## SEARCH IS ON FOR A FIGHTER

No Candidate for Heavyweight Honors Is in Same Class With Champion.

### WOULD JEFFRIES FIGHT?

Jack O'Brien, Sam Berger and Tommy Burns Mentioned as Possible Opponents, if the Big Fellow Should Re-Enter the Ring.

BY WILL G. MAC REAL It must have jarred those San Fran-cisco fight fans when Jim Jeffries turned turtle on his statement of again enter-ing the ring. Jeff gladdened the hearts of Jimmy Coffroth and the rest of the fight magnates, but the wine must have been bibbling in the glass and Jeff was out of ear-shot of the "Mrs", for when he returned to Los Angeles he reversed himself and said that he had no inten-tion of dealing the sleep potion to Sammy Berger, Tommy Burns, Jack O'Brien and the rest of the pretenders to the heavy

weight championship throne. Jeffries' retirement in the first instance was due to his wife. The big fellow had promised that his fight with Munros would be his last and he has kept his word so far. Mrs. Jeff will make her lord and master stick to his promise I she can, but should some big man loon up and trim all the pretenders and the buck is passed to the big ex-boiler-maker, and it will take more than Mrs. Jeff to keep him from defending his title. No second-raters need apply for a battle with Jeffries. He is not in need of the money and being a big-hearted, honest fighter, he will not lend himself to a second Munroe affair. Of course should some bruiser fight his way through the second division of heavy watchts and the second division of heavy-weights and the press and fight fans should intimate that Jeff was afraid to meet him, then it would take more more than Mrs. Jeff's

promise to keep him out of the ring.
When Jeff told Promoter Coffroth
that he would fight again and before that he would fight again and before his club, Coffroth had in mind either O'Brien, Berger or Tommy Burns. These are the only fighters on the pusilistic stage just at present that are claiming heavy-weight honors. True there is Squires, of Australia, whom Jack O'Brien was going over to fight, and Jack Johnson. Of the lot, because little is known of what Squires can do in this country, Jack Johnson. can do in this country, Jack Johnson would come nearer giving Jeff an argument than any claimant to neavyweight honors.

#### Johnson Not to Be Considered

The big negro is undoubtedly the fastest and cleverest big man in the ring today. He is even faster than Jack O'Brien and that is saying a great deal. But a fight between Johnson and Jeffries is out of the question. Jeff when he first broke into the business fought niggers, but when he won the title he hung out the sign "no negroes need apply," and he was right in doing so. This, however, is not the main reason for Jeff's refusal to fight Joinson. The big black fellow is crooked in the first place and in the second he is a dead rank coward. He second he is a dead rank coward. He is shifty, both with his hands and feet, but he will not stand the gaff. When he gets stung he runs like a jackal. His last fight in San Francisco was with Marvin Hart, to whom he laid down. Johnson can whip a dozen of the clumsy Kentukian's style in a single night. All he did in this fight was to stall, sting Hart a time or two and then run away. Alex Gregor two and then run away. Alex Greggains put on the fight and was referee and because Hart appeared to do all the leading and rushing gave him the

Johnson can whip Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, Tommy Burns, Sam Berger and so on down, if he would fight Tommy Burns long ago drew the color ouldn't drag O'Brien into the same ring with the black with a derrick. Neither will Berger fight Johnson. The other day the press dispatches from the East announced that Al Kaufman, who has side stepped Tommy Burns, had been matched with Johnson Kauffman let the story get. Johnson. Kauffman let the story get cold for press agent purposes and then called the match off. This is getting to be an old trick with the California youngoe an old trick with the Chilfornia young-ster, but it is just what Sam Berger and O'Brien are doing. The only man in the heavy-weight division who is doing any-thing but talking is Tommy Burns. Burns the other night met and defeated Flynn, at Los Angeles. When Flynn was put into Queer street, another heavy-weight champion aspirant was kicked down the ladder. Burns went through Flyan like a rat through a barn and the final punch that Burns planted on his jaw put him out for ten minutes.

O'Brien and Berger May Met.

