RAIN AGAIN HALTS BEAVERS' PRACTICE

McCredie Wishes He Had His Hip Boots Along.

EACH DAY SEEMS SAME

Abbreviated Practice Period, However, Gives Portland Players a Chance to Unlimber.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. ONTARIO, Cal., March 26.—(Special.)—Southern California has had more than 16 inches of rainfall since the Harvard-Oregon football game, and bath water is still coming at the rate of nearly two inches a day. Mc-Credie wishes now that he had brought his hip boots along. He is afraid if he gets wet on certain portions of the anatomy adjacent to the hips, some of the splinters, absorbed during his solourn on the Ontario benches, may begin sprouting eucalyptus bushes. The eucalyptus is a very prolific bush, growing eight and nine feet in a few days, and Mc-Credie figures it might be unbecom ing to have a nine-foot gum tree trailing along behind him like a St. Bernard's tail. Wet and drear weather kept the boys in the hotel lobby his morning, and interrupted the afternoon practice after the Portland athletes had been out long enough to "crock" up two of them through injuries. Wes Kingdon and Fred Libke were

the unfortunate casualties. Libke went down and out with a sprained ankie caused by stubbling his toe on a rock while chasing a fly ball. Kingdon Hit on Mouth.

Kingdon's accident was minorgrounder took a had hop and caught the Los Angeles shortstop squarely on the mouth. Kingdon looked tonight as if he might have tried to commit and by the time the rest of the clubs suicide by drinking lodine, as his lips hit their stride we'll get additional were badly swollen and discolored. Strength from the Yanks. We're abbreviated practice session for our third straight pennant. this afternoon gave the players an opportunity to unlimber, and Trainer
Tom Howell declares that every man
will be ready when the season opens at Salt Lake April 6. In fact, Howell thinks the weather man is being good to Portland's play-

ers by acclimating them to Salt Lake Howell is the same person who communed with the spirits, Yogis cial.)—Two Seal stars are on the hosswamis or Mahatmas of the east one pital list today. Sam Agnew was operated on at a local hospital and walter McCredie that a certain 30-to-1 shot would win the suburban bedded deep in his left hand, between

Walker, but hasn't decided which offer to accept Carroll Jones arm is in such fine condition that there isn' a chance of him being sold or traded. Jones had a couple of bad teeth ex-

torpeaced whale, showing what the loss of surplus weight will do by way of speeding up an athlete. Harold Polson, the husky right-hander who came back from San An-tonio, will attempt to pitch the entire nine innings tomorrow against the fast team representing the Los An-geles Athletic club. Portland will play two games Sunday, the regulars here against Stahl and Dean and the yannigans at Colton. The big street dance has been set

for next Thursday and will be pre-ceded by a double-header in which the Beavers will be sent against some fast semi-pro aggregation.
No further releases were handed out today, and it is not expected that

the secretary of the gate with the greased hinges will have anything to do until Sunday night or blue Mon-WET FIELD HALTS ANGELS

Game Scheduled With Chicago Na-

tionals Is Called Off.

LOS ANGELES, March 26 .- (Special.)—Wet grounds forced Los Angeles to call off the scheduled game with the Chicago National league club at Washington park this afternoon. Vernon is billed to meet the Cubs to-merrow, with the Angels getting an-other try Sunday, when a double-

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today, "My for this place before the season starts or not," said Killifer today, "My pitching staff will hold me up." When the fiery-domed pilot made this remark he said a whole mouthful,

for with Bill Pertica, Ray Keating, Ot Crandall, Vic Aldridge and 'Toots' Schulty, right-handers, and Claude Thomas, Paul Fittery and Nick Dumovich, left-handers, he is sitting

ESSICK ADMITS WEAKNESS

Vernon Held Not as Strong as When It Beat St. Paul.

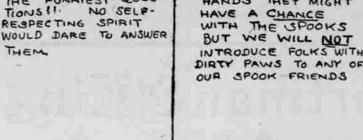
LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 25 .-(Special.)—With rain causing the Loys to knock off here today, Essick, leader of the Vernon club, admitted that the Bengals will face the sea-son a bit weaker than they were last fall when the St. Paul club was beaten

for the minor league title.
"It is impossible to replace a fel-low like Bobby Meusel," he explained.

