# YALE LOOKS LIKE WINNER THIS YEAR

## For First Time in Ages Grid Outlook Is Bright.

## MATERIAL IS VETERAN

### Team Already Working Well on Simple Formations—More of Old Bulldog Spirit Shown.

BY HUGH FULLERTON.

(By Chicago Tribune Leased Wire.)

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 14.—Yale redivivus! For the first time in years Eli opens her football work with prospects of a victorious team—not a great team, not a team of Heffelfingers, Coys, Jones or Hinkeys—but a team.

I watched 80 men working on a water-soaked field yesterday and there was more of that old bull dog spirit out there than I have seen in Yale in a number of years.

The team has suffered losses, has not accumulated any great star as far as is visible to the naked eye, but it is a veteran team, working well already on the simpler formations, possessing a pair of competent, if not remarkable kickers, a clever forward pass—and it is nearly three weeks further advanced toward playing condition than it was at this time last season.

### Little Time for Training.

To Yale the fact that the majority of the regulars are veterans and the further fact that they have worked into shape quickly means more than it does to the majority of the big teams. Yale teams are handicapped heavily because of lack of time for training. It is an amazing fact that the Yale football players can have at the utmost only about one hour and a half of actual work a day, five days a week. The team has from two to four hours to work, and deducting time for dressing they are in the hands of the coaches less time than any of the big teams. The necessity of working too fast, for taking snap judgment in some cases, hurts.

But this year Yale brings on a squad which learned a lot last season, learned more on the playing than on the practice field and which is a way to a big start. It had to be, because Yale has a severe schedule with Carnegie Tech, a veteran and a dangerous team, and Brother Howard's Iowans in the early schedule. In other words, if Yale comes through the Carnegie Tech and Iowa games without serious injury, her team is made, made by fighting its way to condition. If it suffers severe injuries, it may be ruined.

### Team Looks Good.

But after eight days of work the Yale team looks better today than it did in its early October battles last year, with more steadiness and seemingly more confidence.

The coaching staff is more coherent, with Tad Jones at the head. You know, Tad was not satisfied with his team last year, for the reason that it was unsteady at times, and lacked confidence, or seemed to. Besides, it was unstable in spots and plays had to be built largely around Aldrich. This year Myron Fuller is helping Tad with the lines. Aldrich is back instructing kickers. Charlie Comerford is handling the ends and Pat Osborne, freshman coach, has been aiding. Al Into, last year's giant lineman, and Dr. Billy Bull complete the list of active coaches. Dr. Bull is working the men for early condition, and already has chopped down some. The team is ready for scrimage, and light scrimage has been allowed. With seven full teams in action and Captain Jordan directing the first team, it is serious work from now on. There may be switches in the line and the effort of the coaches will be to strengthen the center of the line, which was hard hit by graduation.

### Batty Is Ineligible.

Yale's rivals say she was not hit hard, in that Eli lost few regulars by graduation, but losing Into, who is ineligible, and MacAldrich was sufficient. Reggy Batty, the 215-pound lineman who had appendicitis last year and was expected to be a strong candidate, is declared ineligible and the freshman promotions have failed sadly. Of the 31 freshmen of last year's team only 13 can play this year.

Pong, the captain, is ineligible and Jack Ewing, considered one of the most promising of ends, also is out because he has taken to baseball. The tentative lineup for signals now is Norris, center; Cruickshank and MacKay, guards; Hidden and Diller, tackles; Cutler and Delaver, ends; Beckett, quarter; O'Hearn and Jordan, halves, and Mallory, full.

The center seems fairly assured, with Norris steady and heavier than he was and with Landis capable, although he is being tried in other capacities.

### Guard Material Promising.

The guard material is promising. Cruickshank, McKay, Cross and Kerr are a strong combination and Hubbard and Pillsbury were subs last season and fighting for regular jobs. Eckert, from the freshman team, is considered one of the most promising.

There is a wealth of tackle material, at which Harvard and Princeton, both suffering famines at tackle, must gaze longingly. Hidden, Starr, Diller and O'Brien, have been through the grind and show their abilities. Quaillo is a problem. He was hurt last year and there is fear that he may not be able to play this season. He is working out and fighting for his chance. Lufkin, the freshman, looks good and is extremely fast.

There is a wealth of quarterback material, but thus far no real star has sprung up, at least no one who shows signs of stealing the regular job. Beckett is going well and Joe Oed looks good. O'Hearn, Ralph Jordan, Knapp, Mallory and Bill Neale form a strong bunch. Neale, who is a brother of "Greasy" Neale, is not a certainty, as he has trouble holding his scholastic standing.

