

BATTERY A LOSES GAME

OREGON CITY Y. M. C. A. WINS AT BASKET-BALL.

Exciting Contest, With a Final Score of 14 to 1—Other Sporting News.

The indoor baseball team of the Oregon City Y. M. C. A. defeated the Battery A nine in a very exciting game at the Army room last evening, the final score being 14 to 1. A home run by Ratt, in the ninth inning, was the sensational feature of the game.

WHITEHOUSE IS HIGH MAN.

Wins Monthly Bowling Tournament at Multnomah Club. Morris B. Whitehouse won the monthly bowling tournament on the M. A. A. C. alleys last evening by a score of 225, with an allowance of 25.

Table with columns: PLAYERS, Points, Average. Lists names like Sydney, Ball, Malloy, etc.

Multnomah Billiards.

The following is the result of the only game played in the M. A. A. C. billiard tournament last evening:

C. W. Zeller (6)..... 2.34 H. Foster (2)..... 1.96

Engaged by the Butte Club. BUTTE, Mont., March 1.—Manager J. J. McCloskey of the Butte Baseball Club, has signed Oliver J. Burns, of Stillwater, Minn., as pitcher, and Frank T. Ward as second baseman for the coming season.

Portland High School Girls Win. SEATTLE Wash., March 1.—The Portland High School girls' basketball team defeated the Seattle High School team last evening by a score of 12 to 6.

St. Vrain Signs With Tacoma. TACOMA, March 1.—James L. St. Vrain, the clever little south coast pitcher of last season's Tacoma baseball team, reported signed by Chicago, today met President John S. Baker, of the local club, and signed a contract to play with the Tacoma club next season.

Council of Jewish Women. An interesting programme has been arranged for the meeting Wednesday afternoon, March 5. Mrs. M. Baruh will read a paper on "Sir Walter Bevan, Philanthropist," and Miss Harriet Friendly and Miss Sophie Wolfe, of Silverton, will recite selections.

Makes Monmouth State Champion. MONMOUTH, Or., March 1.—The Monmouth Normal School basketball team tonight defeated the Y. M. C. A. all-star team, of Portland, by a score of 21 to 13. Monmouth galloped from start to finish.

Even Match of Football. A well-contested association football match was played yesterday between two elevens of the Portland, assisted by Bishop Scott Academy boys and a delegation of sailors. A. E. King and James D. Mackle were captains, and the play was about even.

T. Scott Brooke Wins Duffer Contest. In the Duffer competition for the Ayer-Spaulin cup, held on the Waverly Golf Links yesterday, Mr. T. Scott Brooke won out, with a score of 108. Mr. Zera Snow took second place, with a score of 111.

Portland Girls Defeat Tacoma. TACOMA, March 1.—The Portland High School girls defeated the Tacoma team at basket-ball tonight by a score of 19 to 6.

Dallas Defeats Independence. INDEPENDENCE, March 1.—Dallas College basket-ball team last night defeated Independence by a score of 13 to 1.

THE CALIFORNIA DERBY. Won by Sombrero, Corrián Second, Watercratch Third. SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Sombrero, ridden by Willie O'Connor, won the California Derby at Oakland today in a gallop from Corrián, Watercratch being a distant third.

time out the books laid 6 to 5 against Ducky. He won easily from Meehanus. The summary: Six furlongs, selling—Montoya won, Lemus second, Innocencia third; time, 1:18. Futurity course, selling—Phil Archibald won, Hilary second, Loyal S. third; time, 1:24.

Races at New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—Results: Six furlongs, selling—Sir Christopher won, Kiss Quick second, Weid third; time, 1:14.

Delay in Baseball Litigation. NEW YORK, March 1.—Argument on the demurrer on the Philadelphia club indictment was postponed until next Thursday by mutual agreement.

THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Report Shows It to Be More of a Local Than a State Institution.

SILVERTON, Feb. 23.—(To the Editor.)—An inspection of the annual catalogue of the Oregon Agricultural College for the year 1900-1901, reveals several things which may be of interest to the readers of the Oregonian.

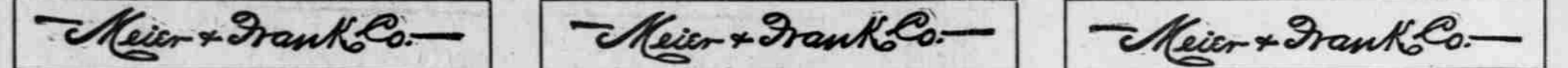
Everywhere college education is a question of purpose and expense and the purpose is weighed in the expense scale. If the young man or woman finds that a course in pharmacy with a diploma admitting the holder to practice can be had at the Agricultural College for less toll and expense than at other places, that is the place he will go.

