

DISAPPOINTS FANS

Opening Ball Game Put Off Until Today at 3 P. M.

CANVAS COVERS INFIELD

Ground Ought to Be in Playable Condition if "Juke" Will "Lay Off" This Morning.

Pacific Coast League Standings. W. L. Pct. Portland 7 3 700 Sacramento 6 3 402

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

Waiting in a wondrous blessing when applied to the neck and shoulders it makes a mighty poor setting in to stage a baseball game.

The athletes of both teams spent the day idling around hotel lobbies, playing rummy and attending movie matinees. Judge McCredie occupied himself writing salary checks for the Portland league players.

Walter McCredie showed up at headquarters in the Gasco building about noon dressed in a Tuxedo coat and khaki breeches and his wife's canvas leggings.

Later in the day he visited the Imperial hotel. He conferred with Worrying Wade Killifer about Rhode Island Reds, Holatene, Paddy Signin and other players.

If Rudy Kallio is feeling healthy and strong this morning he will be given the assignment of twirling the opening game of the season.

The Beavers spent Tuesday at Corvallis, but the scheduled game with the Oregon Argies was not played owing to the fact that the new Durning is one of McCredie's cadets.

Coach Richardson almost met with a serious accident during the day. He was attacked by a "cru" germ at the corner of Alder and Thirteenth street.

The Pacific Coast league pitchers are having their troubles as is indicated by the fact that 45 batters are swatting the \$2.50 horsehide at a clip better than 300.

Young Herb Cuyler, Portland outfielder, rejoined the club last week at Sacramento and came north. After a few days here the Los Angeles team will be turned over to some Casaba circuit for mellowing.

The Oakland shut out Bees score 3 to 0; Oaks make first run in second.

WONDER WHAT AN EX-KAISER THINKS ABOUT THESE DAYS.

Cartoon strip by Brigg featuring a man in a military-style uniform reading newspapers and reacting to news about the U.S.A. and the world.

FOOD AND EVERYTHING IS SCARCE IN U.S.A.

High cost of living increases trouble prohibition. The second on singles, while a double by Miller and Reilly's miff of Knight's fly brought in the third-inning rallies.

CITY HALL MEN ORGANIZE Baseball Team Schedules Game With Woolen Mills.

The city of Portland baseball team, made up of city hall employees, will play its first game of the season Saturday at 2 P. M. against the Oregon Woolen Mills.

SHAMROCK'S CREW TO SAIL "Trial Horse" Leaves Dartmouth.

LONDON, April 21.—Captain Turner and 23 members of the crew of the yacht Shamrock IV, the Thibaults' first challenger for the America's cup, will sail for New York tomorrow on board the steamship Lapland.

DEMPEY SIGNS FOR BATTLE Fitzsimmons Negotiates With Fulton, Miske and Brennan.

CHICAGO, April 21.—Jack Dempsey today signed for his first fight since the knockout of the world heavyweight champion, Jimmie Braddock.

Baseball Summary.

Table with columns for National League Standings, American League Standings, and Beaver Batting Averages.

MITCHELL'S TALE WOEFUL FIGHTER, BACK FROM SOUTH, TELLS OF HARD LUCK.

Decision in Mahoney Battle Declared to Have Been Robbery. Pete Mitchell is back from San Francisco with a tale of woe which rings true.

U. S. SKATERS' CHANCES GOOD Competitors for Olympic Championship in Fine Trim.

ANTWERP, April 21.—Nathiel W. Niles and Miss Theresa Weld, the American competitors for the Olympic figure skating championship, went to Brussels yesterday for practice.

RELAY CARNIVAL BOYS READY Coach Now Conducting Final Drive of Intensive Training.

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, April 21.—(Special.)—Hed Edmondson is conducting his final drive of intensive training before the relay carnival to take place on Denny field Saturday.

MARINES WILL BE ORDERLIES Corporals Also to Be Color Guards at Opening Game.

Two local U. S. marine corps recruits will act as orderlies to Governor Oloott and Mayor Baker in the baseball opening activities today.

Baseball Brevities.

THE Pacific International league will open its season May 5 with Seattle at Vancouver, Victoria at Tacoma and Yakima at Spokane.

MURPHY AND REED TO FIGHT Tacoma Eagles Club Arranges Card for Tonight.

TACOMA, Wash., April 21.—(Special.)—"Spud" Murphy, San Francisco's prize slasher, and "Wild Bill" Reed will fight the six-round main event of the Eagles' club smoker here tomorrow night.

CLUBS TO MEET Superintendent of Fish Hatcheries to Be Principal Speaker.

R. E. Clanton, state superintendent of fish hatcheries, will be the principal speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Multnomah Anglers' club, which will be held on the top floor of the Oregon building tomorrow evening.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE TO BE MADE THURSDAY Conference of Baseball Managers Called.

Every baseball manager affiliated with the Portland Baseball association and they now number 39, will gather at "bush headquarters" in the Multnomah Guard club on Thursday to make the final classification of the teams in the different divisions.

SEASON'S PROMISE BIG Strong Teams Both Outside and Inside City Indicated in Reports Coming into Headquarters.

Two new teams have applied for admission and there is the possibility of one of the season's outside teams being allotted berths in the Inter-City league. Yesterday telegrams were sent by Secretary Simmons of the association to the managers and promoters in McMinnville, St. Paul, Woodburn and Forest Grove.

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Advertisement for Florsheim shoes featuring a large illustration of a shoe and the text 'The Florsheim "Carlton" - \$16'.

Advertisement for Florsheim Shoe Store with the text 'MEN who want style will find it in The Florsheim Shoe. What you prefer you may actually have - there are styles in endless variety - every model a specimen of expert designing and workmanship.'

only rule that could apply, says: "The batsman becomes a base runner if a fair hit ball strikes the person or clothing of the umpire on foul ground."

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