### Ted Wight Worry.

There is worry to about Ted Wight, who strained a side playing baseball and has been in Johns Hopkins. There are three corking youngsters in Bench, Scott and Warner. Bench is lightning fast and clever with his footwork. Neidlinger, of course, is a strong backfield man. Hulman, McCallum, Deaver and Lincoln all have shown their abilities. It looks like a team instead of a bunch playing around a star—and a fighting team at that.

The coaches are paying a great deal of attention to kicking, and

# WE HAVE WITH US TODAY OFFICIAL FOOTBALL SEASON

### This Is Day When Coaches Cease to Be Human and Put On Rough Stuff—Bear Stories Also in Order.

BY L. H. GREGORY.

WE HAVE with us today the football season. To be sure, weather is rather torrid to be talking punts, end runs and such, let alone doing them, but officially that's what.

On this day, September 15, the coast conference universities start football practice. Likewise, those of the northwest conference. Also those of the Big Ten, so-called, of the middle west. Generally speaking, this is a day of football beginnings through the country, though Yale, Harvard and other big fellows have beaten the gun in most instances and have been exercising their squads for a week or two.

This is the day when football coaches cease to be likeable human beings and put on the rough stuff. In general the harder boiled a coach is the better he is supposed to be. From now into late November the thump of a sailing punt will mingle on this campus and that one with hoarse shouts of "Fall on 'at ball, fall on it, I said!" varied, perhaps, by "Tackle 'im! Get 'im! Oh, you punk!"

Today, likewise, will mark the hatching of a flock of "bear stories," meaning mournful tales from various camps as to the utter impossibility, for various reasons of making any kind of a proper showing whatsoever. In college football it is considered utterly unethical in the best circles for a coach ever to admit that his team has a chance.

So when you read from Oregon that so-and-so has a broken back and 19 stretched neck ligaments and can't possibly play; from Oregon Agricultural college that there isn't a veteran footballist in sight and the situation is awful; from California that the "wonder team" is wrecked from tackle to tackle; from Washington that the bright prospects of last fall are blighted, and from Stanford that Andy Kerr is greatly disappointed with the material in sight and can promise not a thing—why, take it with a grain of salt, mates. It's old stuff.

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There won't be much real football for two or three weeks. Practice for the present will be confined mainly to such fundamentals as falling on the ball, tackling and kicking.

Such practice games as are scheduled are mainly easy ones. It will be well along in October before the conference seasons really start.

The opening Pacific coast conference game will be played October 14 between Washington and Idaho at Seattle. The following Friday comes the Washington State-Idaho game at Moscow, and on Saturday, October 15, the Oregon Aggies play Washington at Seattle. From then on the coast conference season will be in full swing.

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Usually a football coach is so anxious to get his squad in uniform and under way that he can hardly wait for the opening day, which in the coast conferences is set by rule at September 15, but at the Universiey of Oregon, Shy Huntington, head coach, is pulling a new one. He actually has postponed the opening for three days. Instead of starting today the Oregon gridsters will not answer rollcall until next Monday, September 18.

Huntington says he isn't superstitious, not a bit of it, but just the same he is evading a Friday start very nicely. There may be nothing to that Friday idea, but if there is, it won't hurt Oregon, that's sure. Huntington says he doesn't see anything to be gained by starting the boys only two days before the week is out, hence the postponement to Monday. You can take your choice as to whether that is his real reason.

Incidentally, it looks as if Shy, for the first time in his coaching career, really will start a season this year with something tangible to work on. Heretofore he has never known what he had. Always he has had to develop new men for key positions and that can't be done in a month or two. But this year he will have eight players of last season's great young eleven back at their posts for the jump-off.

Last fall Huntington had a terrible time of it up well into November teaching his green men what it was all about and finding the positions they were fitted for. Then all of a sudden the parts of that machine clicked into place, the players found themselves, and how they went! They were the talk of the northwest after it was too late.

Put that eleven in the race this year, almost intact, and our bet is that it will be heard from. Huntington at last is to have his real chance.

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Can Bill Kenworthy, the iron duke, really loft a mashie golf ball shot from the home plate at the Portland baseball park over the left field or center field fence? Ever since we remarked recently that the duke said he could do it there has been all kinds of heated discussions as to the feasibility of the feat.

It would be easy enough to drive a ball with a driver or midiron over the fence, but with a mashie—that's different. A good many golfers have expressed the frank belief that the duke is spoofing and can't do it.

The upshot is that the duke has been so kidded and pestered that he has made a wager that he not only can do it, but will do it, and do it in public. He will make the attempt between games of Sunday's doubleheader between Portland and San Francisco. If you want to see how the duke can kill a mashie shot, be out there when he makes the attempt.