WONDER WHAT AN OUIJA OUTFIT THINKS ABOUT?

HERE WE ARE. A FEW PIECES OF WOOD PUT TOGETHER- THEN A LITTLE PAINT AND SOME LETTERS - - . WITH IT AND THEN WE ARE ABLE TO CONVERSE WITH THE SPIRITS! CAN YOU BEAT IT ?

WE'RE SUPPOSED TO WE CERTAINLY DO PUT OVER SOME ITS ANSWER SOME OF THE FUNNIEST QUES-ROUGH STUFF A SHAME TO DO IT. RESPECTING SPIRIT BUT WE GET AWAY WOULD DARE TO ANSWER THEM





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THOIM YENT EDMAH

WE CAME OUT OF A FACTORY DOWN IN MARYLAND . POSSESSED OF OCCULT POWER RIGHT OFF THE RECL

PEOPLE PRETEND THEY PLAY OUR SPIRIT GAME JUST FOR FUN BUT THEY HAVE SUCH SERIOUS EXPRESSIONS

WELL THERE'S A LOT OF COMPANY COMING TONIGHT AND THEY'LL DRAG US OUT INSTEAD OF PLAYING THE PHONO-BT11669/1



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Neither Scaton Nor Agnew Are

Able to Play Just Now. STOCKTON, Cal., March 26 .- (Spe-

26.—(Special.)—Sheely's Swells beat Byler's Braves in the home club practice game this afternoon, the session

JAMES JOHN NOT TO BE IN LEAGUE THIS YEAR.

Interscholastic Play Will Start on April 16 and Will End May 28, Six Weeks in All.

in the circuit this year. James John dropped out because it has not enough material with which to build a team

qual to the other nines, The board of directors of the league must approve the schedule before it can be finally adopted. However, no hlich is expected. The directors will probably meet next week and the schedule will be submitted then. morrow, with the Angels getting another try Sunday, when a double-header may be staged.

Shortstop Jimmy McAuley has not yet come to terms, and it begins to look as if Wade Killifer will have to look to the majors for a short-fielder.

The terms will be crowded into six weeks of ball. All games scheduled for Mondays and Tuesdays will be played on either the East Twelfth and Davis street grounds or the Benson Tech field. The other games will be played on Multimomah field.

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The tentative schedule follows:
April 16—Columbia versus Lincoln.
April 19—Benson versus Commerce.
April 20—Franklin versus Commerce.
April 21—Hill versus Lincoln.
April 22—Washington versus Commerce.
April 23—Benson versus Jefferson.
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April 28—Washington versus Lincoln.
April 30—Benson versus Columbia.
May 4—Washington versus Columbia.
May 5—Hill versus Benson.
May 6—Jefferson versus Columbia.
May 7—Commerce versus Lincoln.
May 11—Columbia versus Washington.
May 12—Franklin versus Jefferson.
May 13—Lincoln versus Benson.
May 15—Franklin versus Hill.
May 17—Jefferson versus Washington.
May 18—Franklin versus Benson.
May 18—Franklin versus Benson.
May 20—Hill versus Washington.
May 21—Lincoln versus Hill.
May 22—Jefferson versus Hill.
May 23—Jefferson versus Columbia.
May 24—Franklin versus Hill.
May 25—Jefferson versus Commerce.
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May 25—Jefferson versus Franklin.
May 28—Hill versus Franklin.

Benefit Smoker Planned.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 26 .-(Special.)—A benefit smoker for the Elma baseball team will be held in "The only way you can do it is to develop a youngster, and they come like Meusel once in a decade. Red Smith will do a lot of long-range hitting for us, but he won't be on the bases as often as Meusel was.

"But we'll be in better shape than

WINGED M SHOW TONIGHT day defeated Oklahoma City 7 to 2. sylvania state, present titleholder, took the lead in the annual intercollegiate wrestling tournament here took Kansas City 7 13 1 Okla. City .. 2 9 3 night, qualifying five men for the

ANNUAL EXHIBITION TO BE GIVEN AT AUDITORIUM.

