

JEFFS ELIMINATE FRANKLIN QUINNET

Fast Basketball Game Won 25 to 21.

OVERTIME IS REQUIRED

Sensational Contest Dooms Colonials' Chances for Championship of Local League.

Portland Public School Basketball League table with columns for team, W., L., Pct., and points.

Jefferson high school not only defeated Franklin high, but eliminated it from all chance at the Portland public school league championship...

Franklin jumped into the lead at the start, when Hobson and Thomas threw a basket each...

Franklin again took the lead early in the second half, when Thomas shot a basket...

Franklin tied the score just 38 seconds before regular time was called at the end of the second half...

Chances Are Taken. In the second over-time period players on both teams took chances on long shots...

Captain Hutchinson of Jefferson, although the smallest regular of the two teams, was easily the outstanding star...

The team work on both sides was excellent and the playing of the four guards was noteworthy...

Lincoln and James John play today at 3:15 o'clock in the Washington high gym...

Jefferson (25).....Slade Anderson.....C.....Hobson Broughton.....C.....Walgren Hutchinson.....G.....Kropp Clark.....S.....Leon Fabre, referee.

Ruth's Homers to Be Curbed. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Fences at Heinemann park where the New York Yankees will train this spring...

Hurley and Finn Meet Today. CLINTON, La., Feb. 20.—William Hurley of this city will meet Jack Finn of Belmont, champion of the world's featherweight wrestling championship...

Pullman Defeats Washington. FULLMAN, Wash., Feb. 20.—Washington State college turned the tables on the University of Washington basketball quintet Saturday...

Joplin Buys Seattle Shortstop. JOPLIN, Mo., Feb. 20.—The purchase of William Patterson, shortstop from the Seattle club of the Pacific coast league...

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REGISTERED SHOOT SET

50-TARGET EVENT TO BE HELD SUNDAY.

Manager of Portland Gun Club Gets Request for Rose City Tourney Programmes.

The first registered target shoot of the season will be held over the Evering park traps next Sunday.

With the wind blowing a gale, it was hard pickings trying to bag the elusive hawk at the Portland Gun club Sunday afternoon.

O. N. Ford, manager of the Portland Gun Club, is receiving letters requesting programmes of the Rose City 100 tournament...

Class A.....501E, J. Jaeger.....28 Jess B. Troeh.....47IV, C. Under.....37 D. C. F. Cahy.....48D, B. Huston.....54 L. D. Broadhead.....38ED, J. Morris.....48 Dr. W. B. Hall.....40P, J. Holman.....46

YALE BALL GAMES LISTED

Schedule Is Eight Games Shorter Than Last Year.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 20.—The Yale baseball schedule for the coming season was announced by the athletic management Saturday night.

The list is eight games shorter than last year, but includes a southern trip to be taken in April, when the team will play eight games...

ILLINOIS BOOKS DATES

Track Team First Western Squad to Travel.

URBANA, Ill., Feb. 20.—Coach Harry Gill of the University of Illinois has accepted a third date on his southern track trip...

The 39 Illinois track men will leave Champaign April 13, meeting Rice Institute in the first dual contest...

Rice has a strong aggregation with Lindsey the star dash man and hurdler. The Illinois jaunt is the first spring training trip ever taken by western teams...

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SUNSHINE AND SUTHERLAND PUT BASEBALL FEVER IN AIR

Stories About Suds Being Physical Wreck, Half-blind and Tottering, Belied by Appearance of Clear-eyed Young Pitcher.

W. L. H. GREGORY. ALL baseball fans, the baseball season is just around the corner. Yesterday's weather started the fever and then, to aid and abet it, who should come to town but Suds Sutherland, direct from Detroit, his good right arm a-tingle to be at training camp and leaving 'em across the plate.

And he looked like the same old Suds that he used to when he led the Coast league pitchers in 1926. All these stories about his being a physical wreck, half-blind, tottering, hardly able to hobble or lift his arm were belied by the appearance of this clear-eyed young fellow, who said he felt just as good as at any time in his life, and looked it. Suds never was a Hercules in build, but he weighs 170 pounds, which ought to dispose of the "wasted-skeleton" yarn.

Not only is Suds back to pitch for Portland again, but he says he is back to stay and that he intends to end his pitching days in the Pacific Coast league.

"I've had my little fling in the big leagues," he asserted with vehemence, "and it's never again for me. One was enough. I wouldn't go back there again if I were to become the best pitcher in the world. Hereafter the good old Pacific coast, where the real white folks live, will be my permanent territory and I never want to see the country again east of the Rocky Mountains."

Suds announces he will pitch his head off for Portland this season, and he thinks he will have a fine year. He had his last ball last season until Walter Johnson beamed him on the pitching arm in June—the real old fast ball that he had when he first went into baseball—and he says he feels in his bones that he will have it this season, too.

Even if I don't, I should worry," declared Suds. "I got my fill of fast-ball pitching in the big leagues, I'll say I did. That's all the managers up there seem to know—fast ball, fast ball, fast ball. They all want you to use a fast ball. The batters lay back and maul it, but that doesn't make any difference. They're fast-ball crazy."

