# **COOPER NOSES OUT** SENSATIONAL RACE

First Motor Derby Results in One of Most Thrilling Finishes Recorded.

GIL ANDERSON IS SECOND

Los Angeles Racer Crosses Tape at New Twin City Speedway Just One Second Ahead of Teammate. Victor Gets \$20,000.

FORT SNELLING, Minu., Sept. 4 .- In one of the most spectacular and closest finishes ever witnessed at the end of 506-mile motor race, Earl Cooper of Los Angeles, today won the first motor derby over the new Twin City Speedway. Cooper was less than one second ahead of his team mate, Gil Anderson, of Indianapolis, who finished second, O'Donnell was third. The official time of the three cars was:

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Cooper, 5 hours, 47 minutes and 29 seconds; Anderson, 5 hours, 47 minutes and 20 seconds. Cooper's average speed for the race was 85.35 mileasper hour.

O'Donnell's time was 5 hours, 20 minutes 25 seconds.

By his victory Cooper, who drove an American car, won \$30,000, Anderson won \$10,000; O'Donnell \$4500, and the remainder of \$5000 was divided proportionately among other drivers to complete the long grind. Tom Alley finished fourth in the race. His time was 5 hours, 24 minutes and 44 seconds.

Cooper Relieved for 118 Miles. Cooper Relieved for 118 Miles.
Cooper, who drove an exceedingly
well-judged race, was relieved for 118
miles by John Altkin, of Indianapolis,
Anderson also was relieved for a
short distance by Tom Rooney, of
Indianapolis,
Drivers declared that conditions of
the Chicago and Indianapolis courses

were greatly superior to that of the Smelling course and that the rough parts made record time impossible.

Several of the leading entries dropped out during the first 200 miles.

"Bob" Burman was the first of those to be eliminated. He withdrew after helding first position for nearly 30 miles.

Favorite Resta Drops Out.

One of the surprises of the race was the withdrawal of Darlo Resta, whose French car shot into the lead early in the contest. A broken oil pump forced his withdrawal at the end of 51 laps. He held fourth place at the time. Resta was the favorite before the race. Baiph Muiford dropped out after thundering around the oval for 11s miles. A broken spring was the cause. A defective valve put Henning out. After a terrific spurt which piaced him in second position, engine trouble forced Ralph Palma out of the running at the 199-mile point. He was another strong favorite of the day.

After the first 190 miles Anderson and Cooper pushed into the lead and gradually widened the distance between their cars and those of their closest competitors, and for the next 300 miles the lead see-sawed between the two.

Only nine of the 14 cars that started Favorite Resta Drops Out.

Centralla Provides Talent

Control of the lead see-sawed botween

Only nine of the 14 cars that started remained in the race when one half of the entire distance had been covered. Eight cars finished.

Cr5 Men Report at Stanford

Students Enthusiastic to Begin

Training for Rugby Season.

STANFORD University, Cal., Sept. 4.—(Special.)—With the largest turnout for Rugby football that has ever been made in California the Stanford of game and decided feur to the "old game with the Rugby tenning the captally stated the captally stated the captally stated the captally stated to game appears the stanford to game with the Rugby tenning the captally stated the c

Washington Town to Supply Colleges With Football Players.

GENTRAIJA. Wash., Sept. 4.—(Special.)—Centralia will be represented on the university gridirons of the North-West again this year.

Elmer Nohle, who has been one of Dobie's backfield mainstays at the University of Washington, will return to school, as will also John Markham nearly landed a job in the line two years ago, and with his added age and weight it is expected that he uses nothing but an old hook and a piece of twine. Several times he has been given fine outfits by anglers, but the weakest hitters on the State University.

As dresseed himself that would rival the best taxidermist display in the land.

Mr. Wilson reports that jack saimon that section and the run wfil be on in full blast within a couple of weeks.

The elder Thomas has a younger son of 12 years who is the best fisherman in that part of the country. He uses nothing but an old hook and a piece of twine. Several times he has been given fine outfits by anglers, but always disposes of them and goes back to his birch rod.

Next year Mr. Wilson intends tunting again in the Canadian Rockies with the elder Thomas and his son, william.

PORTLAND HUNTER LANDS with the lefter Thomas and his son, william.

ABERDEEN, Wash, Sept. 4.—(Special.)—The first annual Southwestern Washington tennis tournament will open here Sunday morning with players from all Grays Harbor towns and from Cheballs. open here Sunday morning with play-ers from all Grays Harbor towns and from Chehalls, Centralia, Malone and Winlock entered. Twin cups will go to the winners of the doubles and a cup to the winner of the singles. A beautiful loving cup, which stands nearly a foot high, will be made a pro-fessional gift to the player who wins the singles three different years.