J. L. Hammer of the sporting goods department of the Meier & Frank store has agreed to furnish a dozen new Burke balls for the duke to hammer at Sunday in his epoch-making attempt. Mr. Hammer doesn't believe the duke can do it, but if he fails it won't be for lack of golf balls.

The duke has gone in training with his mashie. The terms of the wager are that knocks over the right field fence don't count; the shot, to win, must sail over the left or center field fence.

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the kicking in practice looks good. Jordan, Mallory, Neale and O'Hearn all can kick and Jordan is showing excellent distance under Aldrich's coaching.

It is too early for predictions, but Yale looks far better than it did last season. The fact that Carnegie Tech expects to try an early season surprise is enough to keep them working. For the first time the coaching staff is sufficient in both quantity and quality.

# MIXED FINALS REACHED

### TENNIS TITLE IN CITY PLAY TO BE DECIDED TODAY.

### Helen Hald and Theodore Steffen and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers MacVeagh Opponents.

Helen Hald and Theodore Steffen and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers MacVeagh, by winning their matches in the mixed doubles yesterday in the city tennis championships on the Multnomah club courts, qualified for the finals, to be played at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Hald and Steffen defeated Mrs. W. I. Northup and Percy W. Lewis in a two-set match going to 20 games, 11-9, 6-0. Mr. and Mrs. MacVeagh disposed of Mr. and Mrs. Ferd C. Smith in two straight sets, 6-3, 6-4.

In the men's doubles, Ted Steffen and Dr. E. P. Steinmetz played Bob Kendall and Milt Frohman a dead heat, each side having one set and the score standing 3-all in the third set. The match was then called because of darkness. It will be finished at 12 o'clock today. The winners will play Dr. J. B. Bilderback and H. S. Gray in the finals of the upper bracket at 4:30 o'clock.

The semi-finals of the women's doubles will be played at 4 o'clock between Mrs. W. I. Northup and Stella Fording and Anna Towey and Beatrice Phipps. The finals in all but the men's singles, which were played Wednesday, and the mixed doubles, scheduled for Monday, will be played tomorrow. The women's singles will start at 2 o'clock and the women's doubles and men's doubles at 3 o'clock.

Yesterday's results:

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4 o'clock—Semi-finals women's doubles—Stella Fording and Mrs. W. I. Northup versus Ann Towey and Beatrice Phipps.

4:30 o'clock—Winner Steffen and Steinmetz versus Dr. J. B. Bilderback and H. S. Gray.

## ACCIDENT MARS GOLF PLAY

### Miss Mida Sprains Ankle and Forfeits Match.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 14.—(By the Associated Press.)—Upsets, some wonderful golf and an accident featured the third round matches of the western women's championships played today in which Mrs. Dave Gaut, Memphis; Miss Frances Hadfield, Milwaukee; Mrs. Curtis Sohl, Columbus, and Miss Virginia Pepp, St. Louis, were returned the winners.

Mrs. Gaut played brilliant golf in defeating Mrs. Melvin Jones, Chicago, present champion, 4 and 3, while Miss Hadfield put up a great fight after being dormie 2 to eliminate Miss Miriam Burns, Kansas City, two up.

An unfortunate incident of the day gave Miss Pepp a forfeit match over Miss Lee W. Mida of Chicago, when the Illinois woman sprained her ankle just after making a beautiful drive going to No. 14.

## UPPER-CLASS RUNNERS WIN

### Reed College Freshmen Defeated in Scholz Trophy Relay.

Experience helped Reed college upper-classmen defeat freshmen sprinters in a 20-man relay race for the new Scholz relay trophy yesterday. Running in laps of 100 yards, the veteran athletes finished a full lap ahead of their adversaries. The victors won permanent possession of the cup.

Donald Abbott of Portland, captained the upper-classmen, and Walter Pilpel of New York led the freshmen. Charles S. Botsford was timer.

### Story Outpoints Fitzgerald.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—Archie Stoy of Aberdeen won a close decision over Bud Fitzgerald of Bucoda in their six-round bout, the main event of a smoker held in Onalaska last night under the auspices of the Onalaska Athletic club. In the six-round semi-windup Larry Coughlin of Onalaska lost a decision to Eddie McCarthy of Olympia.

### Better Look Out, Deer.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—Phil Metschan, well-known Portland hotel man, was in Eugene yesterday on his way to the Cascade mountains in Lane county for a deer hunt.

# CLINTON FLASHY BOXER

### SUBSTITUTE FOR BENJAMIN NEEDS MORE TRAINING.

### Eastern Fighter Already Holds Decision Over Sacco Whom He Meets Tonight.

Jimmy Sacco will fight Johnny Clinton in the main event at the armory tonight. The bout is a substitute for the Joe Benjamin-Sacco match. Benjamin ran out on the fight so Clinton, who comes from New York, was rushed from Seattle to do his stuff.

