

2 CITIES TO DIVIDE  
BEST SWIM

Portland and Seattle Both  
Have Events.

NEW PLAN IS EVOLVED

Tiresome Programmes to Be Eliminated—Polo and Diving Promised to Keep Up Interest.

BY HARRY EDDAS.

Swimming took a big jump towards becoming a major sport in the northwest when the officials of the Pacific Northwest association of the Amateur Athletic union decided to divide the Pacific Northwest association meet into two parts, one to be held at Seattle and the other at Portland.

Heretofore the indoor meet has been held in one evening and the programme has been a rather tiresome one and rather tiresome from both the spectators' and contestants' viewpoint.

A swimmer entered in the 50-yard event puts all his strength into winning that race and before he has fully recovered, the 100 or 200-yard event is called. If he is entered also in that race, he can not make as good a showing as he otherwise might.

Polo and Diving Interests. Most of the associations of the Amateur Athletic union are now sectional championship events at a time, featuring the event on the programme, generally with a polo game or a diving meet to fill out the programme. This goes a long way toward keeping interest alive in the sport.

Victoria, B. C. has been chosen for the outdoor swim of the Pacific Northwest association for the third consecutive year. This was pleasing news to the Multnomah club swimmers who enjoy making the trip north. The hospitality of the Victorians cannot be excused.

Golden Gate Swim Held. As the finale of the most strenuous summer as a champion swimmer, Stubby Kruger won the Golden Gate swim yesterday. Stubby was the favorite of all who had watched the boy in training for the past two weeks. He took to the waters of the Golden Gate every afternoon. Kruger had hoped to set a record for the Golden Gate swim in 29 minutes and 44 seconds, which was set by Walter Pomeroy of the Olympic club in 1912, but was deterred by a heavy fog which threatened to carry all the swimmers against the rocky sides of Alcatraz. Nevertheless the time of 27 minutes 23 seconds was made by Stubby yesterday will stand for some time to come.

Many well-known swimmers have not made as good time in the transbay swim as did Kruger yesterday. On October 3, 1917, Arthur Cavill, recently instructor at Multnomah made the trip in 31 minutes and 45 seconds, while Walter Pomeroy, present record holder made the distance again in 41 minutes 35 seconds on September 23, 1914.

National Title In Won. Stubby has indeed had a lively summer, having won the national junior 100-yard in 37.3-5, a mile in 21:15, a 2000-yard in 1:12:15, the national mile swim in 25 minutes 31.1-5 seconds; taking third in the national long-distance race in 1:12:15, the new record in the Middle Atlantic association for the 220; won several 100 and 200-yard swims in the middle west on his way home to Seattle and yesterday won the Golden Gate swim. The showing is remarkable considering that this is Kruger's first year in competitive swimming. Kruger won all the world titles in the back stroke and now he is after the free-style events.

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Ross will leave on October 14 for Honolulu for the mid-Pacific swimming events. Here he will be pitted against the Duke, Ludy Langer and John Kehil in the 100-yard. The entry is not "long" distance, but he has always wanted to and perhaps will keep on trying to beat the Duke at his favorite distance, the 100-yard.

After returning from the islands, the prospects of Ross going to Detroit are in doubt, for a trip is under consideration that will take him to trails to compete with the best in the Antipodes.

How to Play Golf.

THROUGH the green and particularly in approach shots, guard against the hurrying habit. Very often when approaches, especially short ones, are not just right, you will find that a line more deliberation, generally in the back swing, will all that is needed to put you into form again.

The same applies to bunker play. Do not get excited when you see your ball in a bunker and rush over to it and try to whack it out anyway. There is always some direction easier than others to get out of a bunker, and it is not always towards the hole. Remember the secret of good bunker play is not getting startling shots out of them, but to get out as cheaply as possible, never exceeding your appointed allowance of one stroke to play out.

Also take time to examine the kind of ground you are likely to land on when the ball goes out. One sometimes sees people play out of one trap into another or into very heavy grass, just because they do not stop to size up the situation properly. But after you have sized it up deliberately and made your decision, act promptly and keep to the one idea, without thinking whether some other shot might be better. If you hit a shot which may not have been the wisest, but which is played cleanly

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Professional Sprinters to Meet.

