sumes Major Proportions.

BEAVERS NOW SURE

lempsey Signs and May Be Brought West.

EW BLUE STILL SULKS

Peeved Because of Belief He Is Major League Caliber.

If Lew Blue decides not to sign his entract to play first base for the ortland Coast league club, Manager forcedie will not have to station a ater bucket or a bat bag on the idal sack. Lee Dempsey, first base-in on the Portland Northwest league the a couple of seasons ago, sent in signed contract yesterday and may ught west to do first base duty orought west to do live base day.

of course, if Blue comes down off
high-hobby horse and accepts the
per month rise offered him by
judge, Dempsey may be disposed
to some class B organization.

beinpaey is wintering in the middle st. Last year he played in the ree-Eye league or some similar gue in the central states. Blue Is Sulky.

lue is said to be quite sulky be-se Portland did not sell him to a for league club last fall. The cks declare that no club offered in anything for Blue but Lew read newspapers that a New York wanted him and intended of-the McCredies the Woolworth

Speaking of finances, the Pacific rnational league to the north of seems to have raised plenty of carry it along until begins to sere in mid

depending to Stub Neison, sports to of the Tacoma Ledger, who sited Portland for the boxing bouts seeday night, Astoria is more than iding her own financially. The bugs Astoria are so stirred up over the espects of seeing some real class B eball that they have guaranteed ry visiting club a minimum of And further, the Astorians are

g more than the others' share railroad transportation. Clubs Guarantee \$1000.

All the transportation of the league to be pooled except from Kalama Astoria and this stretch of travel Astorians have volunteered to

and themselves. Each club has posted a guarantee \$1800 and \$250 of this amount is to set aside to assist any indigent ub that may need help. This will we the league a fund of \$1500 to re-

ive the league a fund of \$1500 to reeve temporary distress, besides a
nking fund of \$4500 from the balnce of the forfeit money.
It is planned to open the season
ay 5 and close on Labor day. The
ext meeting of the league heads will
held tomorrow at Tacoma. It declose that Dave Hillyard has not
een chosen to manage Seattle. Three
em are candidates—Gus Fisher, Mike
yach and Hillyard

Tub Spencer declares he intends go-

His 1920 dream is that Portland will

be one-two in the pennant race this year, thus winning the left spur for the championetin nightmare.

This rare gift of dreaming probably is not so much due to with spirits as to rubbing elbows with charley horse liniment.

OLYMPIC COMMITTEE CHOSEN

Choice of Athletes to Represent U. S. to Be by Competition.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26 .- A committee to cam to represent America in Belgium as been chosen by the Amateur Ath-elic Uniton, according to Colonel John Clinnin, president of the central de-

rip to Belgium is to be entirely by competition. The final tryouts of the anddie west will be held the last reck of June and the first week in

Winners of the preliminary contests will go east to compete with winners of meets there and from these and men selected in Pacific coast tryouts will be chosen the three men for each

HENT TO QUIT POST MARCH 1

Coach of University of Washington to Return to Alma Mater

SHATTLE, Feb. 28.—Claude J. Jump Hunt, University of Wash-Jump Hunt, University of Wash-ngton athletic couch, will leave his sout March 1, it was announced here Hunt recently resigned to return to

his former position as director of athletics at Carlton college, North-field, Minn.

VETS SPONSORS FOR SMOKER

sensational Event Promised by

Company C, 162d Infantry. C company Vets, 162 United State infantry, a unit of the Multnomah guard club, are sponsors for the club's third menthly smoker to be staged in the club's rooms. Chamber of Comce building, Tuesday, March 2.

ARBITER ROSTER COMPLETED BY SIGNING OF PERLE CASEY

McCarthy Undertakes Method of Harmonizing Umpire Work by Introducing New Method in Coast League.

PERLE CASET received a telegram from President McCarthy of the Pacific Coast league a day or two ago offering him his old job as umpire and Perle's acceptance probably means

The four holdover umpires signed are: Billy Phyle, a Coast league veteran; Jimmy Toman of Los Angeles, a familiar figure in the lengue; Perle Casey of Portland, one of the very best in the circuit, and Mel Eason, who worked in the Coast league last season.

The new men: Ollie Anderson of the

About three quarters of a league isn't worth n resident's troubles are caused by the mpiring situation and it will be in-

Lieutenant Harry Hansen, chairman for the event, promises a sensational STANFORD AFTER COACH card, and it is whispered that Oscar Carlson, the 145-pound sensation of 1916, will again don the mits, in which case something extraordinary

which case something extraordinary can be looked for.

The Multinoman Amateur Athletic club will send several wrestlers and boxers. Refreshments are to be served and admittance is free to club capitalises. Capitain-elect of Eleven, Local Athrespokers, their friends and all exservice men.

