of the comment in the London and Paris papers emphasizes the fact that President Wilson has not yet defined what he means by freedom of the seas, but most of the French journals agree with the Paris Matin when it says "if this doctrine means any

diminution of the power of the British navy, France will reject it."

Other articles of timely interest in this number of THE DIGEST are:

Making War on Our Chief Peacemaker

Summarizing All Shades of Public Opinion in America Regarding President Wilson's visit to Europe and His Presence at the Peace Table

Turning to the Pursuits of Peace War Prices and Peace Wages Shall We Take German Africa? Russia's Chaos Laid to the Allies Abolishing the Private Kitchen Why Arc Light Globes Turn Purple New York's Arch of Thanksgiving and

Welcome A Way Open for Shakespeare Cannon for Peace Bells Christmas a Time for Food Service (Prepared by U. S. Food Administration)

A Vanished Railroad Ghost Mr. Kitchin's Plan of Taxation How Canada Views the President's Trip Surgical Moss Wanted for Red Cross Work A Plea to Improve a Fatal Water Route Machine-made Rubber The Scene of the Peace Drama A Christmas Call From the Red Cross Are Bolsheviki Mainly Jewish? The Best of Current Poetry News of Finance and Commerce Personal Glimpses of Men and Events

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ALBERT DONATES AWARDS AND BESTOWS PRAISE ON BOXERS.

Mike O'Dowd, of St. Paul, Wins All King's Cold Keeps Him Away.

LONDON, Thursday, Dec. 12.—American Boxers won five finals in the lightweight division in the closing bouts of the Inter-Allied boxing tournament here last night. The American

the defeat of Wilde by Moore. ice within a short time. Winters, who Cal Delaney, of Detroit, American before the war put in much of his time

The tournament was held in beautiful Albert Hall. The Americans were ing both schools that the contest be staged alternately on each campus.

Both Oregon and the Aggies will most likely arrange for one or more contests in Portland with the outside colleges.

AUTO BALL LEAGUE TALKED

W. C. Bristol and J. G. Clemson, two of the best-known trapshooters and sportsmen in this part of the country, have donated a handsome trophy to the seen a real prince before, but tonight they had a word of praise from Prince high gun at the annual gathering of the delegates of the Oregon Sportsmen in this part of the country, have donated a handsome trophy to the high gun at the annual gathering of the delegates of the Oregon Sportsmen in this part of the country, have donated a handsome trophy to the high gun at the annual gathering of the Many of the Americans had never a real prince before, but tonight they had a word of praise from Prince high gun at the annual gathering of the best-known trapshooters and sportsmen in this part of the country, have donated a handsome trophy to the high gun at the annual gathering of the Description of the best-known trapshooters and sportsmen in this part of the country, have donated a handsome trophy to the high gun at the annual gathering of the delegates of the Oregon Sportsmen in this part of the country, have donated a handsome trophy to the seen a real prince before, but tonight they had a word of praise from Prince Albert as he bestowed individual medials on the winners and the responsable to be present between the prince before, but tonight they had a word of praise from Prince Albert as he bestowed individual medials on the winners and the prince before, but tonight they had a word of praise from Prince Albert as he bestowed individual medials on the winners and the prince before, but tonight they had a word of praise from Prince Albert as he bestowed in the prince before, but tonight they had a word of praise from Prince Albert as he bestowed in the prince before a word of praise from Prince British and the prince before a word of the prince before a w

Mike O'Dowd, American Army, of St. Paul, and the world's champion middleweight, won all three of the bouts in which he was engaged.

which he was engaged.

Eddie McGoorty, American Army, of Oshkosh, after defeating Chorrooks, of South Africa, fell before Billy Wells, of the British Army, in the semi-finals. Augie Ratner, the American Army, fought his way through to the finals, where he defeated Sergeant Fuller, of the British Army, on points. Ratner comes from New York, and is a formed American amateur welterweight cham-American amateur welterweight cham-

American amatesis recluded:

Royal Air Force, 32½; Royal Navy,
32½; American Navy, 32; Australia,
28; New Zealand, 14½; South Africa,
10½ and Canada, 18.

The result of the Pal Moore-Jimmy Wilde contest has aroused much dis-cussion, and efforts have been begun to match Moore with the English bantamweight champion in a contest of 15

ATHLETES RECEIVE DISCHARGE Devanney and Rico Among the First to Return Home.

Mike Devanney, former holder of the A. A. U. half-mile championship and winner of two legs on the Hunter mile Clara Cantrill.

Clara Cantrill.

A 50-year ban has been placed by the Iowa State Medical Society on the purchase of medical implements or appliances or other things made in Germany.

Clara Cantrill.