Other counties represented tall along as follows: Multnomah, 2; Polk, 2; Multnomah, 2; Linn, 2; Yamhill, 19; Lane, 18; Washington, 15; Clackamas, 13; Douglas and Wasco, 12 each; Union, 10; Malheur, 7; Lincoln, 6; Harney and Clatsop, 6 each; Gilliam, Crook and Umatilla, 4 each; Wallowa and Coos, 3 each; Lake, 2; Jackson, 1.

from the school have uniformly protested against appropriating general funds for partial purposes. The 71 sophomores are distributed as follows: Mechanical and electrical engineering, 22; pharmacy, 11; agriculture, 11; household science, 17. The engineers are in the lead in numbers, with 22.

It is estimated that the population of the Russian Empire is now about 130,000,000, while that of our own country is only about 78,000,000. In Russia the people are scattered over 8,600,000 square miles, while in the United States our population is contained in 3,602,969 square miles.

"Gendron" Carriages and Go-Carts—40 styles—Prices from \$4.25 to \$40—(Third floor.)



Boys' Clothing The latest styles in Boys' Norfolk and Norfolk Blouse Suits for boys—New colors—New style trimmings—Handsome make and very reasonably priced—The best boys' clothing store in town is here. (Second floor.)

New Carpets Axminsters, Brussels and velvets in magnificent colorings and designs—Plain colors if you want them—Our Spring carpet display is the largest and best Portland has ever had the opportunity to select from. (Third floor.)

Infants' Wear Dainty Infants' Wear for Spring and Summer now being shown—Included are Slips, Dresses, Sacques, Booties, Caps, Christening Gowns, Embroidered Flannel Petticoats, Bibs, and many Novelties—(Second floor.)

New Waists



The new ready-to-wear waists—We have never had a better collection for you to choose from—Every style that woman will wear this Spring will be found here in great profusion—Down from the fifth floor where they have been mar haling for weeks past the new waists, both silk and cotton, come to Summer quarters on the second floor tomorrow—We say, make your selections now—June won't show better styles, and the variety will be far less than now at the very beginning of the season.

- New Crepe de Chine waists in black and white, superb styles, all sizes \$12.50
Etamine waists in blue, ecru, white and black, new fabric, new styles \$6.00
New Peau de Cygne waists in black and white effects, very stylish \$12.00

Cotton Waists In so many styles that cold type can't do them justice—Every new style—Every new wash fabric—Every size—Every price—We're pleased to show them to you—(Second floor.)

Cloak Dept.



We are ready tomorrow morning with a cloak department so complete with new things in ready-to-wear apparel for women that before sundown will have echoed its importance across the town and will have brought the women folks here in great numbers, for no store on the Pacific Slope has ever equaled this splendid showing—And may we just drop a hint as to values—It will pay you to know how Meier & Frank sell cloaks and suits.

- New walking suits \$18.00 to \$32.00
New dress suits from \$12.50 to \$75.00
All the new materials and styles.
Moire velour jackets \$9.00 to \$12.50
New taffeta jackets—Silk Etoms and blouses.
New evening costumes in silk and cotton.
New jackets and walking skirts.

Wash Fabrics



Headquarters for wash fabrics—Styles superbly beautiful—Prettier than anything of which you have dreamed or pictured in cotton fabrics—Most of them journeyed direct from the Old Country to Portland—Handed to us by the maker—The time for buying is now.

Novelty Oxfords, French Mull, Linens, exclusive waist patterns in Madras, French Duck, French Ginghams, Grenadines, Swisses, Dimities, etc., etc.

Silks—Black Goods



The Spring and Summer silks and black dress fabrics receive prominent display tomorrow—The first whiff of Spring styles over hills of Winter—The brightest, the daintiest, choicest first pickings from the product of the best American and foreign manufacturers—Ready in most lavish variety—The styles are a sharp advance on the styles of a year ago—The weaves of many of the fabrics, both silks and wool goods, being remarkable for their neat and rich appearance—The finish and texture of the fabrics will delight you—The gathering has been done with a very liberal hand—Gather all the silks and dress fabrics in town together and you won't have a display equal to ours—Come and look them over—They are here to be shown, and salespeople are here to show them.