SHOOT TO BE HELD SUNDAY

Everding Park to Be Scene of Third

Manager Essick of the Vernon FIRST CONTEST MARCH 4

and Perle's acceptance probably means the retirement of Bill Guthrie. McCarthy has been negotiating with Guthrie for several weeks, but Guthrie says some friends of his have offered him a business proposition and the salary proffered by the league isn't enough to warrant turning it down.

McCarthy's offer to Casey and his acceptance completes the corps of your income tax or the month's laun-McCarthy's offer to Casey and his of your ball club than to dria. about acceptance completes the corps of Coast league arbiters. The new league dry bill. Walter McCredie has executive started with the idea of importing four new umpires to work with four holdovers who are familiar with players and co. of those and patent milking machines and every now and then he throws a dream about having a whole ball club. Then Mack wakes up and with a to have been completed.

Major Leaguers Sign.

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lete. Is Optimistic While on Visit With Parents.

"Pret" Holt, captain-elect of the 1929 Stanford university football team, into the insurance business at burg, idaho. Spencer tried to mather the sale to Sacramento and a he notified the Salt Lake maniment that he would not play in alle or Portland.

The third merchandise shoot of the season will be held Sunday at the Portland Gun club over the Everding Park traps Five prizes will be up to the lucky trapshoots and a big turnout is expected.

Second Clash March 10-Both Teams Have Outside Tossers to

quintet will meet in a three-game series for the city championship. Manwhere the validity of a contract be-tween boxer and manager is rec-ognized and upheld. Joe Beckett re-cently chucked his manager, Bernard Mortimer, and Mortimer immediately instituted accompanies. ler, who handles the business affairs instituted proceedings with the result that his lordship "granted an injunction in the terms of the motion."
While not thoroughly schooled in international law, we imagine this means The new men: Oilie Anderson of the American association: Ted McGrew of the Virginia and Western leagues. H. E. Holmes of the Western leagues and William J. Byron, the singing umpire, late of the National league. Eason and Byron are both former major league umpires.

The passing of Guthrie will be regretted by the fans becaus. Bill has always done good work. He wintered in San Francisco.

Umpiring is important.

About three quarters of a league president's troubles are caused by the fans becaused by the content of the manager. Had becket the manager. Had becket the manager. Had becket now lisn't worth much more than a wildcat oil venture.

Stake, ass night, and the venture test will be staged on March at the yundle in international law, we imagine this means that Becket will have to pungle up played March 10 on the home floor of the Parkway team at the Brail Brith the manager. Had becket windows.

Fifty per cent of the earnings is a league to the manager. Had becket the manager. Had becket now lisn't worth much more than a wildcat oil venture.

In the content of a league president's troubles are caused by the bumpfring situation and it will be interesting to watch how McCarthy makes out this year. He has shown wisdom in bringing in some new men because poor umpiring was the chief complaint against Allan T. Baumé to throw their managers overboard at the ellightest change in the fistic barometer. Johnny Dundee chucked his manager not long ago after taking him out to Minneapolis.

Perhaps Bill Guthrie is striking for rubber pop-bottles.

The United States Golf association acted wisely in holding back its championship dates until i received there. The dates selected—National open August 10, 11, 12, 12. Iverness there is the championship dates until it received in the championship sore in the dates for the championships of popen August 10, 11, 12, 12. Iverness club, Toledo; National unateur, September 6-11. Roslyn, R. I., and National women's October 4-9. Earfield club, Cleveland—fit in nicely with the British dates. The British open begins June 5 and the amateur June 28.

The Western Golf association, as the definite work of the amateur June 28.

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irst time this season against Chemaws, the Parkway boys are ready to carry the fight to the Indians and wipe out the only defeat marked up against them this season.

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RANGE INTEREST IS BIGGER Work of Rifle Men at U. of W. As-

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—Activities on the rifle fange are assuming major proportions on the list of university sports. Albert Baker has been elected captain of the rifle team, chosen by all men who shot in the first intercollegiate match on February 14. Baker has managed the team and acted as captain this year. He also

acted as captain this year. He also is shooting high score.

The team which qualified to shoot in the next match is composed of Baker. Hill, Davis, Styer, Schoffield, Singer, Selton, Morrison, Brokaw and McKinley.

Weldon Wing May Meet Archie Stoy.

Weldon Wing May Meet Archie Stoy WILLAMETTE IS BESTED at Aberdeen Soon if Doctors Say All Is Well.