Venison Barbecue at Riddle.

ROSEBURG. Or. Sept. 4.—(Special.)—Not less than 100 local sports men are planning to spend next Monday at Riddle attending the annual ventson barbecus to be held there under the auspices of of the Riddle Gan Club and Rod Club. The programme will include several shooting events, a big barbecue, dance, moving picture show and other features. Several attate officers will particinate.

Primordial Basis of Fear.

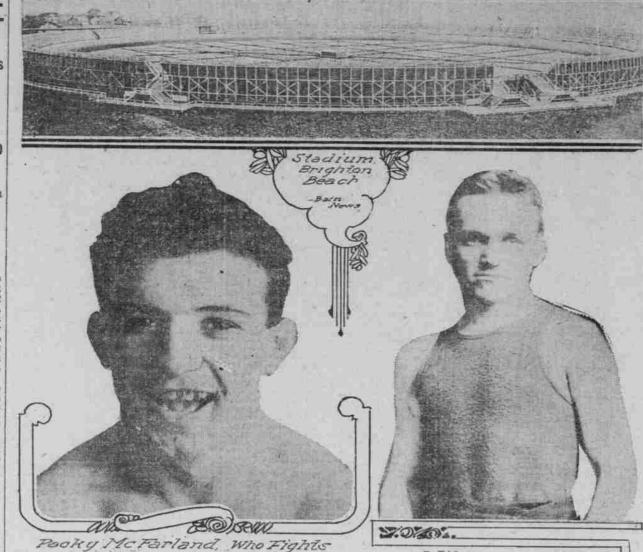
Ransas City Star.

In Tellowatone Park the brown bears retreat hastliy from the hotel garbage

retreat hastly from the hotel garbage piles when black bears heave in sight and the latter, in turn promptly get themselves gone at the approach of the sliverips. It is an interesting little social system, established on the primordial basis of fear.

No cess than ten assistant conches have conated their time and service to

PARTICIPANTS AND SCENE OF BIG RING BATTLE THAT WILL BE STAGED AT CONEY ISLAND NEXT SATURDAY.



Two Hounds and Aircdale Are Used by Robert Lovell Wilson and Party--Typical Mountaineer Is Host for Tillamook Outing.

CENTRALIA PROVIDES TALENT Another Trip to Be Made in Canada. "Dad" Thomas is a typical mountaineer, according to Mr. Wilson, and has numerous furs and hides which he has dressed himself that would rival the best taxidermist display in the

# Aberdeen Tennis Tourney On Today. RUGBY TENDENCY HURTS

CALIFORNIA CLASS TEAMS PLAYING AMERICAN FOOTBALL.

Conches Find Difficulty in Teaching Players to Hug the Ball and Fumbles Are Frequent.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Berkeley, Sept. 4.—(Special.)—California students are again witnessing a "real game of football," and wearing the pads never seen in rugby. To give the players something definite to work for at this time an interclass series has been arranged.

Thus far the funiors have been victorious, due in a great measure to the good work of Jack Smith, of Astoria, and Bill Smith in the back field. If predictions can be ventured at this

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BEARS ARE BAGGED

the task of teaching the mass of players how to hold, catch, kick and fall on the ball. In rugby it is absolutely necessary to hold the ball away from the body to make a long pass, and it is very difficult to teach the men to hold the ball close to the body. Fumbles, therefore, are frequent.

Every man is allowed to play every position on the team, and it is figured that by this method no dark horses will be allowed to escape.

Chandlor, former Michigan star, and one of the best known American football players in the East, is amplied of the uncertains series. Assistant Coach Andy Smith, also a Yost product, will referee. the task of teaching the mass of play-

Spalding's Bookings for Today.

Vancouver Tigers vs. Ruinler at Rainler, 2:30 P. M. 2:30 P. M.
Log Cabin Bakery vs. Oakhurst Greys at
Last Twelfth and Davis streets, I o'clock.
Coumbis Park vs. Vancouver Soldiers at
Vancouver, 2:30.
Ames, Harris & Neville vs. Log Cabin
Bakery at East Twelfth and Davis streets,
J. P. M.
Overlook Juniors vs. Kendali Station at
Kendali Station, 2:30.
Montavilla vs. All-Stars at Montavilla,
2:30.

Connio Mack may be reorganizing the Athletics, but the fact remains that the club continues to play the worst ball seen in the major leagues for several seasons.