A series of professional sprint races in which "Flash" Donaldson, the famous Australian sprinter, will meet Nat Armstrong, the former Penn flyer, and Hal Holland, the old Xavier A. star, is being arranged in New Jersey. The contest may be the foremost runner of many professional races this winter. Hence it behooves the contestants to see that the races are honestly and squarely run. If they are not the "pros" will kill the goose that lays the golden eggs.

BATH HOUSE PUG LOSES

COWLER RECEIVES HAND DRUBBING IN BAY CITY.

Jack Grant Is Trying to Match Alex

Trambitas With Joe Rivers

for Welterweight Go.

BY HARRY M. GRAYSON.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Tom Cowler, who gained his start when Jim Corbett picked him up in Jack King's bath house in Portland several years ago, is in the San Francisco pugilistic scrap heap, because of his miserable showing last night against Jack Thompson, a big black man who has had trouble getting fights hereabouts, as all the well-known heavyweights were afraid of him.

Cowler when he entered the ring in the Oakland auditorium appeared to be frightened to death and kept running away until at the end of the third round fully one-half of the 5000 folk present were standing on their feet shouting "fake" and "frameup." Up to that time, Thompson, who either bulled last night or else is not what he has been cracked up to be, had more or less mauled the giant Englishman. Cowler stepped out in the fourth and, although he made his best showing in this round, lost the decision by a wide margin.

The best bout of the night was the one between Oakland Jimmy Duffy, who used to entertain Portland fans a few years back, and Monk Fowler, welterweights. It was a hurricane draw. George Lee, 120-pound Japanese boy, won the match with Murray when the latter quit cold in the third round. Murray substituted for Young Fitzsimmons. Al Grinan was awarded a decision over Jack Davis. Harry Hedy and Johnny Nunes fought to a draw. Frankie McCann left-handed himself to a victory over Bud Atkins, and Jimmy Hixson knocked out Johnny Myers in the second round.

Jimmy Darcy of Portland has been signed to box Harry Ortega in Oakland on October 15. Jack Fabbie, who is here with Darcy and his welterweight brother, Alex Trambitas, has received a challenge from Jack Grant, the Portland matchmaker, for Alex to box Joe Rivers in Portland on October 22. Fabbie has accepted and is hoping to get a good match. Grant and Trambitas Manager Fabbie that Rivers' services have been obtained, the Fabbie party will leave for the Rose City.

GONZAGA STAR IS COACH

"CHUCK" MORIARTY IS ADDED TO WASHINGTON STAFF.

Bob Abel Is Another New Member of Hunt's Agregation—Turnout for Football Large.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Owing to the large number of football players both varsity and freshmen teams that the university has ever had, "Chuck" Moriarty and Bob Abel have been added to the coaching staff. Moriarty and Abel will handle the freshmen exclusively, while Coach Allison will handle the varsity. This enables Coach Hunt to look over the army of football aspirants more closely and enables him to get better results. Both Moriarty and Abel are seniors in law at the university. Abel is a former star on Dobie's fighting machine at the University of Washington during the seasons of '15, '16 and '17 and also played on freshman varsity in his first year. "Chuck," as he will be better remembered in gridiron circles, is the same fighting Irishman who held down a position at tackle for Gonzaga for four years and in his senior year was chosen tackle on Camp's all-American second team. "Chuck" was one of the most popular and best football men ever produced the moleskins in the northwest and his addition to the coaching staff at the university adds much to the promise for a fighting gang of freshmen.

The freshmen have begun real work and are hitting the line every night. Some star backfield material has been uncovered, as well as a husky bunch of linemen. Several freshmen are fighting it out for punting honors and one is being tested for the position of holder down the field. The coaches refuse, however, to divulge the names of the shining lights at present.

Champion Offered Match in Paris. NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Champion Pete Herman has just been offered a big incentive to go to Paris and fight Charlie LeDoux, the French champion, in a 10-round bout for the world's bantamweight title some time in December. Sammy Goldman, manager of Herman, declares that he will accept the match providing that Herman is successful in defending his title in a bout at New Orleans on Thanksgiving night.