A week ago it looked as if Coffroth was a week ago it looked as it controls was going to bring Jack O'Brien and Sam Berger together, but it has ended so far in just a lot of talk. The pair of fighters are quibbling over the rules under which they were to fight. Berger wants to hit they were to fight. Berger wants to hit in the clinches and O'Brien wants to break clean and this is where the fight talk has ended. Hitting in the clinches would be in Berger's favor, for he is strong and husky. In the fight that the pair had in Philadelphia Berger did his best work in the clinches and this has put O'Brien wise. With the rules calling for clear break O'Brien with his for a clean break, O'Brien, with his knowledge of the game and his clever-ness, would chop Berger to pieces, just as he did Al Kauffman. Coffroth may be able to bring the pair together, but the outlook just now does not look very

The defeat of Eddy Hanlon by Fighting Dick Hyland, must have been a severe blow to Hanlon's many admirers. This fight should convince Hanlon that he is down and out and he should quit the game before he gets killed. The boy sim-fly does not know when he is beaten and it is a shame for a referee to stand by and sllow a fighter to take the awful beating that Hanlon received from Hyland. Hanion is another Sharkey and like Sharkey he will never be able to stand the gaff. Young Corbett and Batt.

ling Nelson gave Hanion terrible beat-ings and the boy has never recovered and what is more, he never will.

A fight that is scheduled to take place at Philadelphia October 16, and will attract the attention of the entire list of fight fans, is the fight between Terry Mc Govern and Young Corbet. This will be This will be the third time that the pair has met, and the third time that the pair has met, and the speculating is, will Corbett make it three straight. Another thing this fight will prove and that is, which of the two has gone farthest back. On past per-formances, the dope favora McGovern.

JIM M'GUIRE'S GREAT RECORD

New York Catcher Has Played Pro-

ressional Ball Since 1884. Jim McGuire, now catching for the New York American League team, is one of the oldest players now on the professional

diamond. He has a most wonderful record,

as will be seen from the following table showing the games he played, togethe with his batting and fielding averages:

and fielding averages:

Games Field Field Bat.

Played Chances, Av. Av.

40 302 910 184

72 595 502 280

47 431 897 197

40 320 885 207

40 320 885 207

42 362 896 248

71 613 388 301

83 679 822 280

80 477 432 886 241

47 253 887 182

102 471 887 304

182 650 966 330

95 478 912 325

76 407 928 370

86 429 588 376

87 407 928 385

98 494 98 588 376

88 21 909 280

84 546 645 915 280

85 466 409 983 241

50 375 988 370

70 285 502 229

66 409 983 270

70 446 973 312 1903—Detroit ... 1904—New York 1905—New York So far this year McGuire has played nearly fifty games, and is batting about

In his career McGuire caught in nearly 1,600 league games, and in numberless amateur and exhibition games, of which no record has been kept.

CLUB RIDERS FOR HUNT CLUB

All Will Be Closed Chases Except Thanksgiving Cup Run.

Club rides will be the feature of the Portland Hunt Club for the season of 1906-1907. This means that all but the run for the handsome club trophy will be closed chases, which will give all of the riders in the club a chance to ride through. The run for the club cup will take place on Thanksgiving Day, and will be an open chase. This chase has always been the stiffest of the Hunt Club season, and this year, on account of the great number year, on account of the great number. year, on account of the great number of splendid thoroughbreds now owned by the club members, will attract more

attention than ever.

The schedule of rides so far arranged will consist of six club rides and the Thanksgiving Day run. The dates fol-

October 20, club ride; November 3, club ride; November 17, club ride; November 28, Thanksglving cup; December 15, club ride; January 1, club ride; January 12, club ride.

### AGNEW OUT OF THE GAME

ABANDONS SEARCH FOR NEW GROUNDS AT SEATTLE.

Announcement That There Will Be 75 Days' Racing Next Year Hurts Prospects of Receipts.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 6.—(Special.)—J. P. Agnew has withdrawn from baseball and will refuse to help finance the Seattle baseball team next year. He has aban-doned the search for new grounds and today he announced that the Seattle Electric Company could tear down the old grandstand and bleachers at Recreation Park in any manner it chose. So far as the local baseball association is concerned there will be no attempt to preserve the

If Russ Hall wants to stay in the game If Russ Hall wants to stay in the game he can, but Agnew is through. He expects the Pacific Coast League to take over the franchise. Up to today Mr. Agnew has been making a bluff at looking for new grounds, but when the Republican County Committee got through with the figures on political assessments and decided the County Auditor would have to pay \$600 for the privilege of running for office again he quit. Mr. Agnew estimates it will cost \$5000 to build new grounds and it will cost \$5000 to build new grounds and he cannot get that much out of the prof-Its of this season and a \$2400 salary from

the county There is talk of putting David Edward Dugdale in charge of next year's team but it is not certain he would take it by himself. If anyone wants to pay Dugdale a salary for taking over the team the fat person will be there to sign his name every month.