Clinton lost his first start in the northwest to Travis Davis at Seattle Tuesday night. Davis won in six rounds. Davis had a weight advantage of nine pounds. Clinton had not had much time to train and the same applies to this fight, so the boys must not expect too much of him.

On Clinton's record in the book are two ten-round no-decision fights with Benny Leonard and one with Lew Tendler. He fought Leonard in Boston last May. Previously he had boxed Leonard at Syracuse, N. Y.

A year ago he engaged in an eight-round no-decision bout against Tendler in Philadelphia. He has won decisions over Frankie Farren, Joe Welling, Eddie Fitzsimmons and Jimmy Sacco in Boston, where they met last year. He also holds four 12-round decisions over Mel Coogan.

Clinton is hooked up on the coast with Dan Salt, the Seattle magnate. Salt expects to book him for six fights on the coast. He may remain here until Christmas. When he has time to train properly, Clinton is said to be a flashy boxer.

The rest of tonight's card follows: Eddie Richards vs. Jack Dillon, six rounds; Ray Showers vs. Chuck Hellman, six rounds; Chick Rocco vs. Tim Callahan, four rounds; Red Burley vs. Jack Griffin, four rounds.

## Paul Strand Continues to Top Coast Batters.

### Hard-Hitting Salt Lake Player Has Comfortable Margin.

PAUL STRAND, the hard-hitting Salt Laker, is batting so consistently that he continues to hold his place as leading Coast league batsman by a comfortable margin. Latest semi-official averages, including games of last Sunday, show him hitting .384 in 143 games.

Next in order come Lewis of Salt Lake with .372 in 144 games, O'Connell of San Francisco with .363 in 159 games, Smith of Vernon with .361 in 156 games and Hale of Portland, who suffered a slump last week, .356 in 115 games.

The leading base stealers are O'Connell of the Seals and Lane of Seattle, tied at 34. Wille of Oakland tops the sacrifice hitters with 48, McCann of Portland being second with 43. The averages of the .300 hitters follow:

| Player. Club— | G. | AB. | H. | HR. | SB. | PC. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Strand, S. L. | 143 | 699 | 234 | 22 | 9 | .384 |
| Lewis, S. L. | 144 | 519 | 193 | 18 | 3 | .372 |
| O'Connell, S. F. | 159 | 571 | 207 | 12 | 34 | .363 |
| Smith, Vernon | 156 | 599 | 216 | 7 | 7 | .361 |
| Hale, Portland | 115 | 393 | 140 | 8 | 11 | .356 |
| Eldred, Seattle | 160 | 618 | 218 | 9 | 19 | .353 |
| Myers, Salt Lake | 32 | 77 | 27 | 1 | 0 | .351 |
| Kelly, S. F. | 125 | 450 | 157 | 5 | 23 | .349 |
| Griggs, L. A. | 143 | 498 | 173 | 18 | 5 | .347 |
| Kamm, S. F. | 136 | 511 | 176 | 14 | 23 | .344 |
| Deal, L. A. | 148 | 594 | 203 | 6 | 8 | .342 |
| Valla, S. F. | 114 | 430 | 142 | 1 | 7 | .330 |
| Siglin, S. L. | 157 | 651 | 214 | 15 | 10 | .329 |
| Mollwitz, Sacra. | 148 | 562 | 185 | 0 | 29 | .329 |
| Agnew, S. F. | 93 | 312 | 102 | 11 | 5 | .327 |
| Schneider, Vern. | 76 | 190 | 62 | 10 | 1 | .326 |
| Wilhoit, S. L. | 135 | 506 | 163 | 5 | 9 | .322 |
| Ellison, S. F. | 152 | 576 | 185 | 14 | 18 | .321 |
| Vitt, Salt Lake | 127 | 501 | 161 | 3 | 5 | .321 |
| Wisterzil, Seattle | 116 | 389 | 124 | 0 | 5 | .319 |
| See, San Francisco | 83 | 272 | 86 | 1 | 7 | .316 |
| Schorr, Seattle | 49 | 79 | 25 | 2 | 1 | .316 |
| Lafayette, Oaks | 147 | 537 | 170 | 3 | 9 | .315 |
| Brazill, Portland | 98 | 347 | 109 | 13 | 7 | .314 |
| High, Portland | 141 | 517 | 162 | 20 | 9 | .313 |
| Gressett, Portland | 117 | 425 | 133 | 4 | 7 | .313 |
| Hood, Seattle | 98 | 360 | 112 | 8 | 14 | .311 |
| Compton, S. F. | 116 | 418 | 128 | 8 | 12 | .306 |
| Wille, Oaks | 150 | 544 | 166 | 5 | 12 | .305 |
| Daly, L. A. | 116 | 365 | 111 | 0 | 0 | .304 |
| Carroll, L. A. | 152 | 551 | 167 | 3 | 26 | .303 |
| Poole, Portland | 158 | 616 | 186 | 18 | 9 | .302 |
| Hyatt, Vernon | 139 | 492 | 149 | 15 | 7 | .302 |
| Bodie, Vernon | 108 | 367 | 111 | 4 | 2 | .302 |
| Murphy, Vernon | 75 | 262 | 79 | 5 | 1 | .301 |
| Schinkle, Sac. | 71 | 269 | 81 | 5 | 3 | .301 |
| Ryan, Sac. | 147 | 544 | 162 | 4 | 13 | .300 |