Benny Leonard Offered Match. DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Matchmaker A. C. Werbe of the Rollo Palace rink of Detroit is ready to post a 5000 dollar check of \$5000 as an inducement to Champion Benny Leonard to box Willie Jackson of the Bronx, who defeated Ralph Brady at his club a few nights ago. It is unlikely that the match will be consummated, for Jackson will not box unless his opponents are required to make 150 pounds ringside.

Douglas Legion Plans Drive.

ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—The Roseburg post of the American Legion met last night for the purpose of preparing plans for the membership drive in Douglas county. One of the features will be a patriotic ball, the music to be furnished by a dance orchestra entirely of ex-service men. Several unique stunts will be put on by the local legion and it is expected that the 500 members desired from this county will be obtained within the few days of the drive.

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Bunched Hits in Three Innings Account for Defeat Over Minnesota Invaders.

LOS ANGELES, Cal. Oct. 8.—Vernon won the first game of the western minor league championship series here today from St. Paul, 7 to 1. Free hitting and loose playing featured the contest.

More than 7000 fans saw the Vernon team break through the St. Paul fence in the first inning. Joe Finneran, who hurled for the local team, was hit hard.

The Vernon Tigers bunched their hits in three innings. In the fifth inning Pitcher Merritt of the Saints injured his hand when he knocked down Meusel's terrific line drive and was retired from the game. Williams, who took his place on the mound, was much more effective. He was charged with only three hits for the remainder of the contest.

Meusel scored in the first inning, when Merritt walked Mitchell, the first man up. Chadbourne sacrificed and Meusel tripled. Meusel scored a minute later on Hyatt's single.

Meusel, leading Vernon hitter, came through with another score in the fourth frame.

The Tigers' heaviest onslaught came in the fifth inning, when Finneran, Mitchell, Fisher and Meusel scored. The St. Pauls' lone rally came in the third inning. Riggett singled, took second when Chadbourne fumbled the ball and scored on Hyatt's single.

ROYAL MAC TAKES PURSE

COX OUTDRIVES DODGE FOR CASTLETON STAKE.

Tommy Direct Leads Field in First Division of 2:08 Trot; Pacers' Time Slow.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 8.—The Castleton, for trotters of the 2:07 class, was the feature of the races today and went to Royal Mac after a gruelling contest in which the favorite and Hollywood Kate fought out the finish, with Murphy outdriving Dodge, the owner of the mare.

The time of the race was slow, the weather being cold, with a slight mist falling.

The first race, the first division of the 2:08 class trotting, was won by Tommy Direct, who led the field in the first and second heats. The Substance winning the third.

The second division was a drawn-out affair, Herrod's Creek, the extreme outsider, winning the second and fourth heats in slow time, outdriving the favorite, Herrod's Creek.

Baroness Edgewood won the 2:13 class for pacers easily in slow time. Summary:

2:08 Trotting, \$1000.—Tommy Direct, b. m. (McDonald), 1 3 0 The Substance, b. m. (Stokes), 4 4 1 Ed H. Kirk, b. m. (Edman), 2 8 4 Genry C. ch. s. (Edman), 2 8 4 Emma Magowan, Little Jack, Miss Perfection and Peter Dallas also started. Herrod's Creek, ch. m. (Engle), 1 2 1 Golden Spler, ch. m. (Stokes), 1 3 2 Golden Spler, b. m. (Byrd), 1 3 2 Mary Magowan, b. m. (Ray), 2 6 4 0 Time, 2:08, 2:08 1/2. Herrod's Creek and Baroness Edgewood also started. Royal Mac, b. s. (Murphy), 1 1 1 Herrod's Creek, b. m. (Engle), 3 3 5 Tom Todd, blk. m. (Pleming), 3 3 5 Boston, m. g. (Cott), 2 7 1 1 Peter June, Bay's Lassie and Baroness Edgewood also started. 2:13 Class Trotting, \$1000.—(Childs), 1 1 1 Miss Zola Zombro, b. m. (Hodrick), 5 2 3 Mr. Patch, b. m. (Demper), 5 2 3 2 2 Time, 2:05 1/2, 2:06 1/2. Herrod's Creek, Main Direct and Silver Tip also started.