"In eight games I pitched for Detroit, only two hits were made off my curve ball, and about the same number off my fast ball, fast ball. The others being off the fast one, and yet the management insisted and demanded that I use a fast ball. Sometimes I pitched slow ball, but they called it the 'big league'."

Suds has some interesting stories about his experiences in the big brush and the idiosyncrasies of this manager and that one. About the funniest he tells is how Ty Cobb would let him pitch to the Detroit batters in practice because he said that Suds' slow ball put the hitters "off their stride."

"No, sir," said Suds, "after I had pitched to the batters a few times they were all squawking about my slow ball and Cobb wouldn't hit himself, so finally he told me that I couldn't pitch any more in batting practice. I asked him if he didn't want the batters to have some practice on slow balls, and he said no, that it put them off their stride. The only man on the team who wanted me to pitch to him was Bobby Veach, so I used to go over in a corner of the field and pitch curves and slow ones at him by the hour."

The upshot of it was that Veach was the only man on the club who could hit a slow ball. After he had practiced against me a while he would go up in a game and just murder slow-ball pitching. Cobb wouldn't let that make any difference, I wasn't allowed to pitch to batters.

"Some of the batters wanted someone to fire them fast and straight down the alley so they could bust two or three and feel that they were going to hit the only one who wouldn't hit—if the opposing pitcher in the game also pitched them fast and straight down the alley."

Another big-league stunt that was new to Suds was the managerial custom of selecting pitchers on "chances." Suds says he had worked his hunch system with great enthusiasm.

"At least four times when I was supposed to pitch a game and was nicely warmed up and feeling just right," said Suds, "Cobb would glance at the bench, get a hunch on some other pitcher, and give him the ball. Far be it from me to say anything against the 'hunch system,' though I must admit it was an entirely new baseball wrinkle to me. But then I was only a bushy from the coast."

"When I was allowed to pitch my own way, the big league batters were easier for me than those in the Coast league, and that isn't in any way a boast. The reason is that they are all fast ball hitters. They break their backs at curve ball pitching, many of them, or slow balls, yet it's the system to have the pitchers keep right on shoving fast balls down the alley. Cobb gave us pitchers orders that we must always lay the first ball dead over the plate and that it must be a fast one or three or slow one, and it wasn't over, that put him in the hole, so we had to throw a slow ball or curve unless we had the batter in the hole, say with two strikes on him."

"That's why I say that when I could pitch as I wanted to, those hitters weren't easy enough, for they weren't accustomed to curve ball pitching and a curve or slow ball pitcher could make sure of them."

WHITMAN NINE AMBITIOUS

BASEBALL SCHEDULE IS MOST PRETENTIOUS IN YEARS.

Schedule to Open Against Oregon and Corvallis, and Includes 21 Games in 33 Days.

WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The most ambitious baseball schedule of a Whitman team in years has been lined up for the coming spring. The Whitman nine will play 21 games in 33 days. Eleven of the contests will be played at home, with the other ten on trips into Oregon, Idaho, and through Washington.

The Whitman schedule will open April 25-29 against the University of Oregon at Whitman. Two days later the Oregon Aggies will oppose Whitman at Walla Walla in a game May 1.

Although no official call has yet been issued, several candidates are out tossing the ball around. The weather is yet too uncertain and the ground too wet for turnouts, and Coach Borjeske is occupied with the basketball hoppers. Knudson, Sherwood and Gloomy McDowell will be the mainstay of the pitching staff; Dad Walther, catcher; Sid Rich, third; Dean, second; Raaberg, short; Comrada, Matsuno, Wiley and Ingraham, outfielders, are other veterans who will be on deck. The loss of Garyer, Reynolds, T. Rich and Tate will be felt.

The return of Coffee has settled the full sack question. The weak spot of the nine seems to be the pitching staff. With 21 games billed in a month, Borjeske is sadly in need of mound men. The Whitman schedule follows: April 25-29—Oregon at Whitman. May 1-10—Oregon Aggies at Whitman. May 11-12—Idaho at Moscow. May 12-13—Washington State at Pullman. May 14-15—Oregon Aggies at Corvallis. May 16-17—Oregon at Eugene. May 18-19—Willamette at Salem. May 20—Multnomah club at Portland. May 21-22—Idaho at Whitman. May 23-24—Idaho at Moscow. May 25-26—Washington State at Whitman.

4 SKATING RECORDS BROKEN

Staff and Lamy Skate to Dead Heat.

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Feb. 20.—Four world's records were shattered in the international ice skating championship here Saturday.

Arthur Staff of Chicago, and Edmund Lamy of Saranac lake, skating a dead heat, broke the two-mile record of five minutes and 48 seconds by three full seconds. The former record was made 12 years ago by Lamy at a meet in Cleveland.

Staff broke his own record for the 440-yard dash by one-fifth of a second, skating the quarter in 27 seconds flat.