## MOLLA AND HELEN SURVIVE

### Women's Singles of Middle States Meet Narrowed to Four.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 14.—Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, New York; Miss Helen Wills, California; Miss Leslie Bancroft, Boston, and Mrs. Marion Zinderstein Jessup, Wilmington, Del., advanced to the semi-final round of the middle states singles tennis tournament for women at the Philadelphia Cricket club today.

Mrs. Mallory advanced at the expense of Miss Mary Seaton of Greenwich, Conn., who earlier in the day defeated Miss Eleanor Cott-

# BOTH DEMPSEY AND WILLS KNOWN AS "BORERS IN"

### They Are Men Who Seldom or Never Give Ground Save to Start New Attack—Neither Has Ever Retreated.

ARTICLE III.

BY HUGH FULLERTON.

(By Chicago Tribune Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Two systems of attack more greatly at variance than those of Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills are hard to conceive. Yet in one way they are alike. Both are what the fighters call "borers in." They are men who seldom or never give ground save to start a new attack. Neither ever has been forced into a retreat by a more powerful attack. Yet Dempsey is a leader and Wills, in spite of his steady and persistent forward notion, waits for his opponent to make the lead.

Both are aggressive, but there is a difference in their style of aggression. Dempsey is of the relentless, pursuing, attacking type. Wills is pressing forward, following the foe, withholding his blow until the opponent, either driven to bay or compelled by the pursuit to attack, swings.

**Wills Has Shade.**

The study of the left hands of the battlers, who some day must meet to settle the question of supremacy, gives Wills a slight shade. No one can get away from the fact that the big black has a crushing and effective left. He delivers the blow better than any other wallop in his fistic vocabulary. His left drive is a swinging hook.

With his right Wills is a mere threat in attack. He menaces a foe with the right, looks as if prepared to swing that useful member and then swings the left with a sort of ripping upward motion.

He has more power in that blow than in any blow I ever have seen struck except Jess Willard's right, which beyond doubt is the most powerful ever struck by a modern fighter. But Wills wastes more time in preparing to land the blow than Willard did his.

Wills seems never to attempt to swing it until his victim is helpless and then he uses it as the pile-driver to finish up a helpless foe. I never have seen it landed on a foe who was still in action.

**Black Does Not Shine.**

Contrast his wide-open, long-swinging style with that of Dempsey and the big black does not shine. Dempsey fights close hauled. His blows are short, driven with all the power and momentum of his body.

You will observe one queer difference between these men. Dempsey fights upward—with the ripping upper drive delivered in close quarters, and a round-arm swing into which he gets the best leverage in the world. Occasionally Wills gets to hitting straight from the side, but most of his blows are downward. Perhaps his great length has taught him that. He clubs downward, while Dempsey rips upward.

**Body Attack Forecast.**

When these two meet the attack will be at the body. Neither will waste much time at the head. It will be interesting to see whether the downward or the upward stroke in fighting will prevail. Among the southern Italians who use the stiletto the fellow who cuts downward is considered an amateur, while the fellow who rips upward toward the bowels gets results. That, in brutal frankness, is the difference between the styles of Dempsey and Wills.

The forearm will hold back an upward ripping blow, but even if it is checked it is never stopped. The downward blow takes more time to deliver. Both men understand the use of elbows in stopping blows delivered with a side swing.

In the next article we will consider the speed, stamina and what is known of the "heart" of each.

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man, Baltimore. Miss Wills defeated Miss Edith Sigourney, Boston, 6-0, 6-1; Mrs. Jessup won from Mrs. N. B. Huff, Philadelphia, 6-0, 6-0, and Miss Bancroft eliminated Miss Molla Thayer, Philadelphia, 4-6, 6-0, 6-1.

