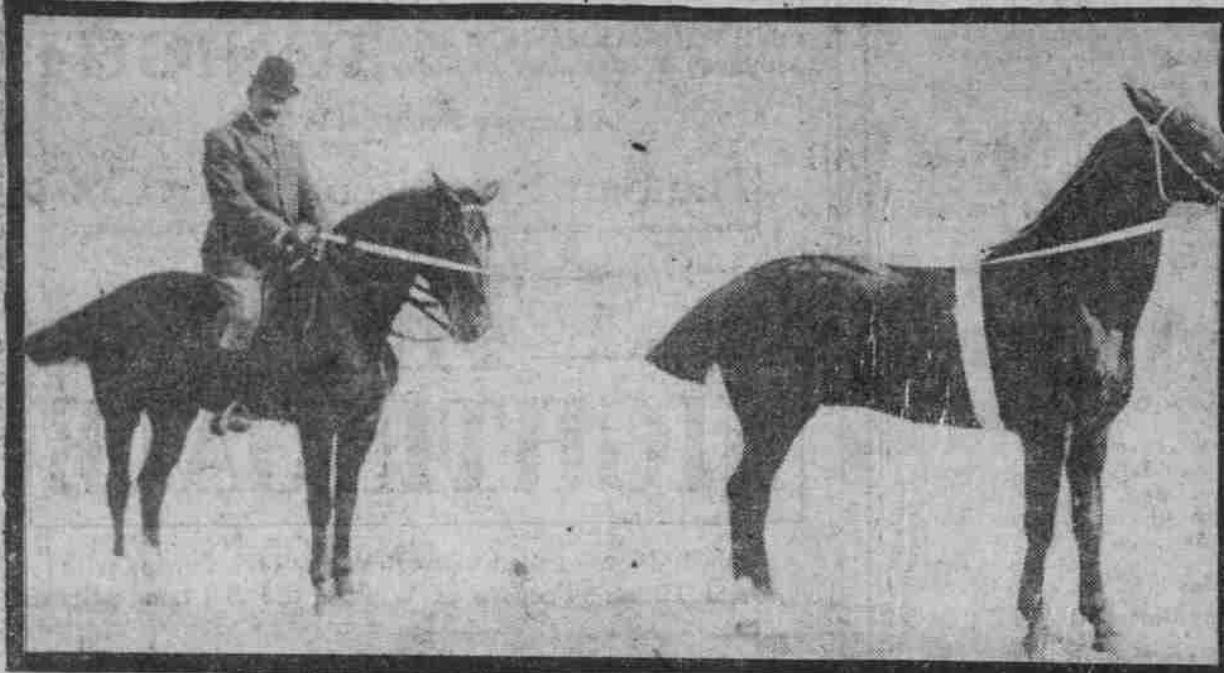


# HORSE SHOW PROMISES TO BE BRILLIANT EVENT

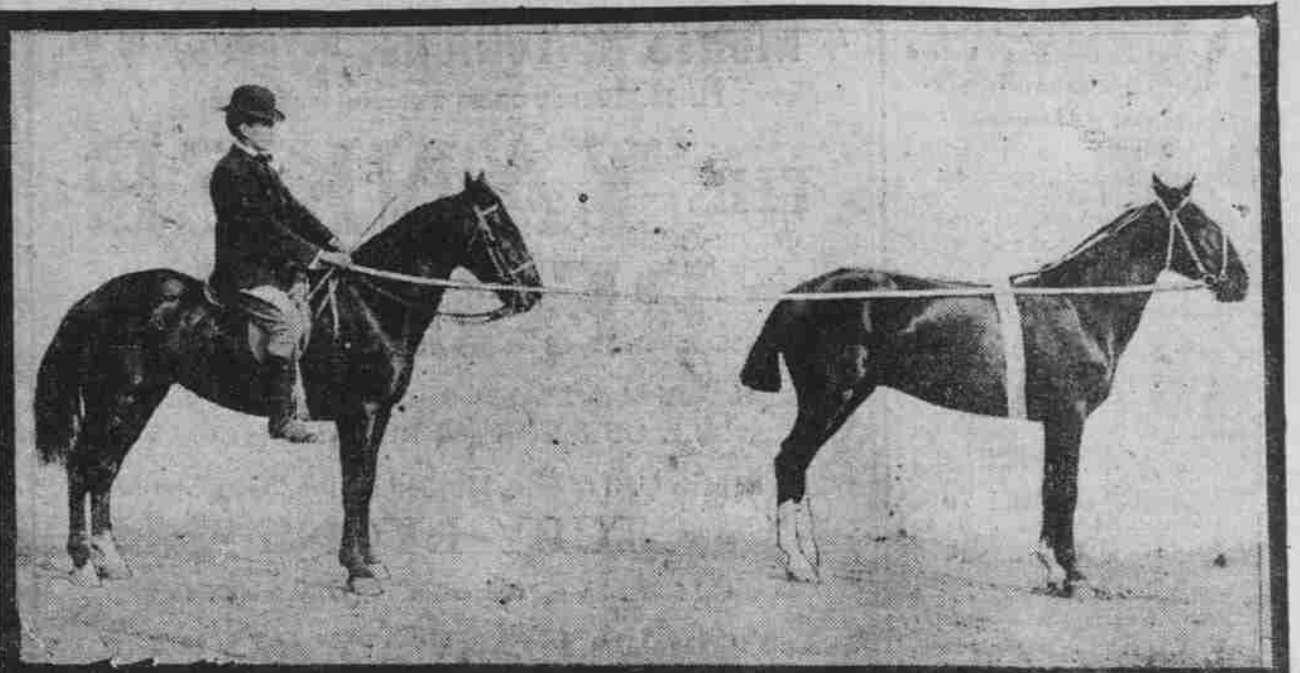
Portland Hunt Club Riders and Many Out of Town Entries Will Be Ready for the Opening Thursday Afternoon.