That the Pittsburg Nationals are out-drawing the Feds three to one is asserted by Pittsburg writers.

WELL-KNOWN SPORTSMAN TO EN-TER RACES AT SALEM.

State Fair Board Calls for List of Rooms to Be Rented During Week of Show.

STATE FAIR GROUNDS, Salem, Or., Sept. 4 .- (Special.) -- Fred T. Merrill's stable of three horses, comprising Red stable of three horses, comprising Red Hal, with a record of 2:16%, at North Yakima last year: Zombronum, a 3-year-oid in the 30 class, and Selacrusadus, came in from Centralla Wednesday morning and will remain until starts are made during the State Fair, September 27 to October 2. James C. Lang, who came to Oregon from Baitimore, Md., has charge of the horses. The children of the later '70s and early '30g in Oregon remember Fred T. Merrill as a fancy bicycle rider and roller skater. He was the pioneer in this line of work in Oregon, and has ever since been an active sportsman. Merrill says he has remained out of the aviation game and passed that sport to

T. Buxton, secretary, of the Washington
County Fair Association at Forest
Grove, came over Tuesday in a car from
their home town, accompanied by their
wives and Mr. Buxton's daughter, Jessie. They expressed the hope that
Washington County would be numbered
with the list of counties exhibiting this
year. They were the prime movers in
making the exhibit last year.
The State Fair board desires to have
the names and addresses of all persons
in and near Salem who will have rooms
for rent during the State Fair, to have
them listed in the directory at the fair
grounds. Each and every citizen is extended of request to make it possible to
entertain every visitor to the fair and
to urge that visitor to remain the fuil
week.

Mrs. E. T. Weatherred, a member of
the board, who came up on Etate Fair
matters last Saturday, has returned to

According to reports, Ike Wolfer, According to reports, Ike Wolfer, former interacholastic star and second baseman of the West Side City League club, returned yesterday from Forsyth. Mont. Manager Rupert, of the Monarchs, did not know of his star young infielder's return when asked if he would use him in his lineup today, but said that probably he would turn him over to the East Side club if he was in town, as he had promised Wolfer to that aggregation upon his return to the city.

Gibbons

Mike

PORTLAND HUNTER LANDS SIX BEARS IN FIVE DAYS.

GEORGE L. WILSON, STANDING, BOLDING CUB, AND WILLIAM

aviation game and passed that sport to those who cannot see as much in life as he does.

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### Ike Wolfer Returns.

Hank Gowdy, a slugger last year, has become one of the weakest hitters on the Braves roster.

A deficit in Italy's trade balance is accounted for in part by the loss of \$150, 000,000 a year formerly pent by traveler in that country and \$20,000,000 usually ser home from the United States by laborers.

out as the one who put up the coin for the purse is William C. Marshall. He has never managed a boxing match and has had nothing to do with the game heretofore. Fight is Business Venture.

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He started the McFarland-Gibbons battle as a business venture, pure and simple. He had never witnessed a boxing bout until the time he arranged with a New York sporting writer to put on the impending battle.

He first went to New York after finishing a large contract for the Central Pacific, to visit his cousin, Chauncey Marshall, Jr., of the Brighton Baths. He is financially interested in the Brighton Batas property and was looking the place over when he met the Gotham sport scribe that suggested the staging of the battle.

According to reports from both boxers' camps they are hard at work for erd camps they are hard at work for the contest. Mike recently came forth with the statement that he would send Packey out via the dreamland route

\$32,500 PRIZE BOUT

time on McFarland-Gib-

bons Battle.

BOTH MEN ARE CONFIDENT

Old-Time Briskness, While His

Opponent Predicts Victory

by Knockout Route.

SOME BIG PURSES OF PAST.

Jeffries-Johnson, Reno, Nev. \$270.00 Johnson-Burns, Sydney..... 131,00

56,000

24,000

21,000 21,000

20,000

Johnson-Willard, Havana.... Gans-Nelson, Goldfield.....

Jeffries-Fitzsimmons, N. Y., Jeffries-Sharkey, New York.

Nelson-Gans, San Francisco ..

Fitzsimmons-Corbett, Carson Jeffries-Monroe, S. F..... Fitzsimmons-Sharkey, S. P., Britt-Gana, San Francisco... Kotchel-Paphe, Milwaukee...

Corbett-McGovern, S. F .....

Saturday.

history.

Britt-Corbett, San Francisco. 32,000 Jeffries-Fitzsimmons, S. F. 31,000 Jeffries-Rublin, San Francisco 30,000 Nelson-Britt, San Francisco. 27,000

BY EDWARD BILL

Those press agent boys are working vertime boosting the Packey Mc

Burns-Squires, Sydney,

Packey Shows Briskness.