Miss Wills and Miss Helen Hooker, New York, advanced to the two final rounds of the girls' national tournament.

In the singles Miss Wills tomorrow meets Miss Hooker for the championship. Paired in the doubles, Miss Wills and Miss Hooker Saturday will play Miss Louise Goodman and Miss Betsy Hilleary of Philadelphia in the final round.

# GOLF CALL IS ISSUED

## PLAYERS ASKED TO REPORT AT EASTMORELAND.

### Complete Schedule of Matches for City Championships Posted on Clubhouse Bulletin Board.

A. K. Trenholme, one of the directors of the Eastmoreland Golf club, in charge of the city championships there, requests that players in the tournament visit the clubhouse before Saturday or Sunday and write their telephone numbers beside their names on the bulletin board, so that the first elimination round matches may be arranged. Failing to get in touch with their opponents, players should be out early Sunday morning. Players not present Sunday will be considered defaulting unless other arrangements have been made.

The complete schedule of matches will be found on the bulletin board, and results of matches should be recorded on it promptly. All matches must be played each week or forfeited, the first round by September 17, second by September 24, semi-finals October 1 and championship finals of 36 holes October 8.

Tie matches must be replayed in 18 holes, except in the championship flight, in which extra holes will decide a match that is all square on the 18th. Western Golf association rules are to be followed. Stymies will be allowed by mutual agreement, otherwise ball must be lifted or played.

In out-of-bounds or lost ball, another ball must be driven near place where the first ball was hit and the first shot is to be counted. On the water hazard holes a ball in the water must be counted one stroke and another added for penalty. The ball must be dropped back of the water hazard.

In figuring handicaps three-fourths of the difference in handicaps is allowed. All disputes are to be referred to the committee in charge.

The course is now in fine shape. The greens are watered every night, so they will not be as hard and fast as last week. Two or three trees have been cut out of the fairways on the first and seventh holes, and a good mashie shot to the green will not so easily wind up in a tree top.

# BUFF LOSES FLY TITLE

## TECHNICAL KNOCKOUT WON BY PANCHO VILLA.

### Towel Thrown in Ring When Johnny Stands Groggy and Helpless Before Filipino.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 14.—Pancho Villa of Manila tonight became the flyweight champion of the United States by scoring a technical knockout over Johnny Buff of Jersey City, 27 seconds after the opening of the 11th round of a scheduled 12-round bout.

Buff's seconds threw a towel into the ring when Johnny, battered to grogginess, stood helpless before the Filipino's attack.

In the tenth round Villa scored two knockdowns. He began by pummeling Buff with both hands, rushing him to the ropes and then chasing him across the ring. Buff was reeling when Villa landed his left to the head and sent the American bumping to the floor.

The first time Buff did not take a count, but when Villa placed both hands to the head a few seconds later the American lay on the floor until five was counted and the bell rang, saving him. He was picked up and placed in his chair.

It was Villa's fight from the first. He was always active, always punching for an opening, instead of waiting for a chance, as Buff did. His terrific body blows, with both hands, sapped the American champion in the early rounds and his crushing left hooks and jabs to the head in the latter rounds brought him the victory.

Buff was unable to open an attack. He tried to edge in blows after the third round but Villa met every attack with another of two hands, punishing relentlessly.

## KALAMA CHALLENGES CAMAS

### Columbia River Ball Club Declared Best of Bushers.

KALAMA, Wash., Sept. 13.—(To the Sporting Editor.)—Sir: There appeared in The Oregonian of September 8 a communication by Mr. Willett of Camas, Wash., lamenting that the crack Camas Grays were going to seed for want of real competition. Inasmuch as the Grays, by their record, have established the fact that, aside from the Zerolene Bears (with the aid of the great Lefty Schroeder) there is at present no organized team in Portland which could give real competition to the Grays, Mr. Willett suggests that a team of all-stars selected of the pick of the best of all Portland semi-pro teams be formed to play the Grays.

By their record long since accomplished, the Grays of this year have already established the acknowledged championship of semi-pro baseball in the Portland territory and we do not believe there is any team in Oregon that would or could successfully question Camas' title to the "championship of all of Oregon and that part of the Columbia river territory in Washington lying above the Willamette river."

But why should the Grays pick on Portland when there are greater worlds to conquer?

If the Grays would like to keep from "going to seed" and would like to add to their title "the championship of southwestern Washington and that part of the Columbia river from the Willamette to the sea," it would be necessary first to dispose of the claims of Kalama, for Kalama, since the organization of its present team, has made an enviable reputation, having won 14 out of 15 starts, the one defeat being the one game the team was off its feed. That game was lost in the ninth inning by one lucky score and bad umpiring. Two weeks later Kalama retrieved this game and has since pretty well established its right to the claim to the "championship of the lower Columbia river territory and southwestern Washington."