Something that hurts is the announcement that there will be 75 days of racing next year, and this means a serious cut. into baseball profits. The 60-day card this season took the crowd away during this season took the crowd away during the week, but poured a sporting element into the grounds on Sundays that made the park look like a bunch out to see a free balloon ascension. Mr. Agnew does not see money in sight and that is his

reason for wanting to cut loose.
It is declared here that the Californians will insist upon putting Sacramento back on the card in place of Fresno. The Seatthe backers wanted a combination of three towns, but when they had to compromise on Fresno receipts and the previous years failed to make good at Sacramento they balked at a single burg in the south land to pay visiting expenses. If one looked around for a good excuse one might find a bunch that had quit even on a game they did not understand and were willing to let go at that. Possibly this is the reason for all the talk of a change.

### No Game With Fort Stevens.

Late yesterday afternoon Manager Horan, of the Multnomah team, was notified that the Fort Stevens team had disbanded and that the game scheduled with Multnomah for October 20 will not be played. The Multnomah manager will make an effort to secure

Large Exodus to Duck and Pheasant Grounds.

UPLAND BIRDS ARE FEW

Farmers Reported to Have Killed Them Off-Various Theories Advanced for Hostility of the Agriculturist.

There was another large oxodus of Portland hunters last night and this norning for the haunts of the China pheasant and of the duck. Many of the hunters who went out for pheasants Monday last will have another try at the birds, and still others will spend the day knocking down ducks at the various pre-serves along the Columbia.

During the past week a number of Portland hunters have been up the Wil-

If the pheasants are being killed because of the gun license, prompt action should be taken by the Game Warden. The old plea of no funds is no longer an excuse for the lack of game protection. Not only is there ample fund to pay the Game Warden, but there are also ample funds with which to conduct the prosecutions. with which to conduct the prosecutions. It hardly seems probable that farmers object to paying the \$1 for a gun license. The city hunter, who gets about three or four days a year to hunt in, has not objected to paying the price.

DOC ANDERSON TO OFFICIATE

Famous Umpire Baiter Will Himself Hold Indicator in Game.

Once more this season the umpire's voice will howl, "Play ball." This time it will be Doc Anderson who will shatter the Sabbath stillness and the shattering will take place this afternoon at the baseball park. No baseball fan in town has protested louder and as often as Doc Anderson at the decisions of um-pires. There isn't a fan in Portland who hasn't heard Doc Anderson yell "Ah come out of it. Lou! That one was straight over! Come out of it and give us a few of those close ones; we need 'em just as bad as the other fei-lows! Get in the game. Lou; what's the matter?"

This is the line of junk that Doc is always peddling out to umpires. This afternoon he will get his, and will know how it sounds. The lineup of the team follows:

Schillers—Slavin, catcher; French, O'Brien and Sam Berger these days. One

WELL-KNOWN OREGON HORSE SOLD IN THE EAST FOR \$10,000

## OF SAN FRANCISCO

It's On Again, Off Again With the O'Brien-Berger Match These Days.

DISPUTE OVER THE TERMS

Eddie Hanlon Realizes He Is a Has-Been and Quits the Game-Beavers Recognized Ball Champions.

### team in the league would receive part of the benefit. The old grounds at Eighth and Hattison streets can be secured for a fair sum, considering rents these days, and some move should be made by Cal Ewing and that in a hurry,

The California State League is receiving all the attention. San Jose and Stockton are having a close race for first place and with one game between them, enthuslasm is at white heat. All the state league teams are grabbing players of note whenever they have a chance. Stricklett may be on hand this coming Sunday to play against Stockton for San Jose. Charlie Baum, the Los Angeles pitcher, who was with Altoona in the outlaw league, is at home and last Sunday pitched for Sacramento. Baum brings news of a number of the old California players who are in the East and says that Charlie Shields. ex-Portland. ex-Seattle, has been making a great name for himself. Doc Moskiman was also one of the week's arrivals. Moskiman pitched for the Jersey City team in the Eastern League and reports a good season. He says that his eyes gave out on him toward the close of the year, which accounted for the fact that he did not hit the ball as hard as he had done in the past. Charlie Shields, ex-Portland, ex-Seattle

Weston Outplays Walla Walla.