CONTEST AWARDS MADE

Winners in Poultry Culling Event Are Announced.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—J. T. Huntley of Independence and Clarence Williams of Halsey were proclaimed winners of the poultry culling contest held at the college September 18, results having just been announced. Mr. Huntley, who was successful in picking the best layer and also the poorest in each group. Approximately 250 poultry enthusiasts attended the all-day meeting and 41 persons took part in the contest.

Besides the winners of the prizes, there was but one person who picked the best layer—Bertha J. Beck of Albany. W. H. Fuller of Portland and Alfred Abraham of Albany picked the poorest in each group and picked for the best layer the hen that was second highest in egg production.

Huge Black Wolf Killed.

LOUIS SIMPSON, of Wendling yesterday exhibited in Eugene the hide of a huge black wolf which he killed near the lumber town a few days ago. He says the wolf came up within 50 yards of him and stopped and looked at him. Wolves are seldom seen in that locality and a black variety is said to be very scarce.

World Prohibition Drive On.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Dr. Louis Albert Banks will speak on "Worldwide Prohibition" tonight at the Methodist church in Chehalis. Dr. Banks is one of a number of public speakers sent out on a national campaign to rouse interest in world prohibition.

Restaurant Keeper Fined.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Home-made beer is receiving attention from officials whose business it is to enforce the prohibition law. Ma. Sing, a restaurant keeper in Marshfield, was fined \$100 for having seven bottles of liquor which when analyzed showed 3 per cent of alcohol.

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CAR PROBE TO BE MADE

SHORTAGE COMPLAINT BRINGS FEDERAL INVESTIGATOR.

Oregon Caves Road Project Without Funds—Army-Navy Examinations Are Announced.

(Charles C. Hart is in charge of the Oregonian news bureau, Washington, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Investigation of the car shortage in the lumber industry in western Washington is to be made personally by a representative of the railroad administration who left here tonight for the north Pacific coast. Robert Allen of Seattle, representing the West Coast Lumbermen's association, arrived here today and will appear at the railroad administration to say that the lumber business of western Washington is being stifled by inability to obtain cars.

It is denied by the railroad administration today that the shortage of refrigerator cars for handling the apple crop at Hood River had grown serious. With reference to this complaint Director-General Hines said that all demands have been met notwithstanding calls for 25,000 cars to save the grape crop of California, which heretofore has been used for making wine.

Everything possible will be done to meet the requirements, not only at Hood River, but the other producing sections," said Director-General Hines, "and while I am glad to hear that there may not be some shortages in filling the current orders from day to day, I do feel that we are going to be able to meet the movement without loss of the product."

Increased costs of building in Oregon, as elsewhere, make it impossible for the United States forest service to allot any funds this year for the construction of the Oregon caves road in Josephine county, the chief forester advised Senator Chamberlain today.

He said the state highway commission of Oregon was in no better position to give aid, and that the prospect for taking up the project next year are not good unless there is additional federal appropriation for road building.

Representative Sinnott announced today that competitive civil service examinations for applications for admission to the Oregon coast school at West Point will be held November 15 at The Dalles, Bend, Pendleton, Baker, Gresham, Ontario, Lakeview and Klamath Falls.

Connection of Rocky Mountains and Northwest Is Plan. HOOD RIVER, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Aboard their big yellow automobiles the party of National Park officials, accompanied by present citizens interested in the development of well-marked highways connecting the national playgrounds of the Rockies and mountains of the Pacific Northwest, arrived here today to examine the Hood River valley, which will be on the great National Park highway swing, one of the most appealing places to visit in the west since leaving Denver. Accompanied by officials of the commercial club and local citizens, the party was taken for a tour of the orchards, where harvest is now in full swing, before they left for central Oregon.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR MEET

Frank Page Expects Large Gathering for Commandery.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Knights Templar from different parts of the state began coming in today for the state commandery, which convenes in this city tomorrow. It is expected by Frank A. Page, eminent commander of Ivanhoe commandery, that a number of visiting automobiles from Bandon and other coast points not convenient to the railroad.