# **GUN CLUB PLANS SHOOT**

MATCH AT JENNE STATION SET FOR SEPTEMBER 26-27.

Valuable Prizes Offered and Losers Will Get Money Back, Less Cost of Targets.

The next big thing on the programme to be held under the auspices of the Portland Gun Club at its Jenne Station grounds is the two-days' registered shoot slated for September 25 and 27. President H. R. Everding has secured three handsome prizes for the winners in the special class 50-bird race.

One of the prizes is a pair of diamond-mounted cuff links donated by A. W. Strowger, vice-president; number

Everding.

The class shoot will be divided into Classes A, B and C, and the winner of scach division will draw for the prizes.

The regular shoot will be 10 15-bird events, and the money will be divided by the Souler's "money heat well."

by the Squier's "money-back system."

Practice day has been set for Sunday,
September 25, with the regular events
scheduled the following day.

This is to be the last registered tournament given by the Portland Gun Club
during the 1915 season. By using the
Squier "money-back" system, the unlucky shooter will be given his money
back, less the price of the targets,
should he not get in the prize money.

Professionals will be barred from 1800 120-20

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President Everding has sent out invitations to them to shoot for targets
only. After paying each day's losses

B-14 8-11
17-13 26-23
22-13 80-22

A-Fonce's pr
B-Corrects in
Lyman's 'Be
B-Co only. After paying each day's losses out of the special fund, the surplus, if any, will be divided by the Rose system, 4-3-2-1, between the amateurs who shoot the entire 150-bird programme. shoot the entire 150-bird programme.

In order to enter the special 50-bird 23-17 11-15 22-16 6-15 race for the handsome prizes, the shoot-24-15 4-8 12-18 5-9 er must have contested in the 150-bird 10-19 25-16 12-18 12-16 events. The nimrods will be handicapped according to the way they shot in the previous matches. Class A will be for shooters who averaged \$2 per cent or better. Class B is for those while Class C will be made up of those 11-13 25-22 12-19 25-21 who made between \$2 and \$8 per cent. 20-24 19-23 13-16 22-21 while Class C will be made up of those 11-13 25-22 13-0 25-21 under 88 per cent. The Class C entries will be shooting from the 16-yard line. President Everding is planning on going today to Stevenson. Wash, to be the guest of "Our Jim" Simpson, president Irvine, Albany, Or,

dent of the Stevenson Gun Club. There is a special shoot there this afternoon, and President Everding hopes to make a good showing. NOVICE IS STAGING

Miss Ogden Leaves for Visit. Miss Elizabeth Ogden, one of Portland's fairest mermaids, left yesterday for a vacation of several months at Seattle. She was accompanied by Mrs. Starr Lindsey, of the northern city. It largely was through Miss Ogden that Mrs. Lindsey became quite an adept in the water during her two months' residence in Portland.

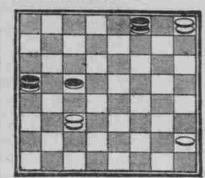
July 101 INIU IKAINING Press Agents Working Over-

Aberdeen Cyclists to Compete. ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 4.—(Special.)—Five Aberdeen motorcycle riders will compete in two races to be held on the Elma County Fair racetrack Sunday. All are familiar with the course. The turns on the track, however, are bad and dangerous.

### CHECKERS

Chicago Boy Surprises Self With Headquarters Portland Chess and Checker Jub, 101 Washington building annex, Fourth and Washington streets. A welcome for all communications and contributions solicited send to 143 East Thirty-fifth street, Port-and. Information and instruction free.

E. H. BRYANT, EDITOR.



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Y N. Sanfield, Centralia, Wash.
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23, 24. Black to play and white to

PROBLEM 61. Fariand-Mike Gibbons pattle that is to be pulled off at the Brighton Beach stadium, Coney Island, New York, next From all indications the typewriters

From all indications the typewriters will have to hum and the sporting editors over the country will have to be rather liberal with their space if the big marathen draws enough to square accounts. It will take quite a crowd to make up that \$22,500 purse that the boy from the stockyards and the St. Paul phantom will split, not to mention the incidental expenses and a profit for the promoters. All told this ten-round bout will make some ring history. PROBLEM 68. The man whose name has been given

n to problem 57. Black, 1, 12; king, c. 5, 20, 22, Black to play and win, c. 18, 25-22, 18-45, A-12-16, 20-11, c. 18-14, 22-18, 14-10, 12-16, A. A. W. D. Greff, T. Graham, C. L.