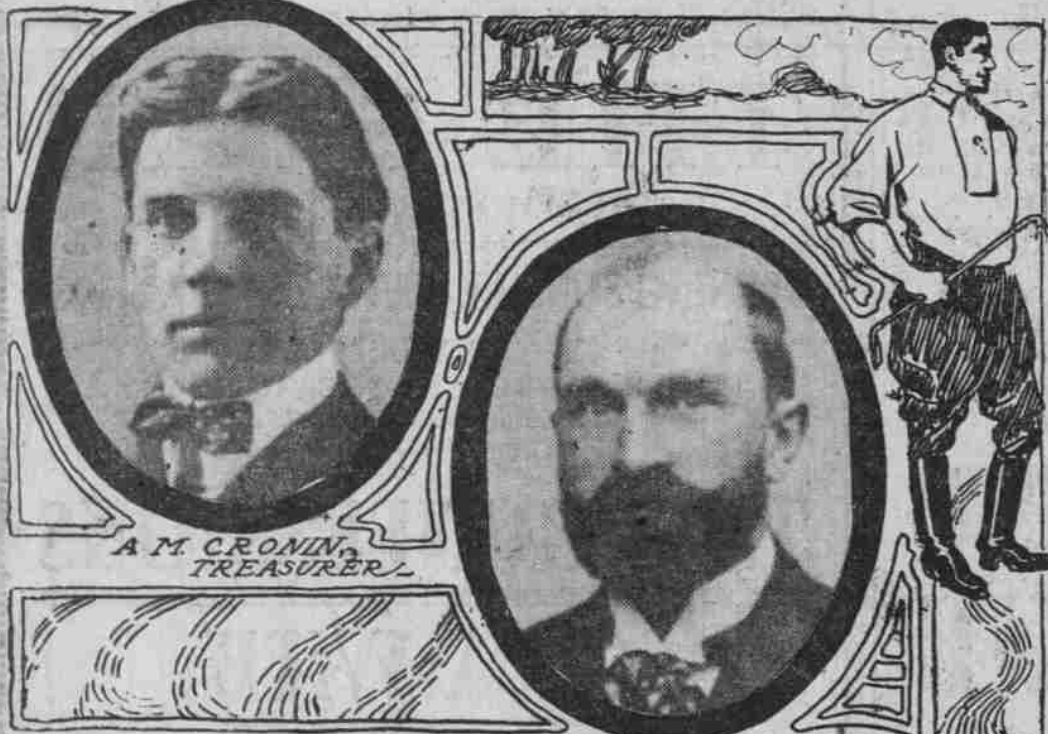
JAMES NICOL, -RIDING 'DUCHESS' AND DRIVING 'TONY'-



T. S. McGRATH, -PRESIDENT-



A. M. CRONIN, RIDING 'RATTLER' AND DRIVING 'ANTIPOPE'



A. M. CRONIN, -TREASURER-



W. C. JTHERS, -RING-MASTER-



D. A. PATULLO, -DIRECTOR-

DR. W. A. CUMMING, -OFFICIAL ANNOUNCER-



MRS. WALTER FULTON, OF SEATTLE, ON 'BEACHMONT'



THOS. SCOTT BROOKE, -DIRECTOR-

S. C. SPENCER, -VICE-PRESIDENT-



F. O. DOWNING, -M.F.H.-

J. C. MUEHE, -SECRETARY-



'JOCK' SHOWN BY J. E. MASON AT SPOKANE IN FIVE GAITED AND HIGH-SCHOOL CLASSES



MISS ANNE SHOGREN, RIDING 'JULITHA' AND DRIVING 'TONY'

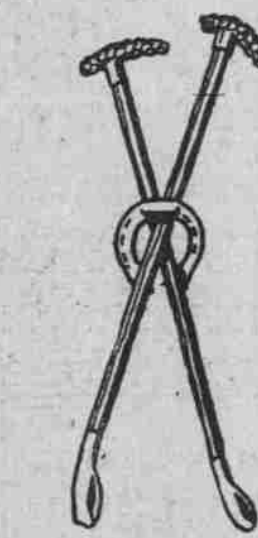
MEMBERS of the Portland Hunt Club, who are also managers of the city's first horse show, announced last night that everything is in readiness for throwing open the doors of the Oriental building. When the hour for holding the first matinee arrives, 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, not a detail will be left undone, and those who will pass through the doors of the Oriental building will find every precaution for their safety and every thought for their comfort has been taken.