Some of the teams Kalama has defeated are the Astoria Centennials (twice, September 3 and Labor day), the Columbia club of Astoria, Winlock, Castle Rock and St. Helens. If Camas thinks this does not show "class," ask Standard Oil, with Schroeder pitching, whether the Centennials were easy or not? It took the Bears extra innings to beat the Centennials.

We would suggest that Camas play Kalama one game, to be decided by the flip of a coin whether at Kalama or Camas. If in this game Kalama defeats Camas and thus establishes her claim to "class," we suggest two more games. In the event Camas wins the second game, the second game to be played on the grounds of the visiting team of the first game and the third game to be played on neutral grounds.

H. E. LONG,
Manager Kalama Baseball Club.

## Oliver Mitchell Is Leading Coast Pitchers.

### San Francisco Southpaw Has 20 Victories and Five Defeats.

OLIVER MITCHELL, the San Francisco southpaw, has eased himself into the pitching leadership of the coast league with 20 victories and only five defeats up to and including games of last Sunday. Scott of the same team is second with 22 victories and six defeats and May of Vernon third with 20 victories and eight defeats. He will be the first and perhaps only coast league pitcher to win 30 games.

The averages follow:

| Pitcher, team— | W. | L. | Pct. | Rrf. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hodge, S. F. | 1 | 0 | 1000 | 1 |
| Miller, Oak. | 1 | 0 | 1000 | 6 |
| Mitchell, S. F. | 20 | 5 | .800 | 77 |
| Scott, S. F. | 22 | 6 | .786 | 55 |
| May, Vernon | 29 | 8 | .784 | 57 |
| Geary, S. F. | 18 | 9 | .667 | 65 |
| Hughes, L. A. | 13 | 7 | .650 | 54 |
| McWeeney, S. F. | 11 | 6 | .647 | 45 |
| Coumbe, S. F. | 9 | 5 | .643 | 57 |
| Dumovich, L. A. | 16 | 9 | .640 | 54 |
| Thomas, L. A. | 16 | 9 | .640 | 78 |
| James, Vernon | 16 | 10 | .615 | 91 |
| Dell, Vernon | 19 | 12 | .613 | 104 |
| Kallio, S. L. | 15 | 10 | .600 | 94 |
| McCabe, S. L. | 3 | 2 | .600 | 16 |
| Arlett, Oak. | 21 | 15 | .583 | 102 |
| Doyle, Vernon | 15 | 11 | .577 | 79 |
| Gould, S. L. | 15 | 11 | .577 | 130 |
| Alten, S. F. | 12 | 9 | .571 | 71 |
| See, S. F. | 5 | 4 | .556 | 39 |
| Sutherland, Port. | 11 | 9 | .550 | 49 |
| Shea, S. F. | 6 | 5 | .545 | 22 |
| Faeth, Vernon | 6 | 5 | .545 | 41 |
| Gardner, Seattle | 14 | 12 | .538 | 81 |
| Lyons, L. A. | 15 | 13 | .636 | 80 |
| Kremer, Oak. | 15 | 14 | .517 | 96 |
| Jacobs, Seattle | 18 | 17 | .514 | 97 |
| Krause, Oak. | 18 | 17 | .514 | 108 |
| Crandall, L. A. | 16 | 16 | .500 | 92 |
| Thurston, S. L. | 12 | 12 | .500 | 91 |
| Gilder, Vernon | 8 | 9 | .500 | 55 |
| Jolly, Vernon | 3 | 3 | .500 | 37 |
| Gregg, Seattle | 15 | 16 | .484 | 103 |
| Middleton, Portland | 13 | 14 | .481 | 103 |
| Berger, Seattle | 11 | 12 | .478 | 69 |
| Prough, Sac. | 12 | 11 | .476 | 54 |
| Jones, Oak. | 7 | 8 | .467 | 68 |
| Myers, S. L. | 10 | 13 | .435 | 91 |
| Wallace, L. A. | 6 | 8 | .429 | 54 |
| Blacholder, S. L. | 6 | 8 | .429 | 93 |
| Shea, Sac. | 10 | 14 | .417 | 78 |
| Crumpler, Portland | 10 | 14 | .417 | 95 |
| Penner, Sac. | 11 | 16 | .407 | 77 |
| Fittery, Sac. | 14 | 20 | .412 | 94 |
| Betts, S. L. | 6 | 9 | .400 | 60 |
| Leverenz, Portland | 11 | 17 | .393 | 85 |
| Kunz, Sac. | 10 | 16 | .385 | 109 |
| Canfield, Sac. | 4 | 7 | .364 | 63 |
| Schorr, Seattle | 6 | 11 | .353 | 87 |
| Walberg, Portland | 6 | 11 | .353 | 99 |
| Biemiller, Portland | 5 | 10 | .333 | 74 |
| Eley, Oak. | 1 | 2 | .333 | 10 |
| Praster, Sac. | 1 | 2 | .333 | 12 |
| Colwell, Oakland | 2 | 5 | .286 | 45 |
| Yarrison, Portland | 1 | 3 | .250 | 8 |
| McQuaide, L. A. | 1 | 3 | .250 | 35 |
| Brenton, Oak. | 6 | 19 | .240 | 106 |
| Reiger, S. L. | 2 | 8 | .200 | 103 |
| Finneran, Seattle | 1 | 4 | .200 | 34 |