IDAHO HOOPERS RUN AWAY BY RICHARD R. SHARP. WITH GAME, 50-23. Old man Influenza scored two one round knockouts yesterday, and while

PARKWAY DEFEATS STANDIFER Quintet From Vancouver Loses

wipe out the only defeat marked up against them this season.

The Standifer five of Vancouver make Guard five some first one of the strongest combinations that it has gone up against this season. The legion team has been cleaning up on all of the Williameter valley hoopers and holds two victories over the fast Dallas five. The latest achievement of the Newberg boys was a recent of the Newberg

Hunter Scores Nine Pield Baskets and 10 Free Throws—Victors'
Defense Is Stonewall.

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Brooklyn welterweight, is shown as easy victory over Will ame to tonight, 50 to 23. Hunter alone he goal of the provided in the sound in a good in the field baskets and compared the sound in the sound in the sound in field baskets and compared the sound in th

news from the east. It will be re-membered that Jackson was the boy who put Johnny down for the count in one round several years ago, there-by breaking into the top-notch class. As the result of the trick, Jackson's

DOBIE WILL LEAVE NAVY The Dalles Plans Baseball Team.

Cornell Gets Coach of Sailors Who

Declines Contract.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 26.—Reports that Gilmour Dobie, for three years coach of the naval academy football and the search of the naval academy football and the n

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 26.—Reports that Gilmour Dobie, for three years coach of the naval academy football team, would leave the naval academy team, would leave the naval academy for Cornell were confirmed tonight. Doble has been released by the executive committee of the naval athletic association from his contract, which still has a year to run. He has signed to take charge of the team at Cornell for the next three years. Doble applied to be released and was asked to name terms upon which he would sign a three-year contract. he would sign a three-year contract at the naval academy. He declined.

SUN DODGER ROWERS OUT Crew Practices Held With Eye on

Poughkeepsie Regatta.

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UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.
Seattle, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—With the
big regatta at Poughkeepsie as an incentive this year. Washington's crewmen are working with a vim not
equaled since the war. Coach Ed
Leader, veteran of the purple and gold
crew which finished third at the 1814
Hudson river regatta, is training his
proteges with especial care, and report has it that he will place emphasis on long sprinting qualities, as
critics maintain that Washington
would have won the classic that year
if the final spurt had been made soon
enough. Captain Toney Branden-

Infielder Reported Fastest in

U. of W. and Pullman to Meet
Some Time in March.
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.
Seattle, Feb. 28.—(Special)—Postponement of the date of the wrestling tournament with Washington
State college, scheduled for Thursday, boosts Washington's chance of a
victory. Captain Hal Johnson of the
varsity grapplers is temporarile
the mat on account from the date of the wrester and the graph of the Pacific Coast league. The latter three are first basemen.

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varsity grappiers is temporarily off the mat on account of an injured cial)—Saturday night the Centralia foot. Johnson wresties in the 145-nound class and is a veteran tutored teams will class on the local floor. foot. Johnson wrestles in the 145pound class and is a veteran tutored
in his earlier stages by Jimmy Arbuthnot, former Sun Dodger mat
cosch, now at O. A. C.

The date of the meet with the
farmers has been set for some time
in March.

and Eatonville high school basketball
teams will clash on the local floor.
Interest is added to the game by the
visiting five, was formerly principal
for Centralia high school. Tomorfarmers has been set for some time
in March.

Mitchell Defeats Australian.

THE DALLES, Or., Feb. 26,-(Spe-

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 26,-Richle MILWAUKEE, Wis, Feb. 56.—Richie Mitchell, Milwaukee, tonight scored a technical knockout over Lew Edwards, lightweight champion of Australia, at the start of the seventh session of a ten-round, no-decision contest. Mitchell floored the Australian for a nine-count in the second and sixth rounds and tipped him over for a count of two in the third.

College Athletes Entered.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Nearly a score of colleges and universities will enter athletes in the Amateur Athletic Union national indoor track and field championships here March 13. University of Pennsylvania has made the greatest number of entries. Holland Enters Challenge. LONDON, Feb. 28.—Holland has en-tered a challenge for the Davis lawn tennis cup held by Australasis, it was announced by the Lawn Tennis as-

Salem Ball Fund Raised.



CRITICS RIGHT'--HOOVER





corner. Good rods and reels will be scarce. Just now we have a good assortment. Better drop in.

The season is just around the

Backus&Morris ce won the classic that fear is spurt had been made soon SALEM. Or., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—Captain Toney Branden-, Hiddle Bishop, manager of the Sen- 273 MORRISON, NEAR FOURTH

PINGERS. OH! ISAID NO CLEANINGS RECESS -AND BEING INTERNED WITH THE TEACHER WHILE A LIVELY GAME OF MARBLES IS GOING ON RIGHT OUT THE WINDOW.