Complete arrangements were made yesterday for the luncheon at the Hotel Osburn at noon Thursday and dinner at the same place at 8 in the evening. The women in the visiting party will be entertained at Nimrod on the upper McKenzie river, while their husbands and fathers are transacting the business of the commandery. They will return to the city in time to join the Knights at dinner.

FRESHMAN CLASS ELECTS

Willamette Newcomers Are 150 Strong.

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY, Salem, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—After a deliberation of two weeks to allow members to become better acquainted the 123 freshmen elected officers yesterday. Those entrusted to lead the fresh are: President, Verne Ferguson, Bremerton, Wash.; vice-president, Marjorie Fiegel, Portland; secretary, Esther Paroungian, Salem; treasurer, Orlo Gillett, Tangent; athletic manager and yearling, Walter Spoolofsky, Salem; sergeant-at-arms, Harland Allington, Tacoma, Wash.; class reporter, Dean Hattan, Spokane. The annual song, "Constance McClean, Roseburg." The class roll now contains about 150 names.

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ALLIES CONTROL GERMANY

Congressman Disputes Statement of Morgenthau.

BERLIN, Tuesday, Oct. 8.—(By the Associated Press.)—Fred A. Britten, United States congressman, who has been in this city for some time, takes issue with Henry Morgenthau, who recently expressed the view that "Germany undoubtedly will resort to arms within a few years and regain her lost territory."

Mr. Britten said he could not understand the statement, adding: "At the present the Germans are wholly under the control of the Allies. Germany is down and out and a return to militarism in the old sense is out of the question, for no other reason because the government prevails against it."

MURDER MYSTERY GROWS

Hood River Constable Fails to Identify Victim's Body.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Constable Olinger who has been assisting Coroner Anderson in an investigation of the case of a man found near Dee, who apparently had been murdered, has learned that the victim was not H. Grell, Portland restaurant owner. Grell had been accustomed to visit the district annually and the body of the man corresponded to a description of him. Portland police authorities, however, have notified Mr. Olinger that Grell has been located.

Clews that may lead to an identity of the murdered man are very slight and the mystery will likely remain unsolved.

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ENROLLMENT NEARLY TWICE 1916 ATTENDANCE.

Increase in Various Departments Causes Hurry Call to Be Sent for Instructors.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—Enrollment at the college passed the 2800 mark today. This is approximately double the enrollment for the same date in 1916, the last normal school year. The S. O. S. call has gone out for teachers. Due to unprecedented influx of students in several departments for the purpose of preparing the force is required to work overtime. Instructors are needed especially in physics, English, commerce and engineering.

Professors report that a better grade of work is being done by students than has been the case this early in the school year. Hundreds of men who were in military service are said to have put away boyish ideas and are attending college for the purpose of preparing themselves efficiently for life work.

Arrangements are being made to have the college library open to students each Sunday from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M. This is expected to prove of great benefit to those students whose facilities for study are limited. For the purpose of making possible healthful relaxation for men of the college, a plan is being considered to have the gymnasium open every afternoon. Everything possible is being done for the comfort and welfare of the students.

RESALE OF ARMY SURPLUS IS FORBIDDEN.

Complaints Are Received That Thefts of Merchandise Are Becoming Frequent Near Store.

Officials in charge of the quartermaster's government stores are keeping close tab on purchases made in suspiciously large quantities. Goods on sale in the stores are intended only for the consumer and it will be extremely difficult, say the government men, for dealers to get articles in any quantity for resale without detection. Resale of the government goods is forbidden.

Reports of thefts of goods from the government stores are becoming rather numerous. The thefts are generally perpetrated when some enthusiastic purchaser of three or more cases of property and gear carries these out, one at a time, and leaves them at the side entrance. There are guards at the entrance but it is not a part of their duties to watch over articles that have been sold. Patrons are urged to bear in mind that the government cannot protect the property and is not responsible in case it is carried away.

The store is handicapped by slow arrival of promised goods. During the past two days no new goods have arrived and supplies of many articles have been depleted. There has been no canned corn to offer since the day the store opened.

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