

LEAGUE SURVIVES

3rd MEETING

Conference Colleges Clash

Over-Unanimous Vote Rule, but Delay Action.

SEATTLE STANDS ALONE

Washington Fears It Will Be Forced to Divide Gate Receipts—"Big Six" Track Meet Will Come to Portland, if Backed.

After arguing practically all day over the proposed amendment of the Pacific Northwest Intercollegiate Conference rules, abolishing the unanimous vote required by the by-laws on matters of legislation to a two-thirds rule, the delegates last night arrived at a compromise agreement whereby the organization will act upon the rule at the conference next year. The present agreement will remain in effect during the coming season. Seattle, at the triangular meet between Oregon, Washington and Idaho, while Portland will set the "Big Six" meet if finances are guaranteed.

The fight for a two-thirds vote to govern conference proceedings was led by Professor E. D. Angell, of Oregon Agricultural College, while the opposition was championed solely by the University of Washington representatives. Graduate Manager Zednick and Professor Milton Roberts, Zednick insisted on the conference abiding by the rule of unanimity in vote, and he finally carried his point with the compromise amendment.

One School Rules League.

Professor Angell contended that an unanimous vote on any subject in intercollegiate or other conferences was practically impossible, and that it gave to any one institution the power of arbitrarily controlling the conference. Professor Roberts who presided, held that the conference rules were mainly set down in the by-laws and constitution, and that it would require unanimous vote to amend them. As one of the representatives of the University of Washington he would not consent to this amendment, at least not at the present time.

Several elements entered into the discussion. The principal matter was the assertion that the majority of colleges represented are located in the smaller towns, and are at disadvantage with the University of Washington, because of its ability to compete with the Seattle institution in the matter of gate receipts.

Washington "Stands Pat."

The stand of the University of Washington was taken on the first day of the conference, and throughout the two days Professor Roberts and Mr. Zednick maintained their position. The other delegates realized that if they did not give in, they would disrupt the conference.

Commenting on Washington's position relative to the conference agreement Mr. Zednick last night said: "Washington's attitude on the point of controversy which came nearly disrupting the conference is sharply this: The other five colleges insisted on having a two-thirds vote decide all possible matters that the majority wanted to bring before it. We opposed the plan for the reason that the University of Washington is in a contractual relation, and since its organization it has been the consistent policy to have no other relation with the colleges necessary for any measure. Professor Angell and the others wanted to change the entire intention of the conference by voting majority rule. We declared that all should agree on amendments before it became binding; the very object of an agreement is to have all subscribe to it.

Proposed Held Unfair.

"They attempted to force us to agree to dividing the gate receipts in all the towns on a 50 per cent basis. So absolutely unfair as this to Washington in Seattle that we refused to entertain it for a moment. Lacking an unanimous vote, it did not become part of our agreement. Then they attempted to put the thing that they had no conference, decided to let the whole thing go over to the regular meeting in December.

Professor Angell, who led the fight for the incorporation of the amendment, explained his stand as follows:

King Asks Reinstatement.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 5.—John King, catcher of the Chicago National League club, who quit the team a year ago, has applied to the National Baseball Commission for reinstatement. His written application was received by Chairman Hornsby today. It is not known what action will be taken by the National Commission on King's application, as the rules provide a delay of suspension for three or more years for similar offenses.

M. A. A. C. WINS GAME

"Friendly" Match at Soccer Proves Unusually One-Sided.

OCEANICS ARE DEFEATED

By Score of 6 to 1, Multnomah Boys Are One Point Nearer Trophy.

Which Goes to Winner of City Championship.

What may be described as a friendly game of soccer football took place yesterday on the Multnomah field between the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club and the Oceanics, in which the Multnomah boys won an easy victory by a score of six to one.

The M. A. A. C. team was in perfect condition. Several of the Oceanic players didn't show up and two Multnomah men kindly took the places of absentees.

