

NORTHWESTERN HAS GRAND FLAG RACE

Any One of Three Teams, Spokane, Vancouver or Seattle, May Win Pennant.

ALL BUNCHED IN STRETCH

Colts, Even Yet a Possibility, Will Play Big Part in Placing of Championship—Potlatch Bugs Are Season's Big Surprise.

BY JAMES H. CASSELL. Neck and neck down the home stretch come three Northwestern League teams—Spokane, Vancouver and Seattle. Which of the blanketed trio will shove its nose under the wire first, the winner?

Probables Reduced to Three. The bunched aspect of the first half of the season has resolved itself into another bunched struggle, with the probabilities reduced from six to three clubs.

Seattle Has Three Series at Home. Seattle has a trifle over three weeks more at home, against Tacoma, Victoria and Portland.

Champions Have Good Chance. Vancouver should remain the lead this week. The Champions have not found the Tigers particularly bad medicine this season.

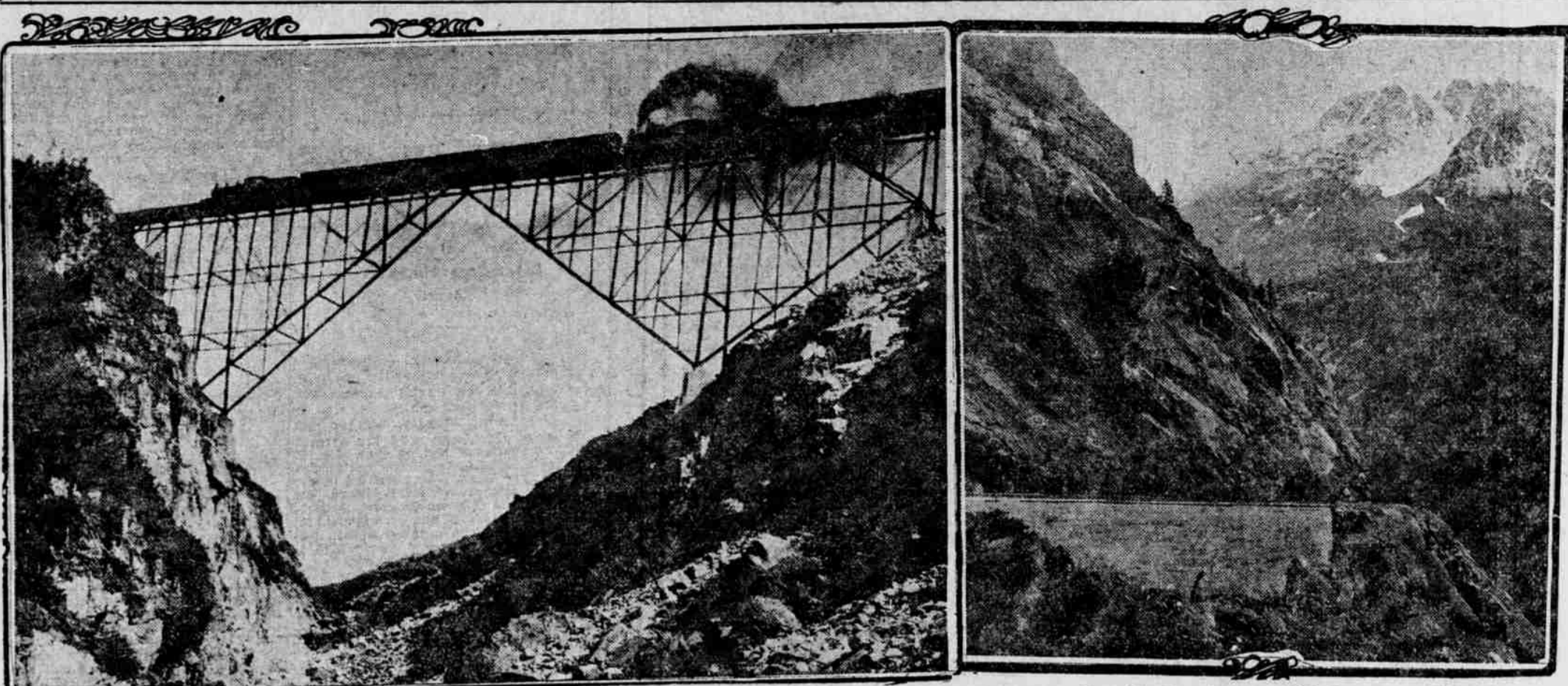
EVERETT REGATA ATTRACTS Willamette and Columbia Motor Craft Likely to Enter. Portland may be represented at the Everett motorboat race on September 6, 7 and 8.

Game Laws Misconstrued. To the sportsman seeking a hunting grounds the North offers wonderful opportunities, easily the most attractive field in North America.

Specimen of Caribou. Perhaps my activities are actuated by rather selfish motives. One of the interesting sights of an Alaska trip is the great Treadwell gold mine.

Present-Day Alaska Land of Pleasant Surprises

Within Four Days' Travel of Portland, Tenderfoot Finds Ideas of Country Entirely Changed—American Enterprise Has Created New Empire in Our Farthest North Possession, With Comforts of Civilization—Land Is Veritable Paradise for Hunters.



Concrete Retaining Wall on White Pass Route.



Mountain Goats Killed at Summit White Pass



Specimen of Caribou

At Ketchikan king salmon, weighing 70 and 75 pounds, have been caught with trolls. Our Portland party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wilson, Mrs. J. R. Elliott and two daughters, thronged several others, stopped off at Ketchikan en route south to get a look at the royal members of the salmon family going up the fresh water creek to spawn. The sight was alone worth the trip north. Ketchikan was found to be a favorite summer resort for Eastern hunters and fishermen.

OPEN FALL PLAY IRVINGTON'S NEXT

Annual Tournament Will Start August 31, Running for Full Week.

ENTRY LIST CLOSES AUG. 27

All Labor Day, September 2, to Be Given Over to Matches—Fee Cut This Year May Add Interest Among Enthusiasts.

With the entry list already open and all preparations made for the last Northwest tournament of the year, the annual Fall handicaps of the Irvington Club promises to be one of the best and most largely attended tournaments of the Northwest.

Portland friends and tennis admirers of Mrs. Harline (Wentworth) (Miss Tessie Leadbetter), now of Minneapolis, will be interested in the news that she continued her tennis in the East and last week reached the final round in the women's singles in the Minnesota state tennis tournament.

Practically all of the Portland women who have been playing tennis in the Puget Sound country will appear this week in the Everett tournament.

PORTLAND WOMEN LOSE

MRS. NORTUP AND MISS FORDING BEATEN BY SUTTONS. Miss Myrtle Schaefer, Paired With Fottrell and Florence Sutton, Still in Winning.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 17.—The contest in the men's singles in the state tennis tournament was narrowed down today to Melville Long and W. Johnson of California, who competed in the finals at Tacoma last week for the Northwest title.

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LACROSSE EXPERT HERE

GEORGE ODDY WOULD INTEREST PORTLAND IN GAME.

Eight Years Ago Efforts to Form League of Four Coast Cities Fell Through.

Is lacrosse, the famous Canadian sport, to be revived in Portland? George Oddy, the famous player-coach who gave Portland its only lacrosse season in 1904, is back in town after an absence of almost eight years, and once more is looking about with an eye towards establishing his favorite game.

KILBANE TO FIGHT O'KEEFE

Boxers to Meet at Madison Square Garden September 19.

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