WESTON STATION, Or., Oct. 6 .- (Spe cial.)-Weston Normal school defeated the Walla Walla High School in the first football game of the season this afternoon by a score of 14 to 0. Weston clearly outplayed their opponents and showed more familiarity with new rules, especially in punting. Touchdowns were made for Weston by Fleenor and Rock.

## DUCKBOATS ARE CROWDED

MANY NIMRODS LEAVE FOR HUNTING PRESERVES.

Good Flight of Feathered Game Is Anticipated Along the Lower Columbia Today.

The duck boats leaving down the Columbia for favored shooting spots were crowded with hunters last night. A week ago duck hunters were few and far between, as nearly all the nimrods were storing up energy and ammunition for the advent of the pheasant season. sides, weeks of good weather had not brought in many ducks

However, after the three days of storms which marked the fore part of the past week confidence is felt that there will he something of a flight today. Reports from the coast indicate that the storms were heavy where the feathered tribes have been holding out and probably had the effect of driving large numbers of birds to the shelter of Sauvies Island and neighboring preserves. The really good shooting will not come, though, until there is a week of genuine rain and wind to drive cold-weather birds off the coast. The flight thus far has been most of wood duck, with an occasional bunch of mallard and sprig. A dozen birds to the hunter is a good bag just now, but when the widgeon and late birds come in the hunter who falls to get a limit bag of 50 on any of the well-kept pre-serves will be in bad repute with his fellow sportsmen.

PORTLAND, 5; SAILORS, 0.

City Team Wins Second Association Game of Season.

The Portland Association football the Portland Association football club again won from the Seaman's Institute in a game of "soccer" at the league baseball grounds yesterday afternoon. The ships represented were the Visigoth Alliston and the Galgate. Handicapped by lack of training and practice, the men of the sea could do little or nothing against the city for-ward line, which, while light, is fast, and did some clever passing and trick

Portland's goals were scored Matthew (1), Vosper (1), Mills (1), and Kilpack (2). The lineup follows: Portland. Position. Seaman's Inst. Portland Position Seaman's Inst.

Drake Goal Waters
Stewart Dyment Backs McDonald.

Dickson Kirkwood Steel Haives Coles Trost.

Weber Mills. Vosper ... Left wing ... Richards Mills. Vosper...Left wing... Richardson.
Hastings
Kilpack ...... Right wing.... Ringer.
Pickmere

Matthew ..... Center ..... . Catter Umpire-Collingwood, of the Visigoth.

TUG OF WAR TOURNAMENT.

West Side Team Wins and Weinhard Team Is a Good Second.

The tug-of-war contest which was held at the Tivoli Garden was won by the West Side team with the Weinhard team a bang-up second. Several contests were held during the day, and the evening was spent in dancing. Ingemar Westrom, cap-tain of the West Side team, sprung a surprise on the rest of the tuggers by gath ering together the Swedish champions of last season's tournament, and their per-fect form and knowledge of the sport easily won for them the contest and the handsome Henry Kahn gold medal. Cap-tain Hauser, of the Weinhard team, was badly handicapped by the failure of his anchor man to take his place on the cleats. In spite of this, however, his team gave the winners a hard struggle. tain C Joregson has some good material in his sailor team, and they will, with practice, prove themselves formidable pullers.

The line-up of the winning team fol-lows: Vice-captain, J. J. Liebek: Alfred Johnson, E. Lind, J. Jacobson, A. Johnsen, C. Newman, G. Lind, A. Erickson.

### Fine Exhibition of Lacrosse.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Oct. 6. —(Special)—The annual provincial exhibition closed in this city tonight after a most successful week. Mayor Keary was re-elected manager for next year, in spite of his resignation being tendered. The events of the last day consisted of a few horse races and a grand lacrosse exhibition match between the Strathcona team, of Cal-gary, and the Maple Leafs, of Van-couver. Although the score stood 15 to 4 in favor of Vancouver at the close, the game was exciting on account of the splendid defense made by the

The exhibition has been a financial success, some days showing larger gate returns than last year during the Dominion fair.