The victory places the Multnomahs one lap nearer the possession of the league silver cup. They must now twice meet the Nationals and beat them before they get a chance to face the Queen's Park players in the final game. If the Multnomahs lose one game, the Queen's Park players win the cup without playing another game.

NEW BASEBALL RULES READY

Acceptance by Leagues, However, Will Precede Publication.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Changes made in the playing code of baseball at the recent meeting of the rules committee in Pittsburgh have arrived at American League headquarters, but no hint has been dropped as to the nature of the changes. Accompanying the few modifications which were made for the purpose of clearing up the game on a few points was a note from Secretary Heydler, of the National League, stating that they be withheld from publication pending their approval by members of the rules committee of both leagues.

MILK TRUST IS FOUGHT

Willamette Company Out of Win Against New York Firm.

Surviving an onslaught of cut prices in an effort to drive the Willamette Valley Condensed Milk Company of the field of the Northwest retail trade, the concern announces that it will fight the milk trust of New York to the last ditch in an effort to prevent the confiscation of a brand which the Oregon Company has copyrighted.

CHEMAMA CAN DO NOTHING AGAINST PHILMATH'S TACTICS.

CHEMAMA, Or., Feb. 5.—(Special)—The roughest game of basketball ever seen on the Chemama floor was played last night between Philmath College and the Indian team. Philmath College, representing the Indians throughout the entire game and although the Indians outplayed them, they were defeated by a score of twenty-nine to twenty.

Twenty-minute halves were played. Professor Regan, of Newburg, refereed. The game was no criticism to make of the referee.

DILWORTH DERBIES BANQUET.

The Dilworth Derbies, indoor baseball team, and guests attended a banquet at the Sargent Thursday night. Members of the team are: Glenn Barrell, Jim Elmore, McKenzie, C. Paul Irwin, Delmer Baker, Bonnie Briggs, John Tauscher, Harry Cooley, Hershler, Byron Gumm, Sheldon. Guests—George Dilworth, manager of the team; Harry K. Smith, president of the league; Elmer Davis, secretary of the league; Remmy Week, James Buchanan, Joe Marlas, L. H. Stone, Robert L. Ringer.

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PAST SEASON BEST IN HISTORY OF GAME.

League Plans for Longer Schedule Next Year and Will Probably Engage Large Gymnasium.

With the championship of the Portland Indoor Baseball League decided in favor of the Dilworth Derbies, the fans are now beginning to look forward to the outdoor sport.

The indoor game in Portland during the past season met with more success than ever before. The schedule of the city league was played off without a hitch, and the attendance at all games was large.

The victory of the Dilworths over the Gold Seals in the championship game last Tuesday in the Multnomah Club gym was due to the great work of Eddie Morton, who fanned 16 of the gun-knove men. The Dilworth Derbies had their batting clothes on, but there probably would have been a different result had Bob Fordney been in the box for the Seals.

EUROPE TAKING TO BOXING.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The international interest which has been aroused by the Jeffries-Johnson fight was a surprise to James W. Coffey, the London sports promoter, who is hurrying Coastward on his record-breaking trip from London to San Francisco.

TACOMAN'S BETTER CONDITION TELLS AGAINST RING GENERALSHIP.

TACOMA, Feb. 5.—Lee Croft, of Tacoma, outpointed Billy Ross, of Contra-tilia, in a six-round bout here Friday night and was awarded the merited decision. Ross substituted for Kid Winsor, who was scheduled to meet Croft, but was not in condition.

Croft's better condition beat Ross. The latter showed more ring generalship.

BOAT CLUBS TO MEET TUESDAY

Special Aquatic Day During Festival Week Proposed.

Committees from the Oregon Yacht Club, the Portland Rowing Club and the Willamette Motor-Boat Club will meet Tuesday evening in the office of W. A. Knight, at Second and Washington streets, for the purpose of selecting a general committee to confer with the Rose Festival.