To give Portland its initial horse show and to make it the success that it promises to be has been a colossal task. The Hunt Club is not a wealthy organization, but what its members lack in dollars and cents its officers and members more than make up in enthusiasm and determination, and their love for the horse. When the question of giving the show was first discussed among the officers of the club, they did not lose sight of the fact that if the club was to give a horse show everyone must work, for there was no money in the treasury to hire it done. With this vital point always in view, the initial steps were taken.

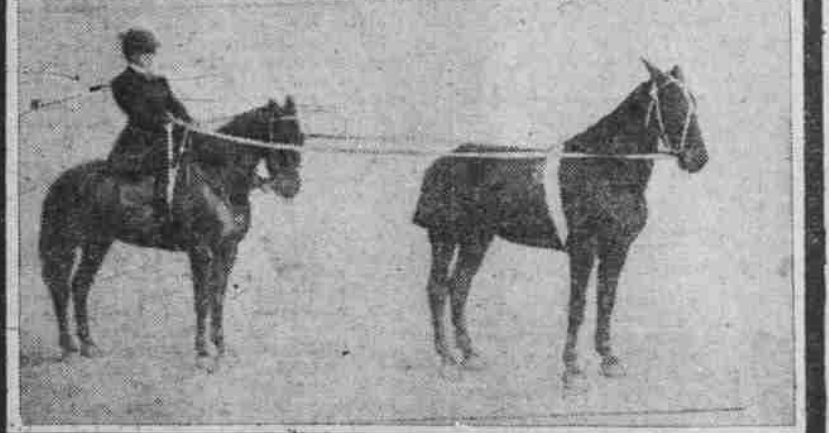
and without much show the club has held its cross-country runs, its paper chases. Then came the annual Thanksgiving day cup race, an open paper chase that calls for splendid horsemanship and a steady nerve. The annual Spring meet, always held at the old Irvington track, began to attract public attention. It was not until the club gave its splendid exhibition at the Society Circus that Portland actually woke up to what the club really was.

In addition to the showing and judging of the various classes, the management has arranged for splendid music. Signor A. De Caprio's band will furnish the music and he has arranged a delightful programme for each afternoon and evening. The horse show will be launched by a competition drill between two mounted battery teams from Vancouver Barracks. The teams will be made up of 16 mules, two guns and 31 men, one team will be commanded by Captain Cleveland Lansing and the other by Captain L. S. Lyons. The battery commanded by Captain Lansing holds the world's record for speed in action, and as the club is to give a cup to the winners in the contests between the two batteries, this will be a feature worth seeing. The men and their equipment will be stationed near the grounds and will take part both afternoon and evening.

HORSES COME FROM SEATTLE  
 Entries of Treat, Considine and Dobson Arrive From North.  
 The horses of H. W. Treat and John W. Considine, and five head belonging to W. A. Dobson, arrived yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock from Seattle. They were met at the train by members of the Portland Hunt Club and were taken at once to the new stables at the Exposition grounds. Messrs. Considine, Treat and Farrell will show 14 head of fancy saddlers and harness horses, all of which were blue ribbon winners at the Seattle horse show. A special car, carrying the carriages and other equipment, will arrive sometime today. The carload of horses from Tacoma will arrive late this afternoon.



MISS FRANCES LEWIS, ON HER 'BLUE-RIBBON WINNER,' 'JACK OF DIAMONDS'



MRS. A. M. CRONIN, RIDING 'BRUSSELS' AND DRIVING 'NIP'

## Hunt Club Officers and Horses Entered for Show

The Hunt Club, since its organization in 1886, has done as much and perhaps more to keep alive interest in good horses as any other organization. From a handful of men and women who met and took rides over the hills surrounding Portland years ago, it has grown into an institution that is a part of the city. Quietly

for women's saddlers, will be divided, and horses 15-1 and under will be judged in one class and receive ribbons and those 15-1 and over in another class. Class

127 will also be divided and horses 15-2 and under will be judged in one class and horses 15-2 and over in another. Ribbons will be given to winners in

each division and exhibitors are specially asked to have the exact measurement of their horses with them when they bring them into the ring.