## Charles McManus Married.

(By Chicago Tribune Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Charles McManus, secretary of the New York Yankees, today was married to Miss May C. McClain at St. Patrick's cathedral. Mr. McManus will take his bride for a short honeymoon trip and then will return to prepare for the world's series—if the Yankees are not beaten out before then, which is an utter impossibility, according to Charles.

# GRID SCHEDULE CHANGED

## MULTNOMAH CLUB PLANS GAME AT PASADENA.

### Important Contest Tentatively Billed Will Be With Clemson on December 9 Here.

Two changes have been made in the tentative football schedule of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club, according to Ted Faulk, manager and coach. Instead of playing the Olympic club of San Francisco here on Armistice day, as was originally scheduled, the clubmen will take on the Winged O gridders at Pasadena. A return game with the Olympic club is set for the Multnomah field on Thanksgiving day.

Another important game on the Multnomah club schedule is a contest here on December 9 with Clemson college of South Carolina. Dr. C. J. Stewart, ex-coach of Oregon Agricultural college, is coaching Clemson. He expects to trim Center college on November 30 and will then bring his team to the Pacific coast on a barnstorming tour.

The Mare Island Marines also are attempting to book a game with Multnomah club on November 18. Multnomah club will play at least six games in Portland, opening the season October 7 with the Astoria American Legion. Then follows the game with University of Oregon at Eugene, on October 14. Gonzaga university will come here on October 21 and Oregon Agricultural college on November 4; then the trip to Pasadena. November 18 is an open date unless the game with the Marines is scheduled. Olympic club comes here November 30 and Clemson college December 9.

Thirty-two players responded to the first call for practice at Multnomah club last Sunday. Another practice was held Tuesday night and another last night.

# WHITMAN STARS RETURN

## MISSIONARY ELEVEN LOOKS GOOD ON PAPER.

### Borleske Already Has Nucleus for Great Team, With More Crack Players Coming.

WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash., Sept. 14.—(Special.)—Practice for the Whitman football squad began with the issuance of suits to 25 men Tuesday and to an additional five men today. Two workouts a day and two lectures are the programme for the rest of this week.

The following letter men have drawn suits and reported for work: Holmes, Dean and Schroeder, ends; Ratchford and Boyd, guards; Lucht, center; Roe, quarter; and Hall, fullback. Captain Red Heritage, star right tackle, and Earl Tilton, right halfback for two seasons, are expected to report tomorrow, and Claude Norris, the big fullback, before the end of the week. With still a possibility of the return of Harold Shepherd, left half, and Jack Harrison, giant lineman, Borleske appears to have the nucleus for a strong eleven.

Among others to report with excellent chances of making the first squad are Woods, Beck, Conley, Bennett and Walther, all of them linemen from last year.

Heritage, a brother of the missionary captain, from Sedro-Woolley; Mast, a speedy back from Pomeroy; and Rice, former center on the Walla Walla high eleven, are among the promising new men.

The Missionaries open the season here against the University of Idaho team next month, so Coach Borleske is making every effort to get in shape early. He hopes to begin scrimmage next week.

## Meadowbrook Four Wins.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 14.—The Meadowbrook four, led by Captain Devereaux Milburn, today defeated the Flamingo polo team 15 goals to 13. It was the second match of the international tournament being played at the Philadelphia Country club and the result eliminated Captain J. C. Cooley's team from the present competition. The All-Ireland was put out of the tournament by the Orange county four.

## Alexa Victor in Third Round.

TORONTO, Sept. 14.—Miss Alexa Stirling of New York, ex-American women's golf champion, defeated Miss Ada McKenzie, Ontario titleholder and ex-dominion champion, two up this afternoon in the third round of the Canadian women's championship over the Toronto golf club course.

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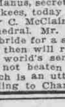

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