Miss Gladys Robinson of Toronto, international woman amateur champion, broke both the 100-yard and 120-yard dash records. She skated the century in 11 2-5 seconds, or three-fifths of a second faster than the world's record.

On Wednesday Miss Robinson broke the 230-yard record at Saranac lake. At that time it was 33-5 seconds. She skated it in 31-5. Today she clipped a full second off that time, finishing in 22 1-5 seconds.

At the end of the first day Arthur Staff, dethroned as national champion in Saranac lake last week by Everett McGowan, was leading for the international title with 85 points. Lamy was second with 45; Bobby McGowan of Chicago, former world champion, third with 30 points, and Morris Wood of New York, fourth with 20.

St. Louis Nationals Leave. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20.—Six members of the local Nationals, led by Bert Shotton, acting manager, Sunday departed for the training camp at Orange, Tex. The advance squad was composed of Jess Haines, Jeff Pfeiffer, Lou Noyth and Bill Barnes, pitchers, and Roy Thomas and Joe Sugden, coaches. Others are expected to join this squad during the week.

U. S. Team Off for England. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 20.—The University of Pennsylvania team to compete in the Oxford-Cambridge relay races April 1, will sail for England on the Aquatania March 22, it was announced.

Stecher Throws Gardini. SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 20.—Joe Stecher, ex-world's heavyweight champion wrestler, defeated Renato Gardini, Italian heavyweight, in two straight falls here Saturday night.

HARPER IS CONCEDED CHANCE AGAINST JOE

Railbirds Like Looks of Seattle Boy in Workouts.

WELLING POLISHED BOXER

Rival Lightweights Clash Tomorrow Night in 16-Round Main Event at the Armory.

The railbirds who have been keeping close tab on the daily training sessions of Bobby Harper and Joe Welling, the rival lightweight battlers who will meet in the ten-round main event of tomorrow night's boxing card at the armory, concede the Seattle boy an excellent chance with Welling.

Harper is a polished ring veteran and still a serious contender, but Welling is a fast, coming youngster, who will not be denied. Harper has been showing more stuff in the gymnasium in the last week than at any time he has worked out for a fight here. Bobby has always depended more or less on fighting at close quarters to put him over. Now he seems to have developed a different style of left-hand attack that is impossible to avoid. He is becoming a long range fighter as well as an in-fighter.

Harper is quick to learn and has a good fighting heart. When Eddie Shannon beat him in Seattle several years ago by using a ripping uppercut delivered at close quarters.

TODAY'S SPORTS CALENDAR.

Portland. James John high vs. Lincoln high basketball at Washington high school, 3:15 o'clock. Indoor baseball at armory, 7:45 o'clock. Oscar Butler wrestles Ad Gustavo, Pythian hall, 8:30 o'clock. Northwest. Nevada vs. Oregon, basketball at Eugene. Idaho vs. Whitman, basketball at Whitman. Coming Events. Bobby Harper fights Joe Welling at armory, ten rounds, Wednesday night. Sportmen's show opens at auditorium, 2 to 10 o'clock P. M., Wednesday. Hunt club chase at Garden Home, Wednesday morning, 11 o'clock.

BASKET GAMES SCHEDULED

Lewis County League Will Close Its Season This Week. CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The Lewis County league will close its basketball season this week. Centralia, playing at Chehalis, Dryad at Mossyrock, Napavine at Pe Ell, Adna at Bolistort and Pe Ell at Toledo. Several postponed games remain to be played, including one between the undefeated Napavine and Bolistort quintets.

Five games are scheduled this week in the Southwest Washington league. Wednesday night Shelton plays at Olympia; Friday night Tenino comes to Centralia. Hoquiam plays at Raymond and Montesano at Aberdeen, and Saturday night Hoquiam plays South Bend on the latter's floor.

GOLF CLUB PLAN ABANDONED

Hood River Enthusiasts Give Up Idea of Course This Year.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The proposed Hood River Golf club has been abandoned temporarily and members of a committee, who until last week were going forward with plans for the control by option and purchase of 50 acres of land west of the city, owned by Mrs. M. Sue Henderson, say that no course will be available here this summer at least.

Basketball Facts.

By Ed Thorp. Q. It is against the rules for a coach or manager to signal the plays of his team from the side-lines? A. There should be no coaching whatsoever from the side-lines during a game. This is unprofessional conduct. Q. May a wall form the boundary of a court? A. It is always advisable to have the court surrounded by a high wall. You may, however, have a ground rule making a wall the boundary line. Q. What is the professional rank's rule for dribbling? A. The dribble is permitted with one or both hands. It is a play in which the player gives impetus to the ball by

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APPLEBY WINS AT BILLIARDS

Ary Bos of Holland, European Champion, Is Defeated.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—Edgar T. Appleby, national champion of New York, Saturday night defeated Ary Bos of Holland, European champion, in the international 18 1/2 ball amateur billiard tournament, 306 to 218. The American showed better form throughout the match.

Appleby's average was 10.25-58, and his high runs 83, 69, 24. Bos finished with an average of 8.2-27 and had high runs of 52, 41, 23.

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