Team No. 2—
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REAL PRINCE GIVES MEDALS the guard of the Naval aviation school at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He earned his way to the aviat the Massachusetts Institute of Tech-nology. He earned his way to the avi-ation school as a student and was on his way to obtain his commission when

the armistice was signed. Devanney's home is in Newark, N. J. Another athlete who has been dis-charged is Arthur Rico, one of the catchers of the Boston National League Mike O'Dowd. of St. Paul, Wins All
Three Bouis in Which He Appears.
King's Cold Keeps Him Away.

Army team added four points to its authorities in May, some weeks prior total, while the American Army's total to the signing of the armistice received While the American Army team failed to equal the points piled up by the British Army earlier in the tournament, the surprise of the meating was a decommission as a Second Lieutenant of infantry. He is at present stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, but expects to be mustered out of the ent, the surprise of the meeting was expects to be mustered out of the serv-Cal Delaney, of Detroit, American Navy, was defeated by Sergeant John nie Basham, British Army champion welterweight of Great Britain in the finals was pronounced by McGraw to be the most promising young pitcher sighted by him since Christy Mathewson was

On the Alleys.

TEAM NO. 1 continues to lead the Multnomah Club House Bowling gon men on the Marines' eleven this former in the Pacific Coast League. League with a percentage of .750, win-Hayward has a great interest in the ning II sames and losing only one so extreme of the sames. Multnomah Club House Bowling gon men on the Marines' eleven this George was unable to be present be-cause of a cold, and he sent Prince Al-bert to act in his place.

ning 11 games and losing only one so far this season, and the quintet is traveling great guns.

Following are the scores registered

Multnomah Club House League Bowling Standings.

OREGON TRAINER TO CARE FOR "DEVIL DOGS" " ELEVEN.

Mare Islanders Desire to Be Put in

Good Condition for Coming Football Contests. UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene,

Or., Dec. 13 .- (Special.) -Trainer "Bill" Hayward, of the University of Oregon will help round the Mare Island Marines into shape for their two games in the South, Christmas and Year's. Trainer Hayward received a telegram from the Marines yesterday in which they asked the Oregon trainer to name his terms. Mr. Hayward at once sent his terms and expects to pack his grip and depart for the Sunny South for the holidars.

This will make the second season

that Mr. Hayward has worked with the "Devil Dogs," as he and Hugo Bezdek, coach of the Oregon eleven last season, spent last Christmas getting the Marines in shape for their tangle with the Camp Lewis eleven. As the Ma-rines' team is being quached by "Lone-star" Dietz, it is not known whether "Shy" Huntington will be asked to accompany Mr. Hayward or not. Inasmuch as there are two old Ore

ning 11 games and losing only one so outcome of the games.

far this season, and the quintet is traveling great guns.

Team No. 2 is in second place with Team No. 2 is in second place, with day and the Great Lakes Naval Train-nine victories and three losses to their ing Station team in Pasadena on New Year's.

of in Friday night's contests on the club RAY FISHER IS DISCHARGED

Club House League Bowns, Standings.

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12 108 Fitcher Ray Fisher, of the Yankees, has been mustered out of the service and has returned to his home in Middlebury, Vt., where he will remain until time for the Yankees to leave for the Yankees the Southland in the Spring.
Fisher enlisted in the Army in December, 1917, and was sent with other recruits to Fort Slocum. He got no further, as he was appointed to the position of athletic director at the fort and held the post up to the time of his discharge.

GOLFERS TO MAKE DETOUR

Terwilliger Boulevard Closed and Heights Route Substituted.

W. D. Scott, chairman of the tournament committee at the Portland Golf Club, put in a busy day yesterday notifying the members of Portland, Tualatin and Waverley Clubs owning automobiles who plan on playing in tomorrow's match for the Portland Club trophy that they should drive to the club via Portland Heights on ac-309 2416 count of Terwilliger boulevard being

losed to traffic in order to repair a wooden bridge.

A large turnout is expected in tomorrow's match. The beautiful trophy
donated by John G. Llemson and known
as the Portland Golf Club trophy, is

one of the most valuable trophies ever offered for competition on a Portland Fifteen players from each club will contest in tomorrow's match for the Portland cup and the Nassau system of scoring will govern the match, Each player will have two opponents. The three clubs will compete in match play. to qualifying round being played.

TENNIS RANKING IS MADE

Question of Whether Murray or Tilden II Shall Lead Settled. NEW YORK, Dec. 13 .- The executive

mmittee of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association met here to-day to discuss the question of whether William Tilden II, or R. Lindley Muray, the Californian, is entitled to head the list of 15 ranking players. No an-nouncement will be made as to the lecision reached until tomorrow. President George T. Adee, who had seen serving as a Major in France until ie was discharged from the service

ew days ago, presided at the meeting Bosion Pitcher Dies.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Dec. 13 .- Frank Arellanes, 34 years old, for two seasons a pitcher for the Boston American League team, and former star slab per-

The President's name originally was Woodrow Wilson. dropped the Thomas about the time he



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