Dancing Scheduled After Windup of Two-Hour Programme. 400 Members to Take Part.

time about 26 years ago, and told Walter McCredic that a certain 36. Told shot would win the suburban handicap. At that time Howell was waiting on table in a southern loted where McCredic the state of the brief was training with Brooklyn.

McCredic Remons II Luck.

The horse won, and McCredic is stall in the series with the state of the properties of the pain.

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Overture, by Joffrey's orchestra; en-try of all classes; wand drill, first section junior boys; games, first secgoing six innings. Stroud worked for the winners, while Bromley did the ond section juntor boys; pyramids hurling for the losers. Jenkins and mat exercises, junior girls; dumbtributes his lameness of last fall to the fact that it hadn't been done sooner.

Baker Out for Afterneon.

Baker was out this afterneon after taking laughing gas and having an infected wisdom tooth removed. He flitted around like a seagull after a torpedoed whale, showing what the loss of surplus weight will do by way

tributes his lameness of last fall the winners, while Bromley did the losers. Jenkins and mat exercises, junior girls; dumbbell exerclese, second section junior girls; pas de deux, Missos Jane Friedlander and Lucile Spangler; high divings, high school section junior boys; weight lifting, seniors; triple horizontal bars, seniors; Chinese love dance, Missos of surplus weight will do by way lubswinging, women and junior girls, (b) electric torch swinging, Mrs. L. Centro; volleyball, women's class; so-cial dancing, junior boys and girls; marching and figure drill, women's class; oriental wedding, junior girls, assisted by Sidney Noles; finals and

ensemble; informal dancing. STEEPLECHASE AGAIN HELD

Great Crowd Is Attracted to Rac Track at London. LONDON, March 26 .- The present

A tentative baseball schedule, calling for 28 games, was drawn up at a meeting of interscholastic coaches yesterday at the Multnomah club. The opening game will be played April 16, between Columbia and Lincoin, and the first game will be on May 28 be. the final game will be on May 28 between Hill and Columbia.

Only eight teams have been entered in the cleanty this year.

witnessed the Grand National steeplechase today. Many thousands, in-cluding the whole sporting popula-tion of Ireland, went to Liverpool for the event. King George went by spe-cial train. He received a warm reception when he appeared at the race course. He will go to Manchester for the football game there tomorrow. After a suspension since 1914 the 'varsity race and track events be-tween Oxford and Cambridge will take place temorrow. The rowing is to be from Putney bridge to Mort-

Oxford appeared tonight to be the Oxford appeared tonight to be the favorite in the rowing classic, while ganizing a team to play independent games this summer. Commercial club

WHITE SOX MAY DROP THREE

Comiskey Threatens to Take Action if Veterans Fail to Report.

CHICAGO, March 26 .- Three veteran members of the Chicago White Sox, last year's American league pen-nant winners, may be dropped from baseball this season if they fail to report, according to a statement issued today by Charles A. Comiskey, presi-dent of the club.

The three players named are George (Buck) Weaver, third baseman; Charles Risberg, shortstop, and "Chick" Gandil, first baseman. Mr. Comiskey, who returned from the Pacific coast, said he had not seen any of the trio while there and had no reason to see them.

Weaver and Risberg are under contract to play with his club this season. Gandil has refused to sign his

Kansas City 7; Oklahoma City 2 OKLAHOMA CITY, March 26 .- The team in an exhibition game here to-

Batter'es — Johnson, Beadle and Sweeney, Block; Malone, Diamond, Salisbury and Banner, Moore. Beadle and championship rounds tomorrow, Yale ne, Diamond, came through with three, while the University of Pennsylvania, Lehigh St. Louis Wins Over Omaha.

OKMULGEE, Okla., March 26 .- In an exhibition game here today, the St. Louis Americans defeated the R. H. E. R.H.E. concluded their spring training here today, broke camp and started on their homeward exhibition schedules.