Aero Club Will Challenge Lahm.

PARIS, Oct. 6 .- The Aero Club, of France, has decided that so soon as Lieutenant Frank P Lahm is officially declared the winner of the recent bal-loon contest it will challenge for the James Gordon Bennett cup. Count de le Vaulx has called attention to the remarkable nerve displayed by the par-ticipants in last Sunday's race, seven of the contestants crossing the Channel, which had only once before been traversed from France to England, al-though it had many times been crossed from the opposite direction.

Lexington Track Too Wet.

# HAS THE GOODS

Schimpff Allows the Angels but One Hit During the Game.

BEAVERS SCORE ONE RUN

Dillon Makes the Only Sensational Play of the Contest in the Running Catch of a Fly Near

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

the Bleachers.

Yesterday's Results. Portland, 1: Los Angeles, 0, Seattle, 8, Oakland, 5. San Francisco, S. Fresno, S.

Standing of the Clubs

10st 48 73 72 78 94 104

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 6 .- (Special.) -The little Dutch pitcher, Schimpff, was there again with his luck today, and blanked the locals with a one-hit game, while Nagle held the Champs to four. Hits were very shy, and circus plays were not, save a fine running catch by Dillon-a fly near the right bleachers. A big crowd of fans was present but saw nothing notable except the great pitching of the little Dutchman.

man.

In the first inning, after Sweeny was easy out at first, McHale sent a grounder to Gochnauer, and he threw it high to Dillon, Mac being safe. He advanced on Mitchell's out at first, went to third on Henderson's swat to center, and scored the only run of the game when Bernard let the ball get away from him. The score:

LOS ANGELES. AB. R. H. F.O.

Bernard, cf.

Gochnauer, sg.
Cravath, rf.
Brashear, 3b.
Dillon, 1b.
Carlisle, If.
Toman, 2b.
Buckley, c.
Nagie, p. Nagie, p. Mangerina, c. Ellis\* PORTLAND.

Mitchell, If
Henderson, rf
Smith, 3b
Donahue, 2b
Carson, c
Lister, 1b
Schimpff, p. 

SCORE BY INNINGS. Los Angeles ... 3 \$ \$ shrdlu cmfwyp mb
Los Angeles ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Hits ... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1
Portland ... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Hits ... 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0
Hits ... 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 SUMMARY

Errors—Sweeney, Bernard, Goch Brashear, Base hite—Mitchell, Sw Sacrifice hits—Gochnauer, Cravath base on errors—Partland, 2. Left on b Los Angoles, 6; Portland, 6. Bases of —Schimpff, 7; Nagle, 1. Struck Schimpff, 5; Nagle, 3. Time of game hour and 4 minutes. Umpire—Perrir Cravath First Left on bases— Bases on balls

Darkness Ends The Game.

FRESNO, Cal., Oct. 6.—Today's game between San Francisco and Fresno was called on account of durkness at the end of the eleventh inning with the score a

San Francisco ... 10030200002-8107 Fresno .......00000042002-893 Batterles-Myers. Welch and Wilson; McGregor and Hogan.

Seattle Wins From Oakland. OAKLAND, Oct 6.—Seattle won foday, by a score of 9 to 7. Score;

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland 5, Chicago 3.

CHICAGO, Oct 6.—Cleveland bade fare-well to Chicago today, defeating the champions, 5 to 3. Heavy hitting and sen-sational fielding were the features. The RHE

Chicago ..... 3 18 5 Cleveland .... 5 12 1 Batteries-Altrock, Owen and Roth; Rhoades and Bemis.

New York 5, Boston 4.

BOSTON, Oct. 6 .- New York closed the American League season here this after-noon by defeating Boston. The score: R.H.E.| New York... 5 11 2 Boston...... RHE Batteries-Hughes and Thomas; Swormsted and Peterson.

St. Louis 7-4, Detroit 3-2.