Jution by Jack to problem 58: Black, 8; 5, 10, 15. White, 16, 17; king, 9, Black hay and win. 18-22, A-17-13, 22-18, 9-5, 4, B-5-1, 19-15, 1-5, 15-19, 16-12, 19-16, 15-10, etc., Black wins.—If 9-13 black wins by bringing 3 around—If 9-13 black wins by bringing 3 around

will force the win the same as 30-25. The stroke demolishes black—more completely—Jack.

Solution to 58, by N. Sanfield: 2-8, 17-18, 8-12, \*16-14, 18-15.\*, 11-8, 12-16, 8-3, 18-19, 18-12.\*, 18-12, 24-27, 11-20, 27-21, 18-20, 18-21, 18-12.\*, 11-24, 27-21, 18-20, 18-21,

"Chicago Fife."

This game was lost by Alfred Jordan to fr. Eagan, the Australian champion, during

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# WINGED 'M' PLAYERS GO INTO TRAINING

Preparing for University of Oregon Game.

EUGENE TRIP IS NEAR

'Judge'' O'Rourke Returns From Trip East and Says Ralph Capron Is Coming to Portland and Might Play Here.

Just two weeks from next Saturday Captain Rupert and his Multnomah Club football players will step onto the gridiron at Eugene, Or., to tackle the University of Oregon representa-

the University of Oregon representatives. For this reason Captain Rupert
has issued practice calls for this morning, starting at 10 o'clock, and for
Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Just the number of old-timers and
stars who will be out is unknown at
present, but even though the weather
man brought out 77-degree temperature last Sunday an even dozen donned
the moleskins. Most of the aspirants
will work out rather lightly, trying to
get down to condition for a strenuous
season.

"Judge" O'Rourke, the giant Winged
"M" lineman, returned Friday night
from the East, where he was called
by the illness of his mother. O'Rourke
left here August 10, and while traveling he met many of the famous players of the days gone by when he himself was a college boy.

Ralph Capron, said to be the greatest open-field runner ever developed in the East and who played at Minnesota around 1909, is figuring on coming West the first part of next month and in this event Multnoman Ciub will receive his services. He is a brother of George Capron, who played baseball with the Scattle team of the Northwestern League a couple of seasons back.

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Another football warrior who contemplates a visit to the West and who has been lined up by "Judge" O'Hourke is Art Smith. Smith received the second choice for all-American halfback while at Notre Dame in 1912, and like Capron he has been playing the game ever since he left school "Judge" was some motorist while in the East. He motored from Minneapolis to Detroit and return, and for a couple of days he took up golf for a couple of days he took up

As yet Manager Pratt has been unable to line up any new games for the wearers of the cardinal and white. The one big trip of the season will be to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, when a football tourney to decide the 1915 club championship of the Pacific Coest will be held as San the Pacific Coast will be held at San Francisco early in November. The number of players to make the journey will be decided later by Superintendent will be decided later by Superintendent Dow V. Walker, Captain Rupert and Manager Fratt.

during spame as the have been made to have the field resodded and put in first-class condition for a strenuous season. The south side hill will be terze-black wins black wins black wins Dr. G. J. Sweetland, Jr., who coached the Wilamette University football team to a 6-to-3 victory over the University of Oregon famous aggregation of 1913, will remain another year as athletic and physical director of Hobert 16-20. Bart College, Geneva, N. Y. He was well pleased with the team he got together for the last couple of games last season and he expects to do as well

season and he expects to do as well again.

"I see Syracuse University will play in Portland this Fall," he writes to a friend here. "The first half of last sea son Syracuse was powerfully strong, beating University of Michigan 20 to 0, 11-16 Syracuse expects a powerful team again, the best in fact it ever had, but they will need it in Portland. The 20-23 21-30 Savacuse in proving the high grade of football played by 32-25 Drawn, mighty glad to learn that Syracuse is going West." season and he expects to do as well

**DUPONT FIRM REORGANIZES** 

Gigantic Powder Company Incorpor-

ates at \$240,000,000.

AME NO. 84.

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Railway Mortgage to Be Foreclosed. WOODSTOCK. Vt., Sept. 4.—An application of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York to foreclose a mortgage to secure the first and refunding bonds given by the Missouri Pacific Railway was granted.

New Member of Family.

Cawker—I've had another addition to my family since I saw you last. Cumso—You don't say! Boy or girl? Cawker-Son-in-law.

PENDLETON, OREGON SEPTEMBER 23, 24 AND 25