Batteries — Burwell and Collins; Kopp. Sjupa. Hale and Lingle.

Washington.

Batteries-Douglas. yder, Gonzales; Hoyt, Pennock and

St. Louis Defeats Philadelphia. BROWNSVILLE, Texas, March 26,-In an exhibition game here today, the St. Louis Nationals took the Philadelphia Americans into camp by a

score of 5 to 3. The score:

R. H. E. | R. H. E.

St. Louis. 5 9 1|Philadelp'a 3 6 1

Batteries—Goodwin and Dilhoefer;

Naylor, Bigbee, Eckert and Dykes. Forth Worth Beats St. Louis.

FORT WORTH, Texas, March 26. The Fort Worth team today walked over the St. Louis Nationals and ran up 10 tailles to one. The score: R.H.E. R. H. E. | R. H. E Ft. Worth 10 15 1 St. Louis.... 1 9

Batteries — Appleton and Moore; Hatchard, Mead and Dunn. VETERANS PLAN BALL LEAGUE

Eastern Oregon Posts May Be Organized for Season.

BAKER, Or., March 26 .- (Special.) -With the advent of spring weather beople are returning to their old cus-oms anxious to make up for lost lime.

One of the greatest crowds ever tion to reorganize the old Western Tri-State league. However, Pendleton, La Grande,

However, Pendleton, La Grande, Walla Walla, Huntington and Ontario, as well as Baker, all have posts of the American Legion, and in each post there is much good material. Therefore, local fans and players are doing all they can to arouse enthu-slasm in the plan of organizing teams of ex-service men. The league, if formed, will be called the Eastern Oregon American Legion league.

Wenatchee Ball Club in Field. WENATCHEE, Wash., March 26 .committees are working to get the team suits and to provide grounds.

Hamilton Tigers Win Hockey. PITTSBURG, March 26.—The Hamilton Tigers, Hamilton, Ont., defeated the Pittsburg Athletic association hockey team here tonight 4 to 3.

Pennsylvania Wrestlers Lead. PHILADELPHIA, March 26 .- Penn-

Popular Priced

Portland's Best

Restaurant SIXTH AND STARK

FULTON IS ON WAY TO BATTLE SMITH

Minnesota Scrapper Is Due to Arrive Here Today.

BOUT IS FINALLY SIGNED

Matchmaker Kendall Announce He Has Arranged Main Event for Milwaukie Fight.

Fred Fulton, the Minnesota heavyweight, left Seattle for Portland last night immediately after his bout with Young Hector and will arrive here this afternoon to begin training for a ten-round go ;gainst Gunboat Smith in the main event of the April 7 card at the Milwaukie arena. Matchmaker Kendall announced last night that he had come to terms

with Smith. Smith is in Oakland, where he has been winning with regularity. It was just a month ago that Smith beat Willie Meehan so badly that the bout was stamped as no contest by the

fight scribes. Hugh Walker, the promising young Hugh Walker, the promising young Kansas City heavyweight, who put up such a great bout at the Milwaukie arena on the last card, will take on Frank Farmer of Tacoma in the second ten-round go on the Milwaukie programme. Against a slugger Farmer goes like a champion. He and Walker should put on as good a beautywight mill as any eyer starged. heavyweight mill as any ever staged

here.
Joe Gorman will tangle with either
Muff Bronson, Tommy Barone or
Frankie Malone in an eight or sixround bout and Billy Mascott will
take on either Tommy Mansell, Danny
Edwards or Sammy Gordon in another
light or six-round bout. eight or six-round bout. Johnny Trambitas, a younger broth-

or of Alex and Valley Trambitas, left several days ago for San Francisco to join his brothers and take a fling at the fistic game in California. Johnny is about 15 or 16 years old and has had three professional bouts, one in Medford and the University of Pennsylvania, Lehigh and Cornell had two each.

Cardinals-Athletics End Training.

He was stopped in two rounds by Bud Ridley in Seatle last year, but

OKMULGEE, Okla., March 26.—In an exhibition game here today, the St. Louis Americans defeated the Omaha Western league team, 14 to 2. The score:

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Thorpe Knocks Out Nelson.