ST LOUIS, Oct 6 -St Louis won both games from Detroit today. Jacobsen pitched excellent ball in the last game. First game-

St. Louis..... 710 2 Detroit ... Batteries-Powell and O'Connor, Slever Second game-RHE St. Louis.... 4 8 4 Detroit ...... 3 4 3

Batteries-Jacobsen and Spencer: Willets Will Play Later On.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.-The Philadelphia-Washington game has been post-

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scheduled Games Postponed.

Advices from New York, Pitteburg and Brooklyn state that the games scheduled at those cities for today were postponed

WINS TWO-YEAR OLD CHAMPIONSHIP AND \$50,000 IN PURSES



### THOMAS HITCHCOCK'S BELVIDERE

At last the two-year-old championship has been decided, and the honor goes to Thomas Hitchcock's Belvidere. One remarkable feature in connection with the Belvidere gelding is that he was purchased for \$3700 by Thomas Hitchcock at the dispersal sale of Captain Brown's stable. Since his arrival in the Hitchcock stable, this youngster has captured all of his races and has won \$50,000 in purses. If he can get back to the races next year and still have his speed and gameness, he will be a big factor in all of the big stakes for threeyear-olds and also for three-year-olds and upwards. Credit for the making of Belvidere a great two-year-old is due to John Madden for this great trainer has made the colf the horse that he is.

Some of the shooters have been lucky enough to kill the limit, but the majority have been forced to return home

the hens were killed off, for they were

lamette Valley after pheasants and re-port that the birds are scarce and very wild. Some of the shooters have been shortstop; Druhot, left field; Oliver. center field; Davey, right field.
Trunkmakers—Hurlburt and Parrott, pitchers; Antoine, catcher; Trowbridge, first base; Brown, second base; Day, third base; McClellan, shortstop; Van Nortwick, left field; Briggs, center

with only a few birds. Men who have studied the habits of the pheasants attribute the scarcity to killing them during closed season. It is true that the first brood might have been partially de-stroyed by the wet weather, but the sec-and brood should have grown up unless

upon invitation of the people upon whose farm the birds are shot. Some of the farmers receive payment; the majority,

hatched during the dry season.

The story that farmers were killing

because they ate up the planted corn, is hardly creditable. Another story that will not down, is that the farmers kill off the birds to exterminate them and thereby get rid of the hunters who hunt over their places without permission, tear down their fences and shoot and cripple their livestock. It will undoubtedly sur-prise those folk who believe this sort of a tale to learn that perhaps not one out of ten hunters who go out after pheasants during the open season hunt across a man's farm without first having per-mission to do so. The majority of hunters who leave Portland for the haunts of the 'Chinamen" have been shooting at the various places in the Willamette Valley for several seasons, and always do so

off the pheasants because of the \$1 hun-ters' license may have some truth to it, but the one that they killed them off

field: Jameson, right field.

FIRST SCRIMMAGE OF YEAR AT OREGON UNIVERSITY.

MACK-MACK, FAMOUS TROTTER.

2.08 1/2. was sold Tauraday for \$10,000 to Boston horsemen. Mack-Mack was bought by J. R. Bowles, of this city, for \$1150.

Hilman, who had been driving Mack-Mack on the Coast Circuit, has always had a high regard for the big McKinney gelding, and was confident he could win on the Grand Circuit, which he has done. Mack-Mack finished second in the Tran-

sylvania, a race which his new owners, Messrs. George A. Graves and Charles H. Fraiser, had hoped he would win

Mack-Mack, whose Oregon record was 2:15, and who has this year on the Grand Circuit been trotting in 2:09% and

All the Collegians Are Out to See the Candidates at Practice. UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, 6 .- (Special.) -- Every student in college was on the bleachers yesterday when Coach Bezdek lined up his men for the first scrimmage of the year.

Enthusiasm and college spirit was

rampant for the time, but as the players lined up against each other, the cheering ceased and the plays were followed with an intent interest. Three full teams were running through signal practice, but only two of the squads were used in the scrimmage work. Among those who showed up especially well were Captain "Bill" Chand-ler and Gordon Moores, last year's ends; Dudley Clark, the Portland Academy boy, who is trying for halfback;

and Harry Pinkham, ex-captain of the Portland High School eleven, at tackle. The scrimmage work lasted an hour and Coach Bezdek expressed himself as pleased, especially with the work of The varsity rooters were jubilant last night over the return of Olin Arnspiger, the crack left tackle. Arnspiger has been out with a surveying party, and returns to college in splendid condition. Another veteran who is getting into the game again is Fred Moullen the muting mount of the return of the return of the specific s Moulien, the punting guard, who re-turned to college last week. Moulien underwent a severe illness during the Summer, but is rapidly regaining his normal strength and weight

normal strength and weight.