New Silks

Black and white effects in taffetas, pompours and grenadines. Immense variety to choose from. Pongees are to be very popular for Spring and Summer wear. Six styles, ranging in price from 50c to \$1.25 yard. Black corded wash silks, 50c yard. New Peau de Soies, in colors, 85c yard. Mummy silks in all leading shades. New fancy waisting silks in all the new designs and colorings. Cheney Bros. celebrated foulard silks in a magnificent array of new colorings and designs. Three qualities to please everyone.

In Black Goods

You'll find here the names of many of the new fabrics. Some of the old friends retain a great measure of their popularity. Grenadines Canvas Aesthetics Granites English Twists L'Aligons Armoires Etamines Crepes Venetians Poplins Prunellas Fanoy Mohairs NoveltyCrepes Melrose Velours Albatrosses in all colors. Novelty White Fabrics White hopsacking in a variety of weaves, white silk striped batiste, very handsome figured gloria in white. Entirely new black and white grenadines are stylish.

BARGAINS 50-inch black chevlots at 61c, 73c and 83c yard. 42, 44, 46-inch black prunella cloth, big bargain, 86c, \$1.09 and \$1.27 yard.

New Hosiery

The hosiery mills of the Old Country never produced prettier novelties than those we are now showing. Fancies are going to be more popular than ever before, and the leaders in fancy hosiery are Lord & Taylor, of New York City, who operate their own mills abroad, and produce the best hosiery sold in America. Their famous "Onyx" brand has a world-wide reputation, and the full line is represented here.

Scotch Flannels

The new Scotch Flannels came to hand Saturday and will receive their first showing today. 25 styles in plain or silk striped effects. Beautiful color combinations. Wide or narrow stripes, 27, 32 or 36-inch 35c yd, 40c yd, 50c yd

Men's Clothing

Did you think you could buy us out? We believe you tried, for there never was such a busy week in ready-to-wear clothes for men and boys as last week. One more week of this great sale. Unprecedented bargains. A word to the wise is sufficient. \$7.50, \$8.50 Suits \$5.98 \$10.00 Suits \$7.10 \$12.50, \$13.50 Suits \$8.36 \$16.50, \$17.50 Suits \$12.85 \$22.00 Suits \$16.65 Men's \$6.00 Trousers \$4.50 Boys' Sailor Suits in blue serge, and two-piece School Suits at remarkable low prices. Boys' Waists and Trousers greatly reduced.

Summer Shirts

The season's here and so are the Shirts. Hundreds and thousands of them, in a host of different styles and patterns. The product of America's best manufacturers. MEN, you save money by buying your Shirts from us. \$1.00 to \$3.00 "Hawes" Hats Spring styles for men—derbys and Fedoras, black and light grays. The equal of any \$4 hat. Our \$3.00 price.

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ence even more noticeable. In the first class there are 24 cities in the United States running from New York to Rochester. In Russia there are 11, running from St. Petersburg to Tashkent. New York, Chicago and Philadelphia are larger than St. Petersburg, though both Moscow and Warsaw are larger than St. Louis, the fourth city in the United States.

your welcome message. I highly appreciate the grand and sympathetic reception given to my dear brother by the editors of the daily newspapers of the United States. WILLIAM, L. R. Deaf and Dumb Outlaw Killed. GUTHRIE, O. T., March 1.—While resisting arrest in the Arbuckle Mountains, an outlaw known as Captain Jack was killed by Deputy United States Marshal Upham, of Ryan. No friends of the man could be located, and he was buried at the Government's expense. He was both deaf and dumb. Prairie Fire in Oklahoma. GUTHRIE, O. T., March 1.—A destructive prairie fire near Fort Cobb, in the new country, did great damage to 100 homesteaders, sweeping away their improvements, stock and all personal property and compelling the people to flee for their lives. Preferred Stock String Beans. New York's finest production. The population of the Australian commonwealth, according to the latest returns, is 3,775,356.

Spring! Beautiful Spring! The coming of beautiful Spring is hailed with especial delight this season by the stylish dresser, for never before has Dame Fashion bestowed upon her such a wealth of her choicest blessings.

The Advance Styles of Spring Suits

Are now on exhibition. It will be worth your while to inspect them. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

GREAT SALE OF FUR BOAS

Highest Price paid for Raw Furs.

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