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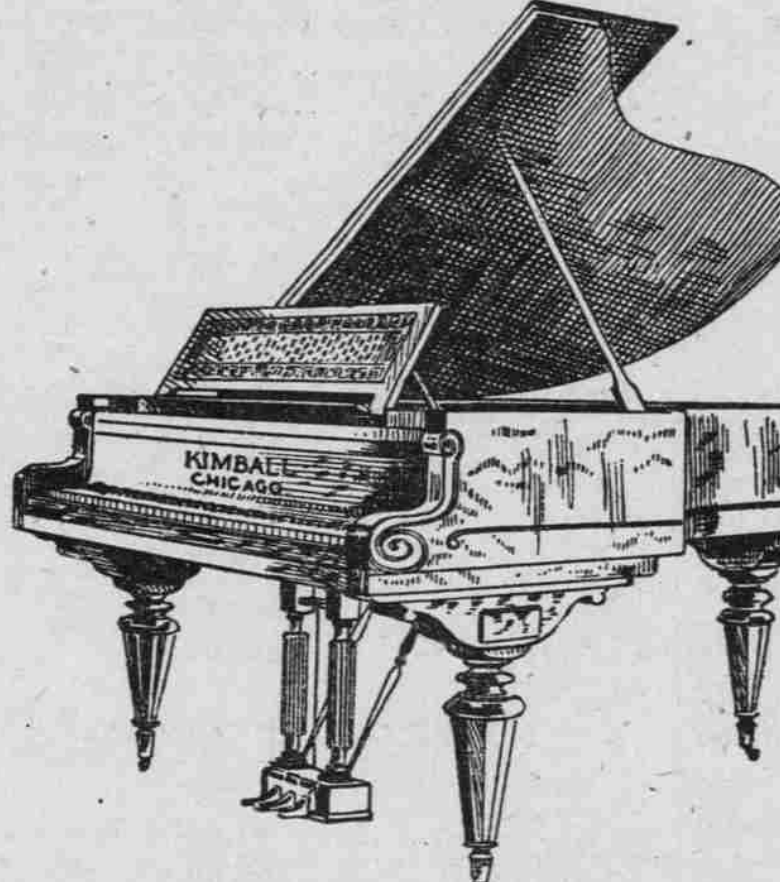
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Miss Myrtle Elvyn, the beautiful pianiste who appears in recital at the Bungalow Theater on Friday evening, February 11th, is proclaimed by the greatest Eastern musical critics as America's foremost pianiste. While endowed with youth and beauty, her phenomenal success on the concert stage is due primarily to a natural talent which, through incessant studying both here and in Europe since childhood, has enabled her to attain artistic triumphs never before known in the realm of music. Her talent was discovered early, and she was given all advantages possible. She studied under Carl Weitzman, the musical instructor who died recently. She also studied composition under Adolph Weidig. Subsequently she went to Berlin, where she received further development under the guidance of Leopold Godowsky. During her tour of Europe Miss Elvyn appeared before Kaiser Wilhelm and members of the royal family. The German monarch was so pleased with her performance that he publicly complimented her and presented her with a diamond brooch pendant.

Miss Elvyn created a profound impression here last May, when she appeared as soloist with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. The concert this Friday evening promises to be the musical and social event of the season.

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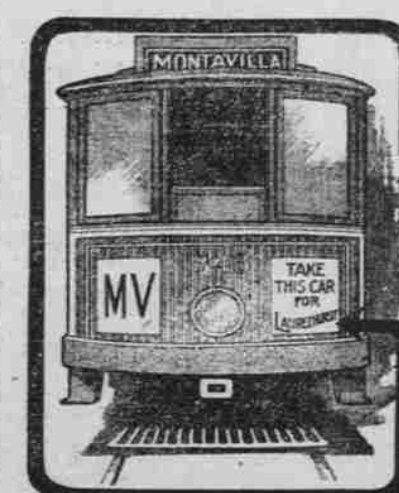
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