Bob Hammond, substitute guard and end on last season's team, will return to college next week, but McIntyre, last year's right guard, will not be back until February 1. George Hug, the regular varsity center, is trying out for right tackle, and McKinney is a candidate for fullback.

Bob Obbertauffer, a recruit from last season's second team, is showing up well at halfback, and Latourette is handling the team efficiently from his quarterback position. Among the new men who are showing good form in the line are Gillis, of Baker City, and Scott,

After the game with Astoria, Octo-ber 20, Coach Bezdek will select his men for the Idaho game, which will be played at Moscow, October 26. The Oregon men have heard of the prepar-Griffith and his assistants, and they will go to Moscow fully prepared for one of the hardest games of the season. Captain Chandler and his men believe that Astoria will give them a very hard game, and as a consequence, the sound will do some bard terminal. the squad will do some hard training during the next two weeks.

moment you think they are matched and the next you are informed that there is not a chance in the world. Regular case of hide and go seek. Now you see it and now you don't. For several weeks past the two fighters have been doing some long-range shouting with no result and they kept it up until Fight Promoter mroth threw up his hands in despair and announced that he would

First it was the financial question. O'Brien wanted 60 per cent, win lose or draw, because of his standing in the world. Berger wanted the same thing and asserted that, being a local man, he would be a big drawing card. As that would make 30 per cent more than could be secured, it was easy to see there would have to be some sort of an arrangement. O'Brien agreed to cut the money 50 and 50 per cent, and a sigh of relief went up. There was still one more question to be considered. In the Chicago articles O'Brien contended for a clean breakaway. Berger agreed at that time, but when he arrived in California insisted that there must be a clause that would permit each man to protect himself in the breakaway. For days they have hag-gled over this clause and last night the two men decided they could not co terms. Coffroth announced that he would not handle the fight if there was to be a clean break and threw up his hands.
Eddle Graney has stepped into the breach and will endeavor to get some sort of a match for O'Brien. Of course little Eddle would like Sam Berger, but failing in that he will put on some other heavyweight, and it is intimated that Tommy Burns, who beat Flynn in Los Angeles in 15 rounds, will have a chance. I can't see where Burns would have any show of winning, but for want of a better

Poor little Eddie Hanlon is down and out, and Cute realizes it better than any-one else. His defeat at the hands of Hyland was thorough. After the fight Eddle said that he would never appear In the ring again. The statement was passed up at the time, as it was thought that he had come out in the bitterness of the moment. That he meant what he said was indicated the following day when he reiterated his remarks. Hanlon had lost his science and his strength and was easy picking. Hyland has much to learn of the boxing game if he would be a winner in the lightweight ranks. He has the punch and if he gets into the hands of a clear man with make and hands of a clever man might make good. His next trial will be against Cyclone Thompson a Los Angeles youngster, who won on a foul in nine rounds a few weeks ago. Hyland claims that Tommy Burns, who was the referee, robbed him of the fight, and the report indicates that Hyland was winning all the way up to the close. The match will probably take place next week at Colma.

opponent he might do.

There is nothing startling in baseball circles in California these days. Portland is so far in the lead by this time that there is not the slightest chance to lose the Beavers, and they will win in a walk. Describe the head of the control of the a walk. Despite the hold that McCredie' men have on the pennant they are de-termined to keep up the winning streak. and the way the boys have been pulveriz-ing Los Angeles this week is a shame. They have been hitting the ball like flends and deserve first place honors.

The Portland management should insist upon one thing next season. It is that San Francisco play on home grounds. There will never be any money made playing in Oakland and interest in the will never pick up. Not to speak of the expense, few San Francisco people can spare the time to make the long trip to Idora every afternoon, and in consequence they stay away from the park. With grounds on the right side, the attendance would be more than doubled and every

LEXINGTON, Ky. Oct. 6.—Today's Brooklyn state that races were postponed until Monday because of the bad condition of the track. on account of rain.