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UNCLE SAM GIVES FREE SCHOLARSHIPS

United States Marine Corps School Has "Earn While You Learn" Courses

Hereafter young men enlisting in the Marine Corps will not only learn to be soldiers, but, if they wish, they may go regularly to school. After one, two, three or more years the Marine may be graduated as an expert automobile mechanic, chauffeur, plumber, or what not. Not only that, but the United States Government pure at the competent teachers, but eminently practical men, and are selected for United States Government puts at his disposal its tremendous influence with employers in satisfactor-ily placing the U. S. Marine Corps Institute graduate in a well-paying

The young man who is facing the hard problem of making a living while working his way through high school, college or trade school should welcome the opportunity afforded by the Marine Corps Institute. By this plan he is not only enabled to gain the education he desires, but at the same time—

Lead a healthful, body-building outdoor life, receive free board, clothing, lodging and medical at-tendance—thus leaving his pay for "pocket money" or for a snug sav-ings account. To the average "red-blooded" young American, the Marine Corps,

with its adventurous, carefree life, and its opportunity for travel by land and sea, at home and abroad, has always proved particularly al-luring. When to these are added a chance of a good education-Well, it makes a long apprentice-

ship at a trade, or weary hours at a night school, look rather unat-tractive by comparison. The Marine Institute

The U. S. Marine Institute, which bids fair to become as famous as the Naval Academy at Annapolls, or the Military Academy at West Point, is already well under way at the Marine post at Quantico.

Hundreds of young men are enrolled in courses that range from reading, writing and simple arith-metic to such subjects as higher mathematics and journalism.

If a man comes into the Marine Corps hardly able to sign his name. he can gain a grammar school edu-cation and continue to learn to the limit of his ability and the length of his enlistment. Among the courses open to the Marine are elementary and advanced English. mathematics in practically all its branches, French, Spanish, stenog-raphy and clerical work, automobile mechanics, horsemanship and

care of horses in sickness and

The instructors are not only competent teachers, but eminently practical men, and are selected for their proficiency regardless of their rank in the Marine Corps. For ex-ample, the teacher of Spanish is a corporal, who is a law graduate of a foreign university, and a former public school teacher. Many of the trade schools are in charge of instructors who are graduates of Annapolis, Massachusetts Tech. stevens Institute, Colorado School of Mines, and other leading institutraining in such great industrial corporations as the General Electric Company, the Standard Off Company, the Baldwin Locomotive Works, and so on.

All students enrolled in the Marine Institute courses receive their instruction on an average of three hours for five afternoons each week, all purely military training being confined to the morning hours. The evenings may be hours. The svenings may be devoted to study, reading, or the various camp recreations, such as the free movie shows or the pool tabler

We hear a great deal about "col-lege life," but it is extremely doubtful if any of our institutions of learning afford more opportunity for pleasant companionship with real good fellows than does the Marine Corps. For this branch of service attracts the sort of a on service attracts the sort of a man who has the makings of a "good fellow." Few colleges can offer any better facilities for baseball, football, boxing, swimming and other athletic sporte—all under the direction of competent trainers and coaches. And no school, unless it is a military basington. it is a military institution of the first rank, can approach the Marine Corps in giving a man that self-reliance, aleriness and qualities of leadership which military training

If you are even slightly inter-exted, don't healtate to call at a Marine Recruiting Office. You wiff not be urged to enlist, but you wiff be told the truth, and nothing but the truth, about the service. Send for booklet.

U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office

Jack Dempsey declares that he is replace the stands in time not only willing but anxious to meet speedway races on July 4.

George Brandon is pining for a battle and wants to know why the matchmakers will, not give him a chance. There are few boys in the ring who put up a better scrap than George, and he has shown his ability to hold many of the featherweights to a standstill.

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Baseball Call Sounded in North

SEATTLE, Wash, March 16,-About majority of the men were after out-Harry Druxman, the hustling Aberdeen promoter, is now busily engaged

TACOMA, Wash., March 26.—(Spediate variety nine reported claim)—To replace